

Capital Southwest Overview: Flexible Credit For The Middle Market

Overview

Capital Southwest (NASDAQ: CSWC) is an internally-managed, credit-focused BDC that is an active lender to middle market companies across the capital structure. CSWC provides flexible capital that fills financing needs that traditional first lien senior lenders are unwilling to meet. In particular, CSWC is well-positioned to finance lower middle market businesses with \$3 to \$25 million of EBITDA.

CSWC manages investable capital of approximately \$1.2 billion. As of December 31 2021, CSWC had funded over \$2.1 billion in new credit investments, including the capital invested in its I-45 Senior Loan Fund.

The Company is managed by an investment team with decades of experience working with one another. The firm and all of its employees are located in Dallas, Texas.

Recent Investment Activity

In 2021, CSWC committed approximately **\$596 million** in new and add-on direct debt and equity financings across **48** different middle market portfolio companies.

Industry Preferences

CSWC is a **generalist** investment firm with certain preferred sectors:

- Business services
- · Digital media and advertising
- Healthcare products and services
- · Value-added distribution
- · Industrial manufacturing and services
- · Consumer products and retail
- Tech-enabled and digital media services

Investment Parameters \$5 to \$70 million financings Investment \$5 to ~\$35 million commitment size per deal Size Active network of co-investors Minimum of \$3 million of EBITDA Company Size Typically \$3 to \$20 million of EBITDA New platform acquisitions Dividend recapitalizations Situations Refinancings **Bolt-on acquisitions Growth financings** Financial sponsors Investment banks and business brokers Clients Founder and independently-owned businesses Independent sponsors Unitranche debt (with network of first out senior lending relationships) First lien debt Investment Second lien debt Structures Subordinated debt Preferred and common equity Flexibility to invest across multiple securities Equity co-investments alongside debt Equity investments Investments Non-control investor Geography Anywhere in the United States Relationship-centric firm focused on mutually **Partnership** beneficial partnerships over several deals Investment committee all co-located in Dallas Committee CSWC deal leaders have day-to-day access to **Process** Senior Management and can "speak for the firm" and execute without surprises

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Manufacturing

\$15mm First Lien & Equity

December 2021



& Retail

\$14mm Revolver, First Lien & Delayed Draw

December 2021

Confidential Sponsor Backed

Financial Services

\$22mm First Lien

December 2021



Industrial Products

\$20mm Revolver & First Lien

December 2021



\$10mm Revolver, First Lien & Equity

December 2021



\$16mm First Lien & Second Lien

December 2021

Confidential Sponsor Backed

Environmental

\$29mm Revolver, First Lien & Delayed Draw

November 2021



\$16mm Revolver, First Lien & Equity

November 2021



\$9mm First Lien & Delayed Draw

November 2021



\$11mm Revolver, First Lien & Equity

November 2021



Media, Marketing & Entertainment \$11mm First Lien, Delayed Draw & Equity

November 2021



\$11mm Revolver, First Lien, Delayed Draw & Equity

October 2021

Confidential Sponsor Backed

Consumer Products & Retail

\$22mm Revolver, First Lien & Equity

October 2021



Software & IT Services

\$8mm Revolver, First Lien & Equity

October 2021



\$21.5mm Revolver & First Lien

September 2021



\$26mm Revolver, First Lien & Delayed Draw

August 2021



Manufacturing

\$11mm Split Lien Term Loan

August 2021



\$14mm Revolver, First Lien & Delayed Draw

August 2021



Consumer Products & Retail

\$23mm Revolver, First Lien & Delayed Draw

August 2021



Wall Street Prep Business Services

\$13mm Revolver, First Lien & Equity

July 2021



\$16mm Split Lien Term Loan

June 2021



Education

\$23mm Revolver, First Lien & Equity

June 2021



Media, Marketing & Entertainment

\$12mm First Lien & Delayed Draw

June 2021



Energy Services (Downstream)

\$6mm First Lien

June 2021



Business Services

\$16mm Revolver, First Lien, Delayed Draw & Equity

June 2021