# The Gabelli Utility Trust Semiannual Report — June 30, 2024

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#### To Our Shareholders,

For the six months ended June 30, 2024, the net asset value (NAV) total return of The Gabelli Utility Trust (the Fund) was 5.5%, compared with a total return of 9.4% for the Standard & Poor's (S&P) 500 Utilities Index. The total return for the Fund's publicly traded shares was 15.5%. The Fund's NAV per share was \$2.79, while the price of the publicly traded shares closed at \$5.92 on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE). See page 3 for additional performance information.

Enclosed are the financial statements, including the schedule of investments, as of June 30, 2024.

#### **Investment Objective (Unaudited)**

The Fund's primary investment objective is long term growth of capital and income. The Fund will invest at least 80% of its net assets (plus borrowings made for investment purposes), under normal market conditions, in common stocks and other securities of foreign and domestic companies involved in providing products, services, or equipment for (i) the generation or distribution of electricity, gas, and water and (ii) telecommunications services or infrastructure operations (collectively, the Utility Industry). A company will be considered to be in the Utility Industry if it derives at least 50% of its revenues or earnings from, or devotes at least 50% of its assets to, the indicated activities or utility related activities.

As permitted by regulations adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission, paper copies of the Fund's annual and semiannual shareholder reports will no longer be sent by mail, unless you specifically request paper copies of the reports. Instead, the reports will be made available on the Fund's website (www.gabelli.com), and you will be notified by mail each time a report is posted and provided with a website link to access the report. If you already elected to receive shareholder reports electronically, you will not be affected by this change and you need not take any action. To elect to receive all future reports on paper free of charge, please contact your financial intermediary, or, if you invest directly with the Fund, you may call 800-422-3554 or send an email request to info@gabelli.com.

#### Performance Discussion (Unaudited)

In the first quarter of 2024, the Fund returned 3.7% and the S&P Utilities Index returned 4.6% as utilities underperformed the 10.6% return of the S&P 500 Index. Stronger than expected economic data pushed the ten-year U.S. Treasury yield above 4.5% from 3.9% at 2023 year-end. On a positive note, U.S. electric demand has seen an increase from the growing use of power hungry technology (artificial intelligence), data centers, electrification (EV charging, electric heating), reshoring of manufacturing (chip fabrication), and bitcoin mining. To meet expectations, regulated electric utilities need significant investment in power generation (renewables, batteries, and gas), transmission, and distribution, which translates into rate base and earnings per share growth. In non-regulated power markets (Texas, New England, and the Northeast), merchant power companies benefit from selling power at higher market prices. Hyperscalers (Amazon, Meta, and Alphabet) require reliable (24/7/365) clean power, which means renewable and nuclear plant owners can sell at enhanced margins. Transmission and distribution grid investment leads to almost formulaic earnings growth. The dynamics create a long-term favorable environment for electric utilities and power companies. Following underperformance in 2023, utility valuation multiples remain at relative lows (median of ~15.0X), down from over 22X.

For the second quarter of 2024, the S&P Utilities Index (SPU) returned 4.7%, compared to the S&P 500 Index return of 4.3%. The SPU performance was influenced by independent power producers; including Constellation Energy (CEG), Vistra (VST), and NRG Energy (NRG), as well as leading renewable developer NextEra Energy (NEE) and PS Enterprise Group (PEG). The potential for accelerated electric demand growth driven by technological innovation (artificial intelligence, data centers), electrification, and manufacturing on-shoring led to a momentum shift into power stocks. Shares of non-regulated power plant owners and developers surged on the AI-data center theme. Electric utilities benefit from demand growth by selling existing power capacity, adding power capacity (including batteries), and upgrading/expanding the transmission and distribution network. Efforts to meet growing demand and achieve decarbonization targets enhance the favorable environment for regulated electric utilities and support median 5%-7% EPS CAGR targets. The ten-year U.S. Treasury yield rose to 4.4% from 3.9% at year-end 2023, and the entire yield curve remains elevated relative to the past two decades.

Some of the Fund's top performing stocks for the first half of the year were NextEra Energy Inc. (4.8% of total investments as of June 30, 2024), ONEOK (4.1%), Southwest Gas (3.3%), and Constellation Energy (1.5%). Portfolio detractors included AES Corp. (1.5%), XCEL Energy (2.7%), and Hawaiian Electric (0.2%). XCEL Energy and Hawaiian Electric both face wildfire liability risks.

Thank you for your investment in The Gabelli Utility Trust.

We appreciate your confidence and trust.

The views expressed reflect the opinions of the Fund's portfolio managers and Gabelli Funds, LLC, the Adviser, as of the date of this report and are subject to change without notice based on changes in market, economic, or other conditions. These views are not intended to be a forecast of future events and are no guarantee of future results.

#### **Comparative Results**

Average Annual Returns through June 30, 2024 (a) (Unaudited)							
	Six Months	1 Year	5 Year	10 Year	15 Year	20 Year	Since Inception (7/9/99)
The Gabelli Utility Trust (GUT)							
NAV Total Return (b).	5.50%	5.11%	2.81%	4.41%	9.41%	7.70%	7.63%
Investment Total Return (c)	15.49	(2.91)	7.33	8.47	9.45	7.85	8.86
S&P 500 Utilities Index	9.44	7.82	6.11	8.04	10.12	9.36	6.94
Lipper Utility Fund Average	8.50	9.01	5.55	6.00	9.48	8.78	6.46

(a) Performance returns for periods of less than one year are not annualized. Returns represent past performance and do not guarantee future results. Investment returns and the principal value of an investment will fluctuate. The Fund's use of leverage may magnify the volatility of net asset value changes versus funds that do not employ leverage. When shares are sold, they may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data presented. Visit www.gabelli.com for performance information as of the most recent month end. The S&P 500 Utilities Index is an unmanaged market capitalization weighted index of large capitalization stocks that may include facilities generation and transmission or distribution of electricity, gas, or water. The Lipper Utility Fund Average reflects the average performance of mutual funds classified in this particular category. Dividends are considered reinvested. You cannot invest directly in an index.

(b) Total returns and average annual returns reflect changes in the NAV per share, reinvestment of distributions at NAV on the ex-dividend date, and adjustments for rights offerings and are net of expenses. Since inception return is based on an initial NAV of \$7.50.

(c) Total returns and average annual returns reflect changes in closing market values on the NYSE, reinvestment of distributions, and adjustments for rights offerings. Since inception return is based on an initial offering price of \$7.50.

Investors should carefully consider the investment objectives, risks, charges, and expenses of the Fund before investing.

#### Summary of Portfolio Holdings (Unaudited)

The following tables present portfolio holdings as a percent of total investments as of June 30, 2024:

### The Gabelli Utility Trust

Electric Integrated Natural Gas Utilities Natural Gas Integrated Telecommunications Water U.S. Government Obligations Electric Transmission and Distribution Global Utilities.	43.4% 8.0% 7.6% 6.8% 5.3% 5.0% 3.8% 2.9%	Alternative Energy Transportation Machinery Electronics Environmental Services Oil Automotive Communications Equipment	1.1% 1.0% 0.9% 0.5% 0.3% 0.2% 0.2% 0.1%
Wireless Communications	2.8% 2.3%	Building and Construction	0.1% 0.1%
Natural Resources	2.0%	Financial Services	0.0%*
Merchant Energy	1.5%	Energy and Utilities: Natural Resources	0.0%*
Diversified Industrial	1.4%		100.0%
Cable and Satellite	1.4%	-	
Equipment and Supplies	1.3%	* Amount represents less than 0.05%.	

The Fund files a complete schedule of portfolio holdings with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) for the first and third quarters of each fiscal year on Form N-PORT. Shareholders may obtain this information at www.gabelli.com or by calling the Fund at 800-GABELLI (800-422-3554). The Fund's Form N-PORT is available on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov and may also be reviewed and copied at the SEC's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. Information on the operation of the Public Reference Room may be obtained by calling 800-SEC-0330.

### **Proxy Voting**

The Fund files Form N-PX with its complete proxy voting record for the twelve months ended June 30, no later than August 31 of each year. A description of the Fund's proxy voting policies, procedures, and how each Fund voted proxies relating to portfolio securities is available without charge, upon request, by (i) calling 800-GABELLI (800-422-3554); (ii) writing to The Gabelli Funds at One Corporate Center, Rye, NY 10580-1422; or (iii) visiting the SEC's website at www.sec.gov.

# The Gabelli Utility Trust Schedule of Investments — June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)

<u>Shares</u>		<u>Cost</u>	Market <u>Value</u>
	COMMON STOCKS — 95.0%		
	ENERGY AND UTILITIES - 80	.9%	
	Alternative Energy — 1.1%		
42,000	Algonquin Power & Utilities		
	Corp., New York \$	250,134	\$ 246,120
2,950	Brookfield Renewable Corp.,		
	CI. A	108,382	83,721
3,300	Clearway Energy Inc., Cl. C	79,544	81,477
5,500	Eos Energy Enterprises		
	Inc.†	36,184	6,985
2,622	Landis+Gyr Group AG	156,474	211,873
1,500	Neoen SA	61,898	60,498
45,400	NextEra Energy Partners LP	1,315,368	1,254,856
12,500	Ormat Technologies Inc	382,193	896,250
600	Orsted AS†	98,525	31,930
300	SolarEdge Technologies		
	Inc.†	47,191	7,578
6,000	Vestas Wind Systems A/S†	124,138	138,931
	_	2,660,031	3,020,219
	Diversified Industrial — 1.2%		
3,120	Alstom SA.	76,166	52,459
15,664	AZZ Inc.	613,083	1,210,044
17,000	Bouygues SA	596,821	545,638
300	Chart Industries Inc.†	41,038	43,302
10,000	General Electric Co	613,133	1,589,700
100	Sulzer AG	2,884	13,824
		1,943,125	3,454,967
	Electric Integrated — 43.4%		
23,800	ALLETE Inc.	1,188,375	1,483,930
78,345	Alliant Energy Corp.	2,955,264	3,987,760
17,150	Ameren Corp.	821,759	1,219,537
50,950	American Electric Power Co.	021,703	1,213,337
00,000	Inc.	3,441,584	4,470,353
1,800	Atlantica Sustainable	0,111,001	., 0,000
.,	Infrastructure plc	44,595	39,510
64,000	Avangrid Inc	2,354,494	2,273,920
53,000	Avista Corp	2,243,144	1,834,330
400	Badger Meter Inc	41,569	74,540
33,000	Black Hills Corp	1,715,421	1,794,540
7,500	CenterPoint Energy Inc	194,516	232,350
80,444	CMS Energy Corp	3,372,392	4,788,831
46,500	Dominion Energy Inc	3,295,958	2,278,500
16,800	DTE Energy Co	1,187,644	1,864,968
71,700	Duke Energy Corp	6,286,208	7,186,491
63,500	Edison International	3,836,724	4,559,935
7,000	Emera Inc	269,273	233,581
4,100	Entergy Corp	278,283	438,700
137,000	Evergy Inc.	7,646,761	7,256,890
124,200	Eversource Energy	8,442,136	7,043,382
100,200	FirstEnergy Corp.	2,976,867	3,834,654
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<u>Shares</u>		<u>Cost</u>	Market <u>Value</u>
58,000	Hawaiian Electric Industries	<b>* 1-11000</b>	¢ 500.400
4 700			\$ 523,160
4,700	IDACORP Inc.	474,888	437,805
57,000	MGE Energy Inc	3,546,321	4,259,040
190,050	NextEra Energy Inc	11,740,301	13,457,441
48,000	NiSource Inc.	397,800	1,382,880
73,000	Northwestern Energy Group	4 017 010	0.055.040
40.000		4,017,916	3,655,840
18,000	NRG Energy Inc	432,819	1,401,480
178,000	OGE Energy Corp	6,571,936	6,354,600
57,000	Otter Tail Corp	2,148,998	4,992,630
55,000	PG&E Corp	559,726	960,300
1,100	Pinnacle West Capital Corp.	91,937	84,018
90,000	PNM Resources Inc	4,287,175	3,326,400
58,750	Portland General Electric		
	Co	2,548,340	2,540,350
22,240	PPL Corp	660,376	614,936
31,673	Public Service Enterprise		
	Group Inc	1,282,115	2,334,300
1,600	Sempra	119,157	121,696
3,600	The Southern Co	237,423	279,252
17,000	Unitil Corp	448,439	880,430
121,670	WEC Energy Group Inc	9,866,639	9,546,228
140,200	Xcel Energy Inc	7,575,130	7,488,082
		111,345,229	121,537,570
	Electric Transmission and D	istribution — 3.	8%
30,000	Consolidated Edison Inc	1,908,816	2,682,600
20,500	Constellation Energy Corp	619,340	4,105,535
66,100	Exelon Corp.	1,573,511	2,287,721
110,000	Iberdrola SA	1,231,553	1,427,201
300	The Timken Co	23,079	24,039
		5,356,299	10,527,096
	Free and the Press Matrice		
107	Energy and Utilities: Natura		
107	Occidental Petroleum Corp.	6,766	6,744
	Environmental Services — (	1 20/_	
800	Fluidra SA	32.048	16,698
100	Tetra Tech Inc.	16,501	20,448
27,712	Veolia Environnement SA	507,925	828,615
21,112		556,474	865,761
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	Equipment and Supplies —	1.3%	
5,000	Capstone Green Energy		
	Corp.†	18,370	1,050
1,396	Graham Corp.†	27,160	39,311
10,000	MDU Resources Group Inc.	200,502	251,000
53,500	Mueller Industries Inc	874,426	3,046,290
196	Tidewater Inc.†	13,452	18,661
1,150	Valmont Industries Inc	236,694	315,618
		1,370,604	3,671,930

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<u>Shares</u>			<u>Cost</u>		Market <u>Value</u>
	COMMON STOCKS (Continu				
	ENERGY AND UTILITIES (Co	ntin	iued)		
0 000	Global Utilities — 2.9% Chubu Electric Power Co.				
8,000		¢	135,666	\$	94,524
7,595	EDP - Energias de Portugal	Ψ	100,000	ψ	34,324
1,000	SA		27,768		28,461
117,000	Electric Power Development				,
	Co. Ltd		2,549,860		1,825,648
33,000	Endesa SA		942,797		619,711
300,000	Enel SpA		1,862,753		2,086,425
560,000	Hera SpA		1,323,309		1,915,544
15,000	Hokkaido Electric Power Co.				
10.000	Inc		73,141		111,318
13,000	Hokuriku Electric Power Co.		87,350		82,295
220,000	Huaneng Power International Inc., CI. H†		83,674		163,119
38,000	Korea Electric Power Corp.,		05,074		105,115
00,000	ADR†		374,707		269,420
22,000	Kyushu Electric Power Co.		01 1,1 01		200, 20
,	Inc		201,429		226,577
15,000	Shikoku Electric Power Co.				
	Inc		152,223		128,659
9,000	The Chugoku Electric Power				
	Co. Inc		93,578		59,099
25,000	The Kansai Electric Power		000 400		440.050
11 000	Co. Inc.		330,129		419,852
11,000	Tohoku Electric Power Co.		95,368		99,239
	1110		8,333,752		8,129,891
			0,000,702		0,120,001
040.000	Merchant Energy — 1.5%		0 0 47 7 40		4.010.000
240,000	The AES Corp		3,847,748		4,216,800
	Natural Gas Integrated — 7	6%			
8,000	DT Midstream Inc.	.0/0	201,069		568,240
85,000	Energy Transfer LP		823,934		1,378,700
105,000	Kinder Morgan Inc.		1,601,324		2,086,350
105,182	National Fuel Gas Co		4,504,891		5,699,813
142,000	ONEOK Inc		5,895,831		11,580,100
			13,027,049		21,313,203
	Natural Gas Utilities — 8.0	•/-			
25,500	Atmos Energy Corp	/0	2,023,097		2,974,575
	Cheniere Energy Inc		15,650		17,483
9,000	Chesapeake Utilities Corp		753,389		955,800
13,200	Engie SA		379,215		188,511
100,625	National Grid plc		819,305		1,122,668
67,500	National Grid plc, ADR		4,766,274		3,834,000
5,000	Northwest Natural Holding				
	Co		177,100		180,550
30,300	ONE Gas Inc		1,298,615		1,934,655
55,000	RGC Resources Inc		816,196		1,124,750

<u>Shares</u>		<u>Cost</u>	Market <u>Value</u>
132,415	Southwest Gas Holdings		
	Inc		\$ 9,319,368
14,850	Spire Inc	968,172	901,840
600	UGI Corp	26,633	13,740
	-	20,867,679	22,567,940
	Natural Resources — 2.0%		
450	Antero Resources Corp.†	12,144	14,684
55,642	Cameco Corp	732,159	2,737,586
30,000	Compania de Minas	- ,	, - ,
,	Buenaventura SAA, ADR	327,255	508,500
18,000	Exxon Mobil Corp	1,443,530	2,072,160
2,000	Hess Corp.		295,040
_,		2,590,245	5,627,970
	-	,, -	
40	0il — 0.2%	7 401	7 105
46	Chevron Corp	7,401	7,195
4,500	Devon Energy Corp.	43,702	213,300
20,000	PrairieSky Royalty Ltd	337,688	380,103
1,449	Transocean Ltd.†		7,752
	-	396,268	608,350
	Services — 2.3%		
22,000	ABB Ltd., ADR	460,109	1,225,620
20,880	Dril-Quip Inc.†	477,784	388,368
99,500	Enbridge Inc	2,767,495	3,541,205
33,705	Halliburton Co	753,696	1,138,555
807	NOV Inc	16,156	15,341
1,173	Oceaneering International		
	Inc.†	26,191	27,753
1,263	Schlumberger NV	64,337	59,588
1,085	TechnipFMC plc	22,384	28,373
293	Weatherford International		
	plc†	27,999	35,878
	-	4,616,151	6,460,681
	Water — 5.3%		
26,000	American States Water Co.	1,283,095	1,886,820
22,400	American Water Works Co.	.,,	.,,
,	Inc	2,496,124	2,893,184
23,000	Artesian Resources Corp.,	, ,	,, -
- ,	CI. A	638,791	808,680
33,200	California Water Service		
	Group	757,390	1,609,868
26,000	Essential Utilities Inc.	513,640	970,580
6,700	Middlesex Water Co	143,238	350,142
140,000	Severn Trent plc	3,673,440	4,211,981
29,000	SJW Group	1,459,875	1,572,380
9,400	The York Water Co	155,898	348,646

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<u>Shares</u>		<u>Cost</u>	Market <u>Value</u>
	<b>COMMON STOCKS (Continued</b>	)	
	ENERGY AND UTILITIES (Conti	nued)	
	Water (Continued)		
4,100	Zurn Elkay Water Solutions	105 001	<b>A A O O C A O</b>
	Corp	125,381	\$ 120,540
		11,246,872	14,772,821
	TOTAL ENERGY AND		
	UTILITIES	188,164,292	226,781,943
	COMMUNICATIONS - 11.1%		
	Cable and Satellite — 1.4%		
4,000	Altice USA Inc., Cl. A†	20,435	8,160
2,100	Charter Communications		
	Inc., Cl. A†	470,809	627,816
20,900	Cogeco Inc	433,364	736,362
30,000	EchoStar Corp., Cl. A†	577,506	534,300
300,000	ITV plc	503,114	305,280
90,000	Liberty Latin America Ltd.,		
	CI. A†	968,328	864,900
5,947	Liberty Latin America Ltd.,		
	CI. C†	42,461	57,210
22,000	Rogers Communications	1 007 0 10	010 500
	Inc., Cl. B	1,067,048	813,560
		4,083,065	3,947,588
	Communications Equipment -	- 0.1%	
7,500	Furukawa Electric Co. Ltd		189,912
	Telecommunications — 6.8%		
35,000	AT&T Inc	800,980	668,850
10,000	BCE Inc., New York	399,500	323,700
5,500	BCE Inc., Toronto	233,698	178,140
100,000	BT Group plc, Cl. A	280,918	177,416
7,500	Cogeco Communications	000 505	000 000
110.000		282,565	282,830
110,000	Deutsche Telekom AG	1,936,051	2,766,050
60,000	Deutsche Telekom AG, ADR	991,918	1,511,400
21,250	Eurotelesites AG <sup>†</sup>	98,865	83,293
200	Hutchison Telecommunications		
	Hong Kong Holdings Ltd.	19	25
83,000	Liberty Global Ltd., Cl. A†	1,661,749	1,446,690
110,000	Liberty Global Ltd., Cl. C†	2,940,656	1,963,500
1,750,000	Nippon Telegraph &	2,040,000	1,000,000
1,700,000	Telephone Corp	813,435	1,651,128
150,000	Orange Belgium SA†	3,773,598	2,399,999
6,000	Orange SA, ADR	71,421	59,940
59,000	Orascom Financial Holding	, .= .	00,010
,	SAE†	9,810	369
10,000	Orascom Investment	-,	
	Holding, GDR†(a)	9,221	140
30,000	Pharol SGPS SA†	8,930	1,420

<u>Shares</u>		<u>Cost</u>	Market <u>Value</u>
8,500	Proximus SA\$	151,084	\$ 67,818
2,000	PT Indosat Tbk	1,061	1,307
1,350	Tele2 AB, Cl. B	15,470	13,590
250,000	Telefonica SA, ADR	1,200,752	1,052,500
85,000	Telekom Austria AG	613,918	848,407
25,000	Telephone and Data	000 071	540.050
20.000	Systems Inc.	398,671	518,250
30,000	Telesat Corp.†	370,000	273,000
5,500 10,000	VEON Ltd., ADR†	431,985 242,166	968,990 259,400
38.000	Verizon Communications	242,100	259,400
00,000	Inc	1,769,869	1,567,120
		19,508,310	19,085,272
5,000	Wireless Communications — America Movil SAB de CV,	2.8%	
5,000	ADR	68,868	85,000
21,422	Anterix Inc.†	793,241	848,097
103,000	Millicom International	700,211	010,007
,	Cellular SA, SDR†	2,341,063	2,507,218
1,200	Operadora De Sites	_, ,	_,,
	Mexicanos SAB de CV	1,436	1,083
2,300	SK Telecom Co. Ltd., ADR	55,954	48,139
400	SmarTone		
	Telecommunications		
	Holdings Ltd.	207	186
60,000	Turkcell Iletisim Hizmetleri	000.014	454.000
20 500	A/S, ADR	399,014	454,800
32,500	United States Cellular Corp.†	1,208,036	1,814,150
234,000	Vodafone Group plc, ADR	3,880,356	2,075,580
204,000		8,748,175	7,834,253
	TOTAL COMMUNICATIONS	32,513,479	31,057,025
	OTHER — 3.0%		
075	Automotive — 0.2%	10.004	15 007
275	Ducommun Inc.†	13,384 336,699	15,967
45,000		350,083	<u>504,578</u> 520,545
	_		520,545
	Building and Construction — (		
2,700	Knife River Corp.†	100,820	189,378
	Diversified Industrial — 0.2%		
1,200	Accelleron Industries AG,		
1,200	ADR	17,184	46,752
200	Arcosa Inc.	15,750	16,682
290	ITT Inc	34,875	37,462
1,971	L.B. Foster Co., Cl. A†	33,128	42,416
500	Matthews International		
	Corp., Cl. A	18,220	12,525

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COMMON STOCKS (Continued) OTHER (Continued) Diversified Industrial (Continued)         WARRANTS — 0.0% OTHER — 0.0% Financial Services — 0.0%           13,000         Trinity Industries Inc\$ 347,123 466,280         \$ 388,960 544,797         7,500         SDCL EDGE Acquisition Corp., expire 12/31/28†. \$ 2,702         \$           1,200         Allient Inc	
Diversified Industrial (Continued)         Financial Services — 0.0%           13,000         Trinity Industries Inc.         \$ 347,123         \$ 388,960           13,000         Trinity Industries Inc.         \$ 347,123         \$ 388,960           12,000         Allient Inc.         40,056         30,324           74         Hubbell Inc.         24,240         27,046           2,200         Keysight Technologies Inc.†         9,745         11,090           567         Resideo Technologies Inc.†         9,745         11,090           14,000         Sony Group Corp., ADR         960,385         1,189,300           1250,000         GAM Holding AG†         101,380         33,391           6,000         Kinnevik AB, Cl. A         45,581         49,759           7,000         Kinnevik AB, Cl. A         45,581         49,759           7,000         Kinnevik AB, Cl. B         150,816         57,425           297,777         140,575         PREFERRED SHARES           (1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)            13,100         Flowserve Corp.         54,522           00         63,011         57,541           300         Medmix AG         7,541           4,534	
13,000       Trinity Industries Inc.       \$ 347,123       \$ 388,960       7,500       SDCL EDGE Acquisition         12,000       Allient Inc.       40,056       30,324       Amount       Amount         12,000       Allient Inc.       24,240       27,046       Amount       Amount       Amount         14,000       Sony Group Corp., ADR       24,240       27,046       U.S. GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS - 5.0%       \$ 14,140,000       U.S. Treasury Bills, 5.283% to 5.326%††, 07/25/24 to 11/21/24       13,972,724         14,000       Sony Group Corp., ADR       960,385       1,189,300       07/25/24 to 11/21/24       13,972,724       13,972,724         150,000       GAM Holding AG†       101,380       33,391       OTAL INVESTMENTS - 100.0%       \$ 240,892,402         150,000       GAM Holding AG†       101,380       33,391       Other Assets and Liabilities (Net)       NOTE PAYABLE       NOTE Assets and Liabilities (Net)       4,558       49,759       NOTE PAYABLE       1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)       4,554	
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Electronics — 0.5%         Principal           1,200         Allient Inc	
1,200       Allient Inc.       40,056       30,324       Amount         74       Hubbell Inc.       24,240       27,046       27,046       10,000       10,000       14,140,000       U.S. GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS — 5.0%         567       Resideo Technologies Inc.†       9,745       11,090       14,140,000       U.S. Treasury Bills, 5.283% to 5.326%††, 07/25/24 to 11/21/24       13,972,724       -         14,000       Sony Group Corp., ADR       960,385       1,189,300       07/25/24 to 11/21/24       13,972,724       -         Total Services — 0.0%         Total INVESTMENTS — 100.0%       \$ 240,892,402         150,000       GAM Holding AG†       101,380       33,391       Other Assets and Liabilities (Net)       \$ 240,892,402         150,000       Kinnevik AB, Cl. A       45,581       49,759       Other Assets and Liabilities (Net)       \$ 240,892,402         297,777       140,575       PREFERED SHARES       (1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)       \$ 1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)       \$ 2,127,300         1,310       Flowserve Corp.       54,522       63,011       4,534       \$ 2,7591,186 common shares outstanding)       \$ 1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)       \$ 1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)       \$ 1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)	\$ 1,650
74       Hubbell Inc	
2,200       Keysight Technologies Inc.†       218,444       300,850         567       Resideo Technologies Inc.†       9,745       11,090         14,000       Sony Group Corp., ADR       960,385       1,189,300         14,000       Sony Group Corp., ADR       960,385       1,189,300         14,000       GAM Holding AG†       101,380       33,391         6,000       Kinnevik AB, Cl. A       45,581       49,759         7,000       Kinnevik AB, Cl. B       150,816       57,425         297,777       140,575       PREFERRED SHARES         Machinery — 0.9%       2,127,300       (1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)	
567       Resideo Technologies Inc.†       9,745       11,090       5.283% to 5.326%††,         14,000       Sony Group Corp., ADR       960,385       1,189,300       07/25/24 to 11/21/24       13,972,724         14,000       GAM Holding AG†       101,380       33,391       07/25/24 to 11/21/24       13,972,724         150,000       GAM Holding AG†       101,380       33,391       0ther Assets and Liabilities (Net)       \$240,892,402         000       Kinnevik AB, Cl. A       45,581       49,759       NOTE PAYABLE       NOTE PAYABLE         7,000       Kinnevik AB, Cl. B       150,816       57,425       PREFERRED SHARES       (1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)       PREFERRED SHARES         210,000       CNH Industrial NV       2,449,130       2,127,300       63,011       (75,791,186 common shares outstanding)       Setter Value PER COMMON SHARES         300       Medmix AG       7,541       4,534       NET ASSETS // ALUE PER COMMON SHARES         300       Medlir Water Products       NET ASSET VALUE PER COMMON SHARE       NET ASSET VALUE PER COMMON SHARE	
14,000       Sony Group Corp., ADR       960,385       1,189,300       07/25/24 to 11/21/24       13,972,724         Financial Services — 0.0%       1,558,610       TOTAL INVESTMENTS — 100.0%       \$ 240,892,402         150,000       GAM Holding AG†       101,380       33,391         6,000       Kinnevik AB, Cl. A       45,581       49,759         7,000       Kinnevik AB, Cl. B       150,816       57,425         297,777       140,575       PREFERRED SHARES         Machinery — 0.9%       2,127,300       (1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)	
Financial Services — 0.0%         TOTAL INVESTMENTS — 100.0%	
Total INVESTMENTS — 100.0%	13,973,344
150,000       GAM Holding AG†       101,380       33,391       Other Assets and Liabilities (Net)         6,000       Kinnevik AB, Cl. A       45,581       49,759         7,000       Kinnevik AB, Cl. B       150,816       57,425         297,777       140,575       PREFERRED SHARES         Machinery — 0.9%       (1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)	280,126,256
6,000       Kinnevik AB, Cl. A       45,581       49,759         7,000       Kinnevik AB, Cl. B       150,816       57,425         297,777       140,575       PREFERRED SHARES         Machinery — 0.9%       (1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)	
7,000       Kinnevik AB, Cl. B       150,816       57,425       NOTE PAYABLE         297,777       140,575       PREFERRED SHARES         210,000       CNH Industrial NV       2,449,130       (1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)	727,775
297,777         140,575         PREFERRED SHARES           Machinery — 0.9%         (1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)	(20,477,094)
Machinery — 0.9%         (1,958,235 preferred shares outstanding)           210,000         CNH Industrial NV         2,449,130           1,310         Flowserve Corp.         54,522           300         Medmix AG         7,541           2,965         Mueller Water Products	
210,000         CNH Industrial NV.         2,449,130         2,127,300         NET ASSETS — COMMON SHARES           1,310         Flowserve Corp.         54,522         63,011         (75,791,186 common shares outstanding).         \$	(48,955,875)
1,310       Flowserve Corp.       54,522       63,011       (75,791,186 common shares outstanding)         300       Medmix AG.       7,541       4,534         2,965       Mueller Water Products       NET ASSETS — Common shares outstanding)	(10,000,010)
300     Medmix AG     7,541     4,534       2,965     Mueller Water Products     NET ASSET VALUE PER COMMON SHARE	2 211 421 062
2,965 Mueller Water Products NET ASSET VALUE PER COMMON SHARE	211,421,002
	<u>\$                                    </u>
1,250 Xylem Inc	
2,663,515 2,417,516 (a) Security is valued using significant unobservable inputs and	d is classified
specialty Chemicals — 0.1% as Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy.	
200 Air Products and Chemicals	
Inc	
250 Linde plc	
136,601 161,313 GDR Global Depositary Receipt	
Transportation — 1.0% SDR Swedish Depositary Receipt	
21,000 GATX Corp	
<b>TOTAL OTHER</b> 6,239,205 8,312,294	
TOTAL COMMON STOCKS226,916,976266,151,262	

# Statement of Assets and Liabilities June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)

Assets:	
Investments, at value (cost \$240,892,402)	\$ 280,126,256
Cash	14,381
Foreign currency, at value (cost \$390)	390
Receivable for investments sold	18,440
Dividends and interest receivable	1,155,365
Deferred offering expense	205,700
Prepaid expenses	8,541
Total Assets	281,529,073
Liabilities:	
Distributions payable	21,928
Payable for investments purchased	143,658
Payable for investment advisory fees	233,808
Payable for payroll expenses	73,128
Payable for accounting fees	7,500
Payable for legal and audit fees	60,293
Payable for shareholder communications	41,376
Note payable, maturity 12/31/24 (See Notes 2 and	
7)	20,477,094
Other accrued expenses	93,351
Total Liabilities	21,152,136
Cumulative Preferred Shares \$0.001 par value:	
Series C Preferred Shares (5.375%, \$25	
liquidation value per share, 2,000,000 shares	
authorized with 1,958,235 shares issued and	40.055.075
outstanding)	48,955,875
Net Assets Attributable to Common	
Shareholders	<u>\$ 211,421,062</u>
Net Assets Attributable to Common Shareholders	
Consist of:	
Paid-in capital.	\$ 181,438,561
Total distributable earnings	29,982,501
Net Assets	\$ 211,421,062
	φ 211,421,002
Net Asset Value per Common Share:	
(\$211,421,062 ÷ 75,791,186 shares outstanding	
at \$0.001 par value; unlimited number of shares	• •
authorized)	<u>\$ 2.79</u>

### **Statement of Operations**

### For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)

#### Investment Income:

investment moome.	
Dividends (net of foreign withholding	
taxes of \$107,307)	\$ 4,869,796
	629,661
	5,499,457
Expenses:	
Investment advisory fees	1,411,924
Interest expense on note	528,565
Shareholder communications expenses	86,884
Payroll expenses.	63,498
Legal and audit fees	61,768
Trustees' fees	58,000
Shareholder services fees	51,307
Accounting fees	22,500
Custodian fees	19,179
Miscellaneous expenses	90,909
Total Expenses	2,394,534
Less:	
Expenses paid indirectly by broker (See Note 5) .	(2,013)
Custodian fee credits	(182)
Total Credits and Reductions	(2,195)
Net Expenses	2,392,339
Net Investment Income	3,107,118
Net Realized and Unrealized Gain/(Loss) on	
Investments and Foreign Currency:	
Net realized loss on investments	(828,926)
Net realized gain on foreign currency transactions	4,686
Net realized loss on investments and foreign currency	
transactions	(824,240)
Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation:	(024,240)
on investments	8,875,379
on foreign currency translations	(2,402)
	(2,402)
Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation or	ו
investments and foreign currency translations	8,872,977
Net Realized and Unrealized Gain/(Loss) on	
Investments and Foreign Currency	8,048,737
Net Increase in Net Assets Resulting from	
Operations	11,155,855
Total Distributions to Preferred Shareholders	(1,307,114)
Net Increase in Net Assets Attributable to	
Common Shareholders Resulting from	
Operations	\$ 9,848,741

# The Gabelli Utility Trust

### Statement of Changes in Net Assets Attributable to Common Shareholders

	Six Months Ended June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	Year Ended December 31, 2023
Operations: Net investment income	\$ 3,107,118 (824,240) <u>8,872,977</u> 11,155,855	\$ 6,695,705 (7,078,104) (10,773,155) (11,155,554)
Distributions to Preferred Shareholders from Accumulated Earnings	(1,307,114)*	(3,033,943)
Net Increase/(Decrease) in Net Assets Attributable to Common Shareholders Resulting from Operations	9,848,741	(14,189,497)
Distributions to Common Shareholders: Accumulated earnings Return of capital	(1,357,612)* (21,269,253)*	(3,858,958) (40,828,185)
Total Distributions to Common Shareholders	(22,626,865)	(44,687,143)
Fund Share Transactions:         Net increase in net assets from common shares issued upon reinvestment of distributions.         Net increase in net assets from repurchase of preferred shares         Offering costs for common shares charged to paid-in capital         Net Increase in Net Assets from Fund Share Transactions	3,471,629 14,339 (150) 3,485,818	7,571,314 1,806,203 (450) 9,377,067
Net Decrease in Net Assets Attributable to Common Shareholders	(9,292,306)	(49,499,573)
Net Assets Attributable to Common Shareholders: Beginning of year End of period	<u>220,713,368</u> <u>\$211,421,062</u>	<u>270,212,941</u> <u>\$220,713,368</u>

\* Based on year to date book income. Amounts are subject to change and recharacterization at year end.

# The Gabelli Utility Trust Statement of Cash Flows For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)

Net increase in net assets attributable to common shareholders resulting from operations	\$	9,848,741
Adjustments to Reconcile Net Increase in Net Assets Resulting from Operations to Net Cash from Operating		
Activities:		(0 5 4 0 0 7 0)
Purchase of long term investment securities		(6,546,970)
Proceeds from sales of long term investment securities.		7,079,332
Net sales of short term investment securities.		18,293,399
Net realized loss on investments		828,926
Net change in unrealized appreciation on investments		(8,875,379)
Net amortization of discount		(629,633)
Decrease in receivable for investments sold.		126,352
Increase in dividends and interest receivable.		(312,985)
Increase in deferred offering expense		(145,178)
Increase in prepaid expenses		(885)
Decrease in payable for investments purchased.		(957)
Decrease in payable for shareholder communications expenses		(66,277)
Decrease in payable for investment advisory fees		(12,099)
Decrease in payable for legal and audit fees		(63,914)
Decrease in payable for payroll expenses		(9,569)
Increase in payable for accounting fees		3,750
Increase in other accrued expenses		54,986
Net cash provided by operating activities		19,571,640
Net decrease in net assets resulting from financing activities:		
Issuance of Series A 5.250% Cumulative Preferred Shares		(20,477,094)
Redemption of Series B 0.069% Cumulative Preferred Shares.		(50,000)
Redemption of Series C 5.375% Cumulative Preferred Shares.		(377,875)
Increase in offering cost charged to paid in capital		(150)
Distributions to common shareholders		(22,644,753)
Repurchase of preferred shares		14,339
Net increase in net assets from common shares issued upon reinvestment of distributions		3,471,629
Net cash used in financing activities		(40,063,904)
Net decrease in cash		(20,492,264)
Cash (including foreign currency):		
Beginning of year		33,981
	\$	(20,458,283)
Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information:	•	
Interest paid on preferred shares.	\$	528,565
Increase in net assets from common shares issued upon reinvestment of distributions		3,471,629
The following table provides a reconciliation of cash and foreign currency reported within the Statement of Assets and to the total of the same amount above at June 30, 2024:	l Liabi	lities that sum
Cash		14,381
Foreign currency, at value		390
<b>o</b> <i>µ</i> -	\$	1/ 771

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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Selected data for a common share of beneficial interest outstanding throughout each period:

	Six Months Ended June		Voor En	dad Daaamhar 21		
	30, 2024 (Unaudited)	2023	2022	ded December 31, 2021	2020	2019
Operating Performance:	(onadance)					
Net asset value, beginning of year Net investment income	<u>\$ 2.94</u> 0.04	<u>\$ 3.65</u> 0.09	<u>\$ 4.35</u> 0.08	<u>\$ 4.11</u> 0.07	<u>\$5.03</u> 0.09	<u>\$ 4.61</u> 0.11
on investments, swap contracts, and foreign currency transactions	0.11	(0.23)	(0.33)	0.69	(0.35)	0.99
Total from investment operations	0.15	(0.14)	(0.25)	0.76	(0.26)	1.10
Distributions to Preferred Shareholders:						
(a) Net investment income Net realized gain	(0.02)*	(0.04)	(0.02) (0.03)	(0.04) (0.04)	(0.10)	(0.02) (0.08)
Return of capital					(0.00)(b)	
Total distributions to preferred shareholders Net Increase/(Decrease) in Net Assets	(0.02)	(0.04)	(0.05)	(0.08)	(0.10)	(0.10)
Attributable to Common Shareholders Resulting from Operations	0.13	(0.18)	(0.30)	0.68	(0.36)	1.00
Distributions to Common Shareholders:					(	
Net investment income	(0.02)*	(0.05)	(0.05)	(0.04)	—	(0.09)
Net realized gain	_	_	(0.06)	(0.05)	_	(0.39)
Return of capital	(0.28)*	(0.55)	(0.49)	(0.51)	(0.60)	(0.12)
Total distributions to common shareholders	(0.30)	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.60)
Fund Share Transactions:						
Increase in net asset value from common share transactions			0.16	0.13		
Increase in net asset value from common shares issued upon reinvestment of			0.10	0.15		
distributions	0.02	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.02
repurchase of preferred shares Offering costs and adjustments to offering	0.00(b)	0.02	0.00(b)	_	_	_
costs for preferred shares charged or credited to paid-in capital	_	_	_	_	_	0.00(b)
Offering costs and adjustment to offering costs for common shares charged to		(0,00)(h)	(0.01)	(0.01)		
paid-in capital	(0.00)(b)	(0.00)(b)	(0.01)	(0.01)		
Total Fund share transactions	0.02	0.07	0.20	0.16	0.04	0.02
Shareholders, End of Period	<u>\$ 2.79</u>	<u>\$ 2.94</u>	<u>\$ 3.65</u>	<u>\$ 4.35</u>	<u>\$ 4.11</u>	<u>\$ 5.03</u>
NAV total return †	5.50%	(3.07)%	(5.94)%	18.13%	(5.37)%	23.21%
Market value, end of period	<u>\$5.92</u> 15.49%	<u>\$5.42</u> (20.64)%	<u>\$7.51</u> 3.31%	<u>\$ 8.24</u> 13.91%	<u>\$8.12</u> 13.88%	<u>\$7.77</u> 42.99%
Ratios to Average Net Assets and	15.49%	(20.04)%	3.31%	13.91%	13.00 %	42.99%
Supplemental Data:						
Net assets including liquidation value of preferred shares, end of period (in						
000's)	\$ 280,854 See accor	\$ 290,574 npanying notes to	\$ 342,394 financial statemen	\$ 378,630 ts.	\$ 327,593	\$ 374,625

Selected data for a common share of beneficial interest outstanding throughout each period:

	Enc	: Months led June ), 2024				Year End	ed D	ecember 31,				
		audited)		2023		2022		2021		2020		2019
Net assets attributable to common shares, end of period (in 000's) Ratio of net investment income to average net assets attributable to	\$	211,421	\$	220,713	\$	270,213	\$	277,297	\$	226,261	\$	273,293
common shares before preferred share distributions Ratio of operating expenses to average net assets attributable to common shares before fees waived/fee reduction		2.84%(c)		2.78%		1.89%		1.61%		2.16%		2.30%
(d)(e) Ratio of operating expenses to average net assets attributable to common shares net of fees waived/fee reduction,		2.19%(c)		1.93%		1.62%		1.75%		1.84%		1.64%(f)
if any (d)(g) Portfolio turnover rate		2.19%(c) 2%		1.86%(h) 2%		1.54%(h)(i) 7%		1.75% 10%		1.62% 19%		1.64%(f) 23%
Notes:												
Note Payable												
Asset coverage per \$1,000 (k)	\$	4,045	\$	4,159		—		—		—		—
Amount of Note outstanding (in 000's) .	\$	20,477	\$	20,477		_		_		_		_
Cumulative Preferred Shares:												
5.625% Series A Preferred(I)							ሱ	00.000	ሱ	00.000	۴	00.000
Liquidation value, end of period (in 000's)		—		—		—	\$	28,832	\$	28,832	\$	28,832
Total shares outstanding (in 000's)		—		—		—	•	1,153	φ.	1,153	٠	1,153
Liquidation preference per share		—		_		—	\$	25.00	\$	25.00	\$	25.00
Average market value (j).		—		_		—	\$	26.93	\$	26.78	\$	26.19
Asset coverage per share (m)		_		_		_	\$	93.41	\$	80.82	\$	92.43
Auction Market Series B Preferred (n)						~~ ~~~		~~ ~~~		~~ ~~~	•	~~ ~~~
Liquidation value, end of period (in 000's)			\$	50	\$	22,500	\$	22,500	\$	22,500	\$	22,500
Total shares outstanding (in 000's)		—	•	0(0)	•	1	•	1	•	1	•	1
Liquidation preference per share		—	\$	25,000	\$	25,000	\$	25,000	\$	25,000	\$	25,000
Liquidation value (p)		_	\$	25,000	\$	25,000	\$	25,000	\$	25,000	\$	25,000
Asset coverage per share(m)			\$	103,983	\$	118,589	\$	93,413	\$	80,821	\$	92,425
5.375% Series C Preferred	•					10.001					•	
Liquidation value, end of period (in 000's)	\$	48,956	\$	49,334	\$	49,681	\$	50,000	\$	50,000	\$	50,000
Total shares outstanding (in 000's)	٠	1,958	•	1,973	٠	1,987	۵	2,000	•	2,000	•	2,000
Liquidation preference per share	\$	25.00	\$	25.00	\$	25.00	\$	25.00	\$	25.00	\$	25.00
Average market value (j).	\$	24.04	\$	23.99	\$	25.00	\$	26.02	\$	25.96	\$	25.90
Asset coverage per share (m)	\$	101.12 404%	\$	103.98 416%	\$	118.59 474%	\$	93.41 374%	\$	80.82	\$	92.43
Asset Coverage (k)		40470		41070		4/470		3/4%		323%		370%

Based on net asset value per share, adjusted for reinvestment of distributions at the net asset value per share on the ex-dividend dates and adjustments for the rights offering. Total return for a period of less than one year is not annualized.

++ Based on market value per share, adjusted for reinvestment of distributions at prices determined under the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan and adjustments for the rights offering. Total return for a period of less than one year is not annualized.

\* Based on year to date book income. Amounts are subject to change and recharacterization at year end.

(a) Calculated based on average common shares outstanding on the record dates throughout the periods.

(b) Amount represents less than \$0.005 per share.

(c) Annualized.

# The Gabelli Utility Trust Financial Highlights (Continued)

- (d) The Fund received credits from a designated broker who agreed to pay certain Fund operating expenses. For all periods presented, there was no impact on the expense ratios.
- (e) Ratio of operating expenses to average net assets including liquidation value of preferred shares before fee waived for the six months ended June 30, 2024 and the years ended December 31, 2023, 2022, 2021, 2020, and 2019 would have been 1.70%, 1.49%, 1.28%, 1.26%, 1.28%, and 1.19%, respectively.
- (f) In 2019, due to failed auctions relating to previous fiscal years, the Fund reversed accumulated auction agent fees. The 2019 ratio of operating expenses to average net assets attributable to common shares and the ratio of operating expenses to average net assets including the liquidation value of preferred shares, excluding the reversal of auction agent fees, were 1.71% and 1.24%, respectively.
- (g) Ratio of operating expenses to average net assets including liquidation value of preferred shares net of advisory fee reduction for the six months ended June 30, 2024 and years ended December 31, 2023, 2022, 2020, and 2019 would have been 1.69%, 1.43%, 1.22%, 1.12%, and 1.19%, respectively.
- (h) The Fund received credits from the custodian. For the six months ended June 30, 2024 and the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, there was no impact on the expense ratios.
- (i) The ratio of operating expenses excluding interest, dividends and service fees on securities sold short, and offering costs to average net assets attributable to common shares for the year ended December 31, 2022 would have been 1.54%.
- (j) Based on weekly prices.
- (k) Asset coverage is calculated by combining all series of preferred shares and indebtedness.
- (I) The Fund redeemed and retired all its outstanding Series A Preferred Shares on January 31, 2022.
- (m) Asset coverage per share is calculated by combining all series of preferred shares.
- (n) The Fund redeemed and retired all its outstanding Series B Preferred Shares on June 26, 2024.
- (o) Actual number of shares outstanding is two.
- (p) Since February 2008, the weekly auctions have failed. Holders that have submitted orders have not been able to sell any or all of their shares in the auction.

**1. Organization.** The Gabelli Utility Trust (the Fund) was organized on February 25, 1999 as a Delaware statutory trust. The Fund is a diversified closed-end management investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the 1940 Act). The Fund commenced investment operations on July 9, 1999.

The Fund's primary objective is long term growth of capital and income. The Fund will invest 80% of its assets, under normal market conditions, in common stocks and other securities of foreign and domestic companies involved in providing products, services, or equipment for (i) the generation or distribution of electricity, gas, and water and (ii) telecommunications services or infrastructure operations (the 80% Policy). The 80% Policy may be changed without shareholder approval. However, the Fund has adopted a policy to provide shareholders with notice at least sixty days prior to the implementation of any change in the 80% Policy.

**2. Significant Accounting Policies.** As an investment company, the Fund follows the investment company accounting and reporting guidance, which is part of U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) that may require the use of management estimates and assumptions in the preparation of its financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates. The following is a summary of significant accounting policies followed by the Fund in the preparation of its financial statements.

**Security Valuation.** Portfolio securities listed or traded on a nationally recognized securities exchange or traded in the U.S. over-the-counter market for which market quotations are readily available are valued at the last quoted sale price or a market's official closing price as of the close of business on the day the securities are being valued. If there were no sales that day, the security is valued at the average of the closing bid and asked prices or, if there were no asked prices quoted on that day, then the security is valued at the closing bid price on that day. If no bid or asked prices are quoted on such day, the security is valued at the most recently available price or, if the Board of Trustees (the Board) so determines, by such other method as the Board shall determine in good faith to reflect its fair market value. Portfolio securities traded on more than one national securities exchange or market are valued according to the broadest and most representative market, as determined by Gabelli Funds, LLC (the Adviser).

Portfolio securities primarily traded on a foreign market are generally valued at the preceding closing values of such securities on the relevant market, but may be fair valued pursuant to procedures established by the Board if market conditions change significantly after the close of the foreign market, but prior to the close of business on the day the securities are being valued. Debt obligations for which market quotations are readily available are valued at the average of the latest bid and asked prices. If there were no asked prices quoted on such day, the securities are valued using the closing bid price, unless the Board determines such amount does not reflect the securities' fair value, in which case these securities will be fair valued as determined by the Board. Certain securities are valued principally using dealer quotations. Futures contracts are valued at the closing settlement price of the exchange or board of trade on which the applicable contract is traded. OTC futures and options on futures for which market quotations are readily available will be valued by quotations received from a pricing service or, if no quotations are available from a pricing service, by quotations obtained from one or more dealers in the instrument in question by the Adviser.

Securities and assets for which market quotations are not readily available are fair valued as determined by the Board. Fair valuation methodologies and procedures may include, but are not limited to: analysis and review of available financial and non-financial information about the company; comparisons with the valuation and changes in valuation of similar securities, including a comparison of foreign securities with the equivalent U.S.

dollar value American Depositary Receipt securities at the close of the U.S. exchange; and evaluation of any other information that could be indicative of the value of the security.

The inputs and valuation techniques used to measure fair value of the Fund's investments are summarized into three levels as described in the hierarchy below:

- 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.); and
- Level 3 significant unobservable inputs (including the Board's determinations as to the fair value of investments).

A financial instrument's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input both individually and in the aggregate that is significant to the fair value measurement. The inputs or methodology used for valuing securities are not necessarily an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities.

The summary of the Fund's investments in securities by inputs used to value the Fund's investments as of June 30, 2024 is as follows:

			Valua	ation Inputs					
	Q	Level 1 uoted Prices				ignificant ervable is (a)	Total Market Value at 06/30/24		
INVESTMENTS IN SECURITIES:									
ASSETS (Market Value):									
Common Stocks:									
Communications									
Telecommunications	\$	19,085,132		—	\$	140	\$	19,085,272	
Other Industries (b)		11,971,753		—		_		11,971,753	
Energy and Utilities									
Equipment and Supplies		3,670,880	\$	1,050		_		3,671,930	
Other Industries (b)		223,110,013		—		_		223,110,013	
Other (b)		8,312,294		—		—		8,312,294	
Total Common Stocks		266,150,072		1,050		140		266,151,262	
Warrants (b)		1,650		—		_		1,650	
U.S. Government Obligations		—		13,973,344		—		13,973,344	
TOTAL INVESTMENTS IN SECURITIES – ASSETS	\$	266,151,722	\$	13,974,394	\$	140	\$	280,126,256	

(a) The inputs for this security are not readily available and are derived based on the judgment of the Adviser according to procedures approved by the Board.

(b) Please refer to the Schedule of Investments for the industry classifications of these portfolio holdings.

During the six months ended June 30, 2024, the Fund did not have material transfers into or out of Level 3. The Fund's policy is to recognize transfers among levels as of the beginning of the reporting period.

### Additional Information to Evaluate Qualitative Information.

**General.** The Fund uses recognized industry pricing services – approved by the Board and unaffiliated with the Adviser – to value most of its securities, and uses broker quotes provided by market makers of securities not valued by these and other recognized pricing sources. Several different pricing feeds are received to value domestic equity securities, international equity securities, preferred equity securities, and fixed income securities. The data within these feeds are ultimately sourced from major stock exchanges and trading systems where these securities trade. The prices supplied by external sources are checked by obtaining quotations or actual transaction prices from market participants. If a price obtained from the pricing source is deemed unreliable, prices will be sought from another pricing service or from a broker/dealer that trades that security or similar securities.

*Fair Valuation.* Fair valued securities may be common or preferred equities, warrants, options, rights, or fixed income obligations. Where appropriate, Level 3 securities are those for which market quotations are not available, such as securities not traded for several days, or for which current bids are not available, or which are restricted as to transfer. When fair valuing a security, factors to consider include recent prices of comparable securities that are publicly traded, reliable prices of securities not publicly traded, the use of valuation models, current analyst reports, valuing the income or cash flow of the issuer, or cost if the preceding factors do not apply. A significant change in the unobservable inputs could result in a lower or higher value in Level 3 securities. The circumstances of Level 3 securities are frequently monitored to determine if fair valuation measures continue to apply.

The Adviser reports quarterly to the Board the results of the application of fair valuation policies and procedures. These may include backtesting the prices realized in subsequent trades of these fair valued securities to fair values previously recognized.

**Derivative Financial Instruments.** The Fund may engage in various portfolio investment strategies by investing in derivative financial instruments for the purposes of increasing the income of the Fund, hedging against changes in the value of its portfolio securities and in the value of securities it intends to purchase, or hedging against a specific transaction with respect to either the currency in which the transaction is denominated or another currency. Investing in certain derivative financial instruments, including participation in the options, futures, or swap markets, entails certain execution, liquidity, hedging, tax, and securities, interest, credit, or currency market risks. Losses may arise if the Adviser's prediction of movements in the direction of the securities, foreign currency, and interest rate markets is inaccurate. Losses may also arise if the counterparty does not perform its duties under a contract, or, in the event of default, the Fund may be delayed in or prevented from obtaining payments or other contractual remedies owed to it under derivative contracts. The creditworthiness of the counterparties is closely monitored in order to minimize these risks. Participation in derivative transactions involves investment risks, transaction costs, and potential losses to which the Fund would not be subject absent the use of these strategies. The consequences of these risks, transaction costs, and losses may have a negative impact on the Fund's ability to pay distributions.

Collateral requirements differ by type of derivative. Collateral requirements are set by the broker or exchange clearing house for exchange traded derivatives, while collateral terms are contract specific for derivatives traded over-the-counter. Securities pledged to cover obligations of the Fund under derivative contracts are noted in the Schedule of Investments. Cash collateral, if any, pledged for the same purpose will be reported separately in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities.

The Fund's policy with respect to offsetting is that, absent an event of default by the counterparty or a termination of the agreement, the master agreement does not result in an offset of reported amounts of financial assets and financial liabilities in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities across transactions between the Fund and the applicable counterparty. The enforceability of the right to offset may vary by jurisdiction.

The Fund's derivative contracts held at June 30, 2024, if any, are not accounted for as hedging instruments under GAAP and are disclosed in the Schedule of Investments together with the related counterparty.

*Swap Agreements*. The Fund may enter into equity contract for difference swap transactions for the purpose of increasing the income of the Fund. The use of swaps is a highly specialized activity that involves investment techniques and risks different from those associated with ordinary portfolio security transactions. In an equity contract for difference swap, a set of future cash flows is exchanged between two counterparties. One of these cash flow streams will typically be based on a reference interest rate combined with the performance of a notional value of shares of a stock. The other will be based on the performance of the shares of a stock. Depending on the general state of short term interest rates and the returns on the Fund's portfolio securities at the time an equity contract for difference swap transaction reaches its scheduled termination date, there is a risk that the Fund will not be able to obtain a replacement transaction or that the terms of the replacement will not be as favorable as on the expiring transaction.

Unrealized gains related to swaps are reported as an asset and unrealized losses are reported as a liability in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities. The change in the value of swaps, including the accrual of periodic amounts of interest to be received or paid on swaps, is reported as unrealized gain or loss in the Statement of Operations. A realized gain or loss is recorded upon receipt or payment of a periodic payment or termination of swap agreements. At June 30, 2024, the Fund held no investments in equity contract for difference swap agreements.

Limitations on the Purchase and Sale of Futures Contracts, Certain Options, and Swaps. Subject to the guidelines of the Board, the Fund may engage in "commodity interest" transactions (generally, transactions in futures, certain options, certain currency transactions, and certain types of swaps) only for bona fide hedging or other permissible transactions in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (CFTC). Pursuant to amendments by the CFTC to Rule 4.5 under the Commodity Exchange Act (CEA), the Adviser has filed a notice of exemption from registration as a "commodity pool operator" with respect to the Fund. The Fund and the Adviser are therefore not subject to registration or regulation as a commodity pool operator under the CEA. In addition, certain trading restrictions are now applicable to the Fund which permit the Fund to engage in commodity interest transactions that include (i) "bona fide hedging" transactions, as that term is defined and interpreted by the CFTC and its staff, without regard to the percentage of the Fund's assets committed to margin and options premiums and (ii) non-bona fide hedging transactions, provided that the Fund does not enter into such non-bona fide hedging transactions if, immediately thereafter, either (a) the sum of the amount of initial margin deposits on the Fund's existing futures positions or swaps positions and option or swaption premiums would exceed 5% of the market value of the Fund's liquidating value, after taking into account unrealized profits and unrealized losses on any such transactions, or (b) the aggregate net notional value of the Fund's commodity interest transactions would not exceed 100% of the market value of the Fund's liquidating value, after taking into account unrealized profits and unrealized losses on any such transactions. Therefore, in order to claim the Rule 4.5 exemption, the Fund is limited in its ability to invest in commodity futures, options, and certain types of swaps (including securities futures, broad based stock index futures, and

financial futures contracts). As a result, in the future the Fund will be more limited in its ability to use these instruments than in the past, and these limitations may have a negative impact on the ability of the Adviser to manage the Fund, and on the Fund's performance.

Securities Sold Short. The Fund may enter into short sale transactions. Short selling involves selling securities that may or may not be owned and, at times, borrowing the same securities for delivery to the purchaser, with an obligation to replace such borrowed securities at a later date. The proceeds received from short sales are recorded as liabilities and the Fund records an unrealized gain or loss to the extent of the difference between the proceeds received and the value of an open short position on the day of determination. The Fund records a realized gain or loss when the short position is closed out. By entering into a short sale, the Fund bears the market risk of an unfavorable change in the price of the security sold short. Dividends on short sales are recorded as an expense by the Fund on the ex-dividend date and interest expense is recorded on the accrual basis. The broker retains collateral for the value of the open positions, which is adjusted periodically as the value of the position fluctuates. During the six months ended June 30, 2024 there were no short sales outstanding.

*Foreign Currency Translations.* The books and records of the Fund are maintained in U.S. dollars. Foreign currencies, investments, and other assets and liabilities are translated into U.S. dollars at current exchange rates. Purchases and sales of investment securities, income, and expenses are translated at the exchange rate prevailing on the respective dates of such transactions. Unrealized gains and losses that result from changes in foreign exchange rates and/or changes in market prices of securities have been included in unrealized appreciation/depreciation on investments and foreign currency translations. Net realized foreign currency gains and losses resulting from changes in exchange rates include foreign currency gains and losses between trade date and settlement date on investment securities transactions, foreign currency transactions, and the difference between the amounts of interest and dividends recorded on the books of the Fund and the amounts actually received. The portion of foreign currency gains and losses related to fluctuation in exchange rates between the initial purchase trade date and subsequent sale trade date is included in realized gain/(loss) on investments.

*Foreign Securities.* The Fund may directly purchase securities of foreign issuers. Investing in securities of foreign issuers involves special risks not typically associated with investing in securities of U.S. issuers. The risks include possible revaluation of currencies, the inability to repatriate funds, less complete financial information about companies, and possible future adverse political and economic developments. Moreover, securities of many foreign issuers and their markets may be less liquid and their prices more volatile than securities of comparable U.S. issuers.

*Foreign Taxes.* The Fund may be subject to foreign taxes on income, gains on investments, or currency repatriation, a portion of which may be recoverable. The Fund will accrue such taxes and recoveries as applicable, based upon its current interpretation of tax rules and regulations that exist in the markets in which it invests.

**Restricted Securities.** The Fund is not subject to an independent limitation on the amount it may invest in securities for which the markets are restricted. Restricted securities include securities whose disposition is subject to substantial legal or contractual restrictions. The sale of restricted securities often requires more time and results in higher brokerage charges or dealer discounts and other selling expenses than the sale of securities eligible for trading on national securities exchanges or in the over-the-counter markets. Restricted securities may sell at a price lower than similar securities that are not subject to restrictions on resale. Securities freely saleable among qualified institutional investors under special rules adopted by the SEC may be treated as liquid if they satisfy liquidity standards established by the Board. The continued liquidity of such securities is

not as well assured as that of publicly traded securities, and, accordingly, the Board will monitor their liquidity. At June 30, 2024, the Fund held no restricted securities.

Securities Transactions and Investment Income. Securities transactions are accounted for on the trade date with realized gain/(loss) on investments determined by using the identified cost method. Interest income (including amortization of premium and accretion of discount) is recorded on an accrual basis. Premiums and discounts on debt securities are amortized using the effective yield to maturity method or amortized to earliest call date, if applicable. Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date, except for certain dividends from foreign securities that are recorded as soon after the ex-dividend date as the Fund becomes aware of such dividends.

*Custodian Fee Credits and Interest Expense.* When cash balances are maintained in the custody account, the Fund receives credits which are used to offset custodian fees. The gross expenses paid under the custody arrangement are included in custodian fees in the Statement of Operations with the corresponding expense offset, if any, shown as "Custodian fee credits." When cash balances are overdrawn, the Fund is charged an overdraft fee of 110% of the 90 day U.S. Treasury Bill rate on outstanding balances. This amount, if any, would be included in the Statement of Operations.

**Distributions to Shareholders.** Distributions to common shareholders are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Distributions to shareholders are based on income and capital gains as determined in accordance with federal income tax regulations, which may differ from income and capital gains as determined under GAAP. These differences are primarily due to differing treatments of income and gains on various investment securities and foreign currency transactions held by the Fund, timing differences, and differing characterizations of distributions made by the Fund. Distributions from net investment income for federal income tax purposes include net realized gains on foreign currency transactions. These book/tax differences are either temporary or permanent in nature. To the extent these differences are permanent, adjustments are made to the appropriate capital accounts in the period when the differences arise. These reclassifications have no impact on the NAV of the Fund.

The Fund declares and pays monthly distributions from net investment income, capital gains, and paid-in capital. The actual source of the distribution is determined after the end of the year. Distributions during the year may be made in excess of required distributions. To the extent such distributions are made from current earnings and profits, they are considered ordinary income or long term capital gains. Distributions sourced from paid-in capital should not be considered as dividend yield or the total return from an investment in the Fund. The Board will continue to monitor the Fund's distribution level, taking into consideration the Fund's NAV and the financial market environment. The Fund's distribution policy is subject to modification by the Board at any time.

Distributions to shareholders of the Fund's 5.375% Series C Cumulative Preferred Shares (Series C Preferred), and interest expense on the Note are recorded on a daily basis and are determined as described in Note 7.

The tax character of distributions paid during the year ended December 31, 2023 was as follows:

	_	Common	Preferred
Distributions paid from:			
Ordinary income	\$	3,858,958	\$ 3,033,943
Return of capital		40,828,185	-
Total distributions paid	\$	44,687,143	\$ 3,033,943

**Provision for Income Taxes.** The Fund intends to continue to qualify as a regulated investment company under Subchapter M of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the Code). It is the policy of the Fund to comply with the requirements of the Code applicable to regulated investment companies and to distribute substantially all of its net investment company taxable income and net capital gains. Therefore, no provision for federal income taxes is required.

The Fund is permitted to carry capital losses forward for an unlimited period. Capital losses that are carried forward will retain their character as either short term or long term capital losses. The Fund has a long term capital loss carryforward with no expiration of \$6,848,448.

The following summarizes the tax cost of investments and the related net unrealized appreciation at June 30, 2024:

		Gross	Gross	
		Unrealized	Unrealized	Net Unrealized
	Cost	Appreciation	Depreciation	Appreciation
Investments	\$242,401,482	\$55,175,411	\$(17,450,637)	\$37,724,774

The Fund is required to evaluate tax positions taken or expected to be taken in the course of preparing the Fund's tax returns to determine whether the tax positions are "more-likely-than-not" of being sustained by the applicable tax authority. Income tax and related interest and penalties would be recognized by the Fund as tax expense in the Statement of Operations if the tax positions were deemed not to meet the more-likely-than-not threshold. For the six months ended June 30, 2024, the Fund did not incur any income tax, interest, or penalties. As of June 30, 2024, the Adviser has reviewed all open tax years and concluded that there was no impact to the Fund's net assets or results of operations. The Fund's federal and state tax returns for the prior three fiscal years remain open, subject to examination. On an ongoing basis, the Adviser will monitor the Fund's tax positions to determine if adjustments to this conclusion are necessary.

**3. Investment Advisory Agreement and Other Transactions.** The Fund has entered into an investment advisory agreement (the Advisory Agreement) with the Adviser which provides that the Fund will pay the Adviser a fee, computed weekly and paid monthly, equal on an annual basis to 1.00% of the value of its average weekly net assets including the liquidation value of the preferred shares. In accordance with the Advisory Agreement, the Adviser provides a continuous investment program for the Fund's portfolio and oversees the administration of all aspects of the Fund's business and affairs.

The Adviser had agreed to reduce the management fee on the incremental assets attributable to the Series B Preferred if the total return of the NAV of the common shares of the Fund, including distributions and advisory fee subject to reduction, did not exceed the stated dividend rates of the Series B Preferred for the year. The Fund's total return on the NAV of the common shares is monitored on a monthly basis to assess whether the total return on the NAV of the common shares exceeds the dividend rate of the Series B Preferred for the period. For the six months ended June 30, 2024, the Fund's total return on the NAV of the common shares C Preferred. Thus, advisory fees with respect to the liquidation value of this Preferred Shares were accrued.

**4. Portfolio Securities.** Purchases and sales of securities during the six months ended June 30, 2024, other than short term securities and U.S. Government obligations, aggregated \$5,883,755 and \$5,916,808,

respectively. Purchases and sales of U.S. Government obligations for the six months ended June 30, 2024, aggregated \$47,666,400 and \$65,959,799, respectively.

**5. Transactions with Affiliates and Other Arrangements.** During the six months ended June 30, 2024, the Fund paid \$1,580 in brokerage commissions on security trades to G.research, LLC, an affiliate of the Adviser.

During the six months ended June 30, 2024, the Fund received credits from a designated broker who agreed to pay certain Fund operating expenses. The amount of such expenses paid through this directed brokerage arrangement during this period was \$2,013.

The cost of calculating the Fund's NAV per share is a Fund expense pursuant to the Advisory Agreement between the Fund and the Adviser. Under the sub-administration agreement with Bank of New York Mellon, the fees paid include the cost of calculating the Fund's NAV. The Fund reimburses the Adviser for this service. During the six months ended June 30, 2024, the Fund accrued \$22,500 in accounting fees in the Statement of Operations.

As per the approval of the Board, the Fund compensates officers of the Fund, who are employed by the Fund and are not employed by the Adviser (although the officers may receive incentive based variable compensation from affiliates of the Adviser). During the six months ended June 30, 2024, the Fund accrued \$63,498 in payroll expenses in the Statement of Operations.

The Fund pays retainer and per meeting fees to Trustees not affiliated with the Adviser, plus specified amounts to the Lead Trustee and Audit Committee Chairman. Trustees are also reimbursed for out of pocket expenses incurred in attending meetings. Trustees who are directors or employees of the Adviser or an affiliated company receive no compensation or expense reimbursement from the Fund.

6. Line of Credit. The Fund participates in an unsecured line of credit, which expires on June 25, 2025 and may be renewed annually, of up to \$75,000,000 under which it may borrow up to one-third of its net assets from the bank for temporary borrowing purposes. Borrowings under this arrangement bear interest at a floating rate equal to the higher of the Overnight Federal Funds Rate plus 135 basis points or the Overnight Bank Funding Rate plus 135 basis points in effect on that day. This amount, if any, would be included in "Interest expense" in the Statement of Operations.

During the six months ended June 30, 2024, there were no borrowings outstanding under the line of credit.

**7. Capital.** The Fund is authorized to issue an unlimited number of shares of beneficial interest (par value \$0.001). The Board has authorized the repurchase of its common shares on the open market when the shares are trading at a discount of 10% or more (or such other percentage as the Board may determine from time to time) from the NAV of the shares. During the six months ended June 30, 2024 and the year ended December 31, 2023, the Fund did not repurchase any common shares of beneficial interest in the open market.

Transactions in shares of beneficial interest were as follows:

	Six Mont June 3 (Unat	 24	Year Ended December 31, 2023			
	Shares	 Amount	Shares		Amount	
Net increase in net assets from common shares issued upon reinvestment of						
distributions	648,976	\$ 3,471,629	1,199,062	\$	7,571,314	

The Fund's Declaration of Trust, as amended, authorizes the issuance of an unlimited number of shares of \$0.001 par value Preferred Shares. The Preferred Shares are senior to the common shares and result in the financial leveraging of the common shares. Such leveraging tends to magnify both the risks and opportunities to common shareholders. Dividends on the Preferred Shares are cumulative. The Fund is required by the 1940 Act and by the Statement of Additional Information to meet certain asset coverage tests with respect to the Preferred Shares. If the Fund fails to meet these requirements and does not correct such failure, the Fund may be required to redeem, in part or in full, Series C Preferred Shares at the redemption price of \$25 per share plus an amount equal to the accumulated and unpaid dividends whether or not declared on such shares in order to meet these requirements. Additionally, failure to meet the foregoing asset coverage requirements could restrict the Fund's ability to pay dividends to common shareholders and could lead to sales of portfolio securities at inopportune times. The income received on the Fund's assets may vary in a manner unrelated to the fixed and variable rates, which could have either a beneficial or detrimental impact on investment income and gains available to common shareholders.

The Fund may redeem at any time, in whole or in part, the Series C Preferred at its liquidation preference of \$25. In addition, the Board has authorized the repurchase of the Series C Preferred in the open market at prices less than the \$25 liquidation value per share. During the six months ended June 30, 2024 and the year ended December 31, 2023, the Fund repurchased and retired 15,115 and 13,876 shares of the Series C Preferred Shares in the open market at an investment of \$363,536 and \$313,603 and at average discounts of approximately 3.8% and 9.6%, respectively, from its liquidation preference.

On October 16, 2023, the Fund completed an exchange offer (the Offer) under which owners of the Series B Preferred could exchange their Series B Preferred for newly issued promissory notes (the Notes) at the exchange ratio of \$912 per \$1,000 of liquidation preference of Series B Preferred validly tendered and not withdrawn pursuant to the Offer, and issued \$20,477,094 principal amount of Notes for the 898 Series B Preferred validly tendered and not withdrawn. The Notes bear an annual interest rate of 5.25%, and interest is paid monthly. The aggregate unpaid principal amount of the Notes, all accrued and unpaid interest, and all other amounts payable under the terms of the Notes will be due and payable on December 31, 2024. The carrying value of the Note Payable approximates fair value. The Note Payable is classified as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy. On June 26, 2024 the Fund redeemed all Series B Auction Rate Cumulative Preferred Shares at the redemption price of \$25,000 per share.

On January 31, 2022, the Fund redeemed all Series A Preferred at the Redemption Price of \$25.13671875 per share, which consisted of the liquidation preference of \$25.00 plus \$0.13671875 per share representing accumulated but unpaid dividends and distributions to the redemption date of January 31, 2022.

For Series B Preferred Shares, the dividend rates were typically set by an auction process held every seven days, and were typically expected to vary with short term interest rates. Since February 2008, the number of Series B Preferred Shares subject to bid orders by potential holders had been less than the number of shares of Series B sell orders. Holders that submitted sell orders had not been able to sell any or all of the Series B Preferred Shares for which they submitted sell orders. Therefore the weekly auctions that failed resulted in the dividend rate being the maximum rate.

Since December 31, 2021, the seven day ICE LIBOR rate ceased to be published and was no longer representative. Because the Series B Preferred Shares have no other effective alternative rate setting provision, a last resort fallback of fixing this LIBOR based reference rate at its last published rate applies. The last published seven day ICE LIBOR rate was 0.076%, which resulted in a maximum rate for Series B Preferred Shares of 2.076% for all failed auctions after December 31, 2021. In the absence of successful auctions that established dividend rates based on prevailing short term interest rates, this result could lead to divergent and unexpected economic results for the Fund and holders of the Series B Preferred Shares since the rates payable on the Series B Preferred Shares were no longer likely to be representative of prevailing market rates. On June 26, 2024, the Fund redeemed all outstanding Series B Preferred at the redemption price of \$25,000 per share.

The following table summarizes Cumulative Preferred Shares information:

			Number of				
			Shares			Dividend	Accrued
			Outstanding at		2024 Dividend	Rate at	Dividends at
Series	Issue Date	Authorized	6/30/2024	Net Proceeds	Rate Range	6/30/2024	6/30/2024
С 5.375%	May 31, 2016	2,000,000	1,958,235	\$48,142,029	Fixed Rate	5.375%	\$21,928

The holders of Preferred Shares generally are entitled to one vote per share held on each matter submitted to a vote of shareholders of the Fund and will vote together with holders of common stock as a single class. The holders of Preferred Shares voting together as a single class also have the right currently to elect two Trustees and under certain circumstances are entitled to elect a majority of the Board of Trustees. In addition, the affirmative vote of a majority of the votes entitled to be cast by holders of all outstanding shares of the preferred shares, voting as a single class, will be required to approve any plan of reorganization adversely affecting the preferred shares, and the approval of two-thirds of each class, voting separately, of the Fund's outstanding voting stock must approve the conversion of the Fund from a closed-end to an open-end investment company. The approval of a majority (as defined in the 1940 Act) of the outstanding preferred shares and a majority (as defined in the 1940 Act) of the Fund's outstanding voting securities are required to approve certain other actions, including changes in the Fund's investment objectives or fundamental investment policies.

On March 10, 2022, the Fund distributed one transferable right for each of the 63,934,698 common shares outstanding on that date. Seven rights were required to purchase one additional common share at the subscription price of \$5.50 per share. On April 20, 2022, the Fund issued 9,133,529 common shares receiving net proceeds of \$49,849,194, after the deduction of offering expenses of \$385,216. The NAV of the Fund increased by \$0.16 per share on the day the additional shares were issued due to the additional shares being issued above NAV. The Fund has an effective shelf registration authorizing an additional \$300 million of common or preferred shares.

**8. Industry Concentration.** Because the Fund primarily invests in common stocks and other securities of foreign and domestic companies in the utility industry, its portfolio may be subject to greater risk and market fluctuations than a portfolio of securities representing a broad range of investments.

**9.** Indemnifications. The Fund enters into contracts that contain a variety of indemnifications. The Fund's maximum exposure under these arrangements is unknown. However, the Fund has not had prior claims or losses pursuant to these contracts. Management has reviewed the Fund's existing contracts and expects the risk of loss to be remote.

**10.** Subsequent Events. Management has evaluated the impact on the Fund of all subsequent events occurring through the date the financial statements were issued and has determined that there were no subsequent events requiring recognition or disclosure in the financial statements.

#### Certifications

The Fund's Chief Executive Officer has certified to the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) that, as of June 12, 2024, he was not aware of any violation by the Fund of applicable NYSE corporate governance listing standards. The Fund reports to the SEC on Form N-CSR which contains certifications by the Fund's principal executive officer and principal financial officer that relate to the Fund's disclosure in such reports and that are required by Rule 30a-2(a) under the 1940 Act.

#### Shareholder Meeting – May 13, 2024 – Final Results

The Fund's Annual Meeting of Shareholders was held on May 13, 2024. At that meeting, common and preferred shareholders, voting together as a single class, re-elected Michael J. Ferrantino, Leslie F. Foley, John D. Gabelli, and Michael J. Melarkey as Trustees of the Fund, with a total of 50,035,304 votes, 49,891,483 votes, 49,942,913 votes, and 49,921,977 votes cast in favor of these Trustees, and a total of 1,518,613 votes, 1,662,434 votes, 1,611,003 votes, and 1,631,940 votes withheld for these Trustees, respectively.

In addition, preferred shareholders, voting as a separate class, re-elected James P. Conn as a Trustee of the Fund, with 1,320,386 votes cast in favor of this Trustee and 82,503 votes withheld for this Trustee.

Mario J. Gabelli, John Birch, Elizabeth C. Bogan, Vincent D. Enright, Frank J. Fahrenkopf, Jr., Robert J. Morrissey, and Salvatore J. Zizza continue to serve in their capacities as Trustees of the Fund.

We thank you for your participation and appreciate your continued support.

# THE GABELLI UTILITY TRUST AND YOUR PERSONAL PRIVACY

#### Who are we?

The Gabelli Utility Trust is a closed-end management investment company registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Investment Company Act of 1940. We are managed by Gabelli Funds, LLC, which is affiliated with GAMCO Investors, Inc., a publicly held company that has subsidiaries that provide investment advisory services for a variety of clients.

#### What kind of non-public information do we collect about you if you become a fund shareholder?

When you purchase shares of the Fund on the New York Stock Exchange, you have the option of registering directly with our transfer agent in order, for example, to participate in our dividend reinvestment plan.

- Information you give us on your application form. This could include your name, address, telephone number, social security number, bank account number, and other information.
- Information about your transactions with us. This would include information about the shares that you buy or sell; it may also include information about whether you sell or exercise rights that we have issued from time to time. If we hire someone else to provide services like a transfer agent we will also have information about the transactions that you conduct through them.

#### What information do we disclose and to whom do we disclose it?

We do not disclose any non-public personal information about our customers or former customers to anyone other than our affiliates, our service providers who need to know such information, and as otherwise permitted by law. If you want to find out what the law permits, you can read the privacy rules adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission. They are in volume 17 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 248. The Commission often posts information about its regulations on its website, www. sec.gov.

#### What do we do to protect your personal information?

We restrict access to non-public personal information about you to the people who need to know that information in order to provide services to you or the fund and to ensure that we are complying with the laws governing the securities business. We maintain physical, electronic, and procedural safeguards to keep your personal information confidential.

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#### **Portfolio Management Team Biographies**

**Mario J. Gabelli, CFA,** is Chairman, Chief Executive Officer, and Chief Investment Officer - Value Portfolios of GAMCO Investors, Inc. that he founded in 1977, and Chief Investment Officer - Value Portfolios of Gabelli Funds, LLC and GAMCO Asset Management, Inc. He is also Executive Chairman of Associated Capital Group, Inc. Mr. Gabelli is a summa cum laude graduate of Fordham University and holds an MBA degree from Columbia Business School and Honorary Doctorates from Fordham University and Roger Williams University.

**Timothy M. Winter, CFA,** joined Gabelli in 2009 and covers the utility industry. He has over 25 years of experience as an equity research analyst covering the industry. Currently, he continues to specialize in the utility industry and also serves as a portfolio manager of Gabelli Funds, LLC. Mr. Winter received his BA in Economics from Rollins College and an MBA degree in Finance from the University of Notre Dame.

Justin Bergner, CFA, is a Vice President at Gabelli and a portfolio manager for Gabelli Funds LLC. Justin rejoined Gabelli in 2013 as a research analyst covering Diversified Industrials, Home Improvement, and Transport companies. He began his investment career at Gabelli in 2005 as a metals and mining analyst, and subsequently spent five years at Axiom International Investors as a senior analyst focused on industrial and healthcare stocks. Prior to business school, Mr. Bergner worked in management consulting at both Bain & Company and Dean & Company. Mr. Bergner graduated cum laude from Yale University with a BA in Economics and Mathematics and received an MBA in Finance and Accounting from the Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania.

Simon T. Wong, CFA, covers the energy sector. He began his investment career at Gabelli in 1997 as a specialty chemical analyst and subsequently became a generalist at Olstein Capital Management, Lucid Asset Management, and Boyar Asset Management. Simon graduated from the University of California, Los Angeles with a BA in Economics and received an MBA in Finance from Columbia Business School.

The Net Asset Value per share appears in the Publicly Traded Funds column, under the heading "Specialized Equity Funds," in Monday's The Wall Street Journal. It is also listed in Barron's Mutual Funds/Closed End Funds section under the heading "Specialized Equity Funds."

The Net Asset Value per share may be obtained each day by calling (914) 921-5070 or visiting www.gabelli.com.

The NASDAQ symbol for the Net Asset Value is "XGUTX."

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Section 23(c) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, that the Fund may from time to time purchase its common shares in the open market when the Fund's shares are trading at a discount of 10% or more from the net asset value of the shares. The Fund may also, from time to time, purchase its preferred shares in the open market when the preferred shares are trading at a discount to the liquidation value.

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