

# DIVIDEND NOTICE THE GABELLI UTILITIES FUND

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Rye, NY  
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The Gabelli Utilities Fund - Class AAA (Fund # 470) (GABUX-Nasdaq), Class A (Fund # 1653), Class B (Fund # 1654) and Class C (Fund # 1655) continues its policy of distributing \$0.07 per share monthly on the third business day prior to each month end. The source of the distributions will be net investment income and capital gains, if any, or paid in capital. The actual determination of the source of distributions will be made after the end of the year via Form 1099-DIV.

The distribution schedule for the next three months will be as follows:

<b>Dividend Rate Per Share</b>	<b>Record Date</b>	<b>Ex-Dividend, Payment and Reinvestment Date</b>
\$0.07	February 25, 2003	February 26, 2003
\$0.07	March 26, 2003	March 27, 2003
\$0.07	April 25, 2003	April 28, 2003

The Gabelli Utilities Fund is managed by Gabelli Funds, LLC and distributed by Gabelli & Company, Inc.

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