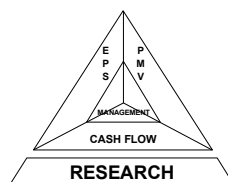


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The **Gabelli Utilities Fund** will pay the following monthly distributions:

<u>Share Class</u>	<u>Distribution Rate Per Share</u>	<u>Record Date</u>	<u>Ex-Dividend, Payment & Reinvestment Date</u>
Class AAA-Fund #470 (GABUX-Nasdaq)	\$0.07	January 26, 2011	January 27, 2011
Class A- Fund #1653 (GAUAX-Nasdaq)	\$0.07	January 26, 2011	January 27, 2011
Class B-Fund #1654 (GAUBX – Nasdaq)	\$0.07	January 26, 2011	January 27, 2011
Class C – Fund #1655 (GAUCX – Nasdaq)	\$0.07	January 26, 2011	January 27, 2011
Class I – Fund #1561	\$0.07	January 26, 2011	January 27, 2011

The source of the distribution is return of capital. Based on current earnings on a book basis, approximately \$0.07 per share is a return of capital.

The final determination of the proportion of capital gains, ordinary income, and non-taxable return of capital, if any, distributed in 2011 will be made after year end. All taxable shareholders will receive written notification regarding the components and tax treatment for all 2011 distributions via Form 1099-DIV.

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