RiverNorth Opportunities Fund, Inc. (RIV) - Transcript

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All right, Steve, let's kick things off with RIV.

Steve O'Neill

Sure. So, looking at RIV, we consider the performance to be really solid year to date, especially for the risk. When we look at our risk metrics internally, RIVs kind of running with a beta to the S&P 500 Index of around 0.3. And then, from a fixed-income duration perspective, the duration of the Fund is right around three years. And so, we would consider it to be fairly low risk for the return that we've been able to generate year-to-date. A large part of that return has come from our allocation to closed-end funds. About 70% of the portfolio in RIV is allocated to closed-end funds. Rounding out the rest of the portfolio, we've got about 20% invested in investment company debt, or BDC (business development companies) debt, and then about 5% in SPACs (special purpose acquisition companies) and 5% in Treasuries.

I'd say worth noting, during the quarter, we introduced a small allocation to emerging market equity closed-end funds. We also added to some of our BDC debt positions. A couple of recent issues, five-year paper that was trading down as rates backed up. We added a little bit there. And then, with the uptick in the SPAC market, we were also able to increase our allocation to SPACs. And so, when you take the closed-end funds, the BDC debt, and the SPACs, add them together, that was about 6% of capital that we recently put to work, which really took our cash position down to zero. So, I'd say that's pretty noteworthy. When I say zero cash, I guess I'd highlight we still have kind of about 5% position in Treasuries for some dry powder, and there's some natural turnover in the portfolio itself. But we consider it to be a good start to the year and are happy with the opportunity set that we're seeing, as evidenced by the ability to put some capital to work here the second quarter.

Chris Lakumb Thanks, Steve.

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