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**Dividend declaration:**

**DELAWARE INVESTMENTS® MUNICIPAL INCOME FUNDS ANNOUNCE DIVIDENDS**

**PHILADELPHIA, August 2, 2012** — Today, the following three Delaware Investments municipal income funds, all closed-end management investment companies, declare their monthly income dividends: Delaware Investments Colorado Municipal Income Fund, Inc., Delaware Investments National Municipal Income Fund, and Delaware Investments Minnesota Municipal Income Fund II, Inc. (together, the “Funds”). The investment objective of Delaware Investments Colorado Municipal Income Fund, Inc. and Delaware Investments Minnesota Municipal Income Fund II, Inc. is to provide current income exempt from federal income tax and from the personal income tax of its state, if any, consistent with the preservation of capital. The investment objective of Delaware Investments National Municipal Income Fund is to provide current income exempt from regular federal income tax consistent with the preservation of capital. In addition, each Fund has the ability to utilize leveraging techniques in an attempt to obtain a higher return for the Fund. Currently, each Fund has outstanding a series of variable rate preferred shares as leverage.

The following dates apply to the above dividend announcement:

Declaration date: 8/02/2012  
Ex-date: 8/15/2012  
Record date: 8/17/2012  
Payable date: 8/31/2012

The dividend distributions<sup>1</sup> are as follows:

<b>FUND</b>	<b>Dividend per share</b>
Delaware Investments Colorado Municipal Income Fund, Inc. (VCF) <sup>2</sup>	\$0.057500
Delaware Investments National Municipal Income Fund (VFL)	\$0.045000
Delaware Investments Minnesota Municipal Income Fund II, Inc. (VMM) <sup>3</sup>	\$0.057500

- (1) *The dividends are exempt from federal income tax.*  
(2) *The dividend is exempt from Colorado state personal income tax.*  
(3) *The dividend is exempt from Minnesota state personal income tax.*

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