

**Western Asset Investment Grade Defined Opportunity Trust Inc.
Announces Results of Annual Meeting of Shareholders**

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Western Asset Investment Grade Defined Opportunity Trust Inc. (NYSE: IGI) today announced the results of the votes cast at the Fund's annual meeting of shareholders held on March 31, 2011.

Leslie H. Gelb, William R. Hutchinson, and R. Jay Gerken were elected as Class II Directors of Western Asset Investment Grade Defined Opportunity Trust Inc. by holders of the Fund's common stock to hold office until the annual meeting of shareholders in the year 2014 or thereafter when respective successors are duly elected and qualified.

Western Asset Investment Grade Defined Opportunity Trust Inc., a non-diversified closed-end management investment company, is advised by Legg Mason Partners Fund Advisor, LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Legg Mason, Inc., and is sub-advised by Western Asset Management Company, an affiliate of the adviser.

Contact the Fund at 1-888-777-0102 for more information, or visit the Fund's web site at www.leggmason.com/cef.

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