SALOMON BROTHERS MUNICIPAL PARTNERS FUND INC Form N-Q November 24, 2004

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

# FORM N-Q

# QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number 811-7362

# Salomon Brothers Municipal Partners Fund Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

125 Broad Street, New York, NY 10004 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 1-800-451-2010

Date of fiscal year end: **June 30**Date of reporting period: **September 30, 2004** 

# SALOMON BROTHERS MUNICIPAL PARTNERS FUND INC.

FORM N-Q SEPTEMBER 30, 2004

#### ITEM 1. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS

Schedule of Investments (unaudited)				
FACE AMOUNT RAT	TING (a)	SECURITY	VALUE	
MUNICIPAL BC California - 10.3		ΓES - 142.8%		
\$ 2,400,000	AAA	California Infrastructure & Economic Development Bank		
+ =,===,===		Revenue, (Workers Compensation Relief), Series A ,		
		AMBAC-Insured, 5.000% due 10/1/15	\$ 2,631,264	
		California State GO:		
1,575,000	A	5.125% due 6/1/24	1,623,746	
2,400,000	AAA	FSA Insured, 6.000% due 2/1/16	2,880,048	
200,000	A-1+	Los Angeles, CA Regional Airports Improvement Corp.,		
		Lease Revenue, 1.700% due 12/1/25 (b)	200,000	
200,000	A-1+	Newport Beach, CA Revenue, (HOAG Memorial Presbyterian		
		Hospital), 1.660% due 10/1/22 (b)	200,000	
1,370,000	AAA	Pleasant Valley, CA School District Ventura County,		
		Series A, MBIA-Insured, 5.850% due 2/1/17	1,635,794	
			9,170,852	
Colorado - 1.3%				
		Colorado Springs, CO Hospital Revenue:		
505,000	A-	6.375% due 12/15/30	541,708	
495,000	A-	Pre-Refunded-Escrowed with U.S. government securities to		
		12/15/10 (Call @ 101), 6.375% due 12/15/30	587,169	
			1,128,877	
District of Colu 2.4%	mbia -			
2,000,000	AAA	District of Columbia Revenue, (American University),		
_,,		AMBAC-Insured, 5.625% due 10/1/26	2,122,440	
Georgia -				
<b>0.0%</b> 40,000	AAA	Fulton County, GA Housing Authority, Single-Family		
40,000	AAA	Mortgage Revenue, Series A, GNMA-Collateralized,		
		6.600% due 3/1/28	40,593	
Hawaii -				
2.5%	AAA			

Illinois - 22.8%  Chicago, IL Board of Education GO, (Chicago School Reform), AMBAC-Insured: 390,000 AAA 5.750% due 12/1/27 3,360,000 AAA Pre-Refunded-Escrowed with state & local government securities to 12/1/07 (Call @ 102), 5.750% due 12/ 500,000 AAA Chicago, IL GO, Series A, FSA-Insured, 5.250% due 1/1/16 Chicago, IL Midway Airport Revenue, MBIA-Insured: 2,000,000 AAA Series A, 5.500% due 1/1/29 2,000,000 AAA Series B, 5.625% due 1/1/29 2,000,000 Aaa* Illinois Development Finance Authority, Revolving Fund Revenue, 5.250% due 9/1/12 1,000,000 AA+ Illinois Educational Facilities Authority Revenue, (Northwestern University), 5.500% due 12/1/13 1,500,000 A+ Illinois Health Facilities Authority Revenue Refunding, (Lutheran General Health System), Series C,	
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500,000 AAA Chicago, IL GO, Series A, FSA-Insured, 5.250% due 1/1/16 Chicago, IL Midway Airport Revenue, MBIA-Insured:  2,000,000 AAA Series A, 5.500% due 1/1/29  2,000,000 AAA Series B, 5.625% due 1/1/29  2,000,000 Aaa* Illinois Development Finance Authority, Revolving Fund Revenue, 5.250% due 9/1/12  1,000,000 AA+ Illinois Educational Facilities Authority Revenue, (Northwestern University), 5.500% due 12/1/13  1,500,000 A+ Illinois Health Facilities Authority Revenue Refunding, (Lutheran General Health System), Series C,	t
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2,000,000 AAA Series B, 5.625% due 1/1/29 2,000,000 Aaa* Illinois Development Finance Authority, Revolving Fund Revenue, 5.250% due 9/1/12 1,000,000 AA+ Illinois Educational Facilities Authority Revenue, (Northwestern University), 5.500% due 12/1/13 1,500,000 A+ Illinois Health Facilities Authority Revenue Refunding, (Lutheran General Health System), Series C,	
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Revenue, 5.250% due 9/1/12  1,000,000  AA+ Illinois Educational Facilities Authority Revenue,  (Northwestern University), 5.500% due 12/1/13  1,500,000  A+ Illinois Health Facilities Authority Revenue Refunding,  (Lutheran General Health System), Series C,	2,090,780
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1,500,000 A+ Illinois Health Facilities Authority Revenue Refunding, (Lutheran General Health System), Series C,	
(Lutheran General Health System), Series C,	1,126,800
7.000% due 4/1/14	
	1,849,905
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FACE AMOUNT	RATING (a)	SECURITY	VALUE		
Illinois - 22 (continued)					
		Illinois State, First Series GO:			
\$ 1,500,000	AAA	FSA-Insured, 5.500% due 5/1/16	\$ 1,732,575		
1,000,000	AAA	Pre-Refunded-Escrowed with U.S. government securities to			
		6/1/10 (Call @ 100), MBIA-Insured, 5.625% due 6/1/25 1,13			
3,000,000	Aa3*	Illinois State Sales Tax Revenue, Series V, (Pre-Refunded -			
		Escrowed with U.S.Treasury Obligations to 6/15/05 Call @102),			
		6.375% due 6/15/20	3,159,780		
			20,230,574		
Indiana - 3.3%					
1,000,000	BBB+	Indiana State Development Finance Authority, Environmental			
		Revenue, (USX Corp. Project), 5.250% due 12/1/22	1,100,350		
1,750,000	AAA	Indiana State Revolving Fund Revenue, Series B,			
		5.000% due 8/1/23	1,805,055		

1 <b>.8%</b> 1,430,000	A1*  AA  Baa1*	Iowa Finance Authority, Hospital Facility Revenue, 6.750% due 2/15/16  Kansas State Development Finance Authority, Health Facilities Revenue, (Sisters of Charity), Series J, 6.250% due 12/1/28  Maryland State Health & Higher Educational Facilities Authority Revenue:	1,122,310 1,615,914
1,000,000 (ansas - 1,430,000	AA	6.750% due 2/15/16  Kansas State Development Finance Authority, Health Facilities Revenue, (Sisters of Charity), Series J, 6.250% due 12/1/28  Maryland State Health & Higher Educational Facilities	
1,000,000  Kansas - 1.8% 1,430,000	AA	6.750% due 2/15/16  Kansas State Development Finance Authority, Health Facilities Revenue, (Sisters of Charity), Series J, 6.250% due 12/1/28  Maryland State Health & Higher Educational Facilities	
Kansas - 1.8% 1,430,000	1	6.750% due 2/15/16  Kansas State Development Finance Authority, Health Facilities Revenue, (Sisters of Charity), Series J, 6.250% due 12/1/28  Maryland State Health & Higher Educational Facilities	
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Maryland - 8.0%		Maryland State Health & Higher Educational Facilities	1,615,91
Maryland - 8.0%		•	
	Raa1*	•	
	B221*	Authority Povonuo.	
	R221*	Audionity nevenue:	
1,500,000	Daal.	Caroll County General Hospital, 6.000% due 7/1/37	1,567,84
1,000,000	A	Suburban Hospital, Series A, 5.500% due 7/1/16	1,088,47
		University of Maryland Medical Systems:	
1,000,000	A3*	6.750% due 7/1/30	1,126,53
500,000	A	6.000% due 7/1/32	532,42
2,500,000	Aaa*	Northeast Maryland Waste Disposal Authority, Solid Waste	
		Revenue Refunding, AMBAC-Insured 5.500% due 4/1/15	2,749,12
			7,064,395
Massachusetts -	7.0%		
2,500,000	AA-	Massachusetts State Health & Educational Facilities Authority	
		Revenue, (Partners Healthcare Systems), Series C,	
		5.750% due 7/1/32	2,693,250
		Massachusetts State Water Pollution Abatement Trust Revenue, Series A:	
2,540,000	AAA	5.750% due 8/1/29	2,806,77
630,000	AAA	Pre-Refunded-Escrowed with state & local government	
•		securities to 8/1/09 (Call @ 101), 5.750% due 8/1/29	722,60
			6,222,63
Michigan - 1.7%	,		
1,500,000	AA-	Michigan State Hospital Finance Authority Revenue	
		Refunding, (Trinity Health), Credit C, 5.375% due 12/1/30	1,540,275
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Α	FACE AMOUNT	RATING (a)	SECURITY	VALUE
Min	nesota - 3.	1%		
\$	2,785,000	O AA+	Minnesota State Housing Finance Agency, Single-Family Mortgage Revenue, Series H, 6.500% due 1/1/26 \$	2,794,525
Nev	ada - 4.0%			
	1,350,000	) AAA	Clark County, NV Passenger Facility Revenue, (McCarran International Airport), Series A, MBIA-Insured,	
			5.750% due 7/1/23  Nevada Housing Division, Single-Family Program, Series B-2:	1,404,689
	1,905,000	) Aa2*	6.400% due 10/1/25	1,935,651
	185,000	) Aa2*	6.950% due 10/1/26	186,567
				3,526,907
New	v Hampshir	re - 0.2%		
	150,000	O Aa2*	New Hampshire State HFA, Single-Family Residential, Series A,	
			6.800% due 7/1/15	150,318
New	v Jersey - 1	7.1%		
			New Jersey EDA:	
	5,150,000	O AAA	PCR, (Public Service Electric and Gas Co. Project), Series A,	
			MBIA-Insured, 6.400% due 5/1/32	5,288,278
	2,500,000	O A+	School Facilities Construction, Series G, 5.000% due 9/1/11 2,763,0	
	4,450,000	) AAA	Water Facilities Revenue, (New Jersey American Water Co.,	
			Inc. Project), Series A, FGIC-Insured, 6.875% due 4,557,	
	1,000,000	) A2*	New Jersey Health Care Facilities Financing Authority Revenue,	
			(Hackensack University Medical Center), 6.000% due 1/1/25	1,055,690
	1,395,000	) AAA	New Jersey Transportation Trust Fund Authority, Transportation	
			System Revenue, Series A, AMBAC-Insured, 5.000% due 12/15/11	1,546,344
				15,211,274
New	v Mexico - 1	1.4%		
	1,060,000	O AAA	New Mexico Finance Authority Revenue, (Public Project	
			Revolving Fund), Series C, AMBAC-Insured,	
			5.250% due 6/1/14	1,199,485
New	v York - 5.5	%		

New York City, NY GO, Series A:

180,000	A	6.000% due 5/15/30	199,429	
820,000 A Pre-Refunded - Escrowed with U.S. government securities				
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A	MOUNT	RATING (a)	SECURITY	VALUE
Ohi	o - 12.0% (	continued)		
\$	2,000,000	BBB+	Miami County, OH Hospital Facilities Revenue Refunding &	
			Improvement, (Upper Valley Medical Center),	
			6.250% due 5/15/13 \$	2,089,160
	6,700,000	A+	Ohio State Water Development Authority, Solid Waste	
			Disposal Revenue, (Cargill Inc.), 6.300% due 9/1/20	7,018,719
				10,647,260
Pen	nsylvania -	5.3%		
	1,250,000	AAA	Delaware Valley, PA Regional Financial Authority, Local	
			Government Revenue, Series A, AMBAC-Insured,	
			5.500% due 8/1/28	1,399,887
	2,750,000	AAA	Pennsylvania State, Second Series GO, MBIA-Insured,	
			5.000% due 7/1/11	3,057,175
	250,000	AAA	Philadelphia, PA School District GO, Series A, FSA-Insured,	
			5.500% due 2/1/31	285,687
				4,742,749
Pue	erto Rico - 8	3.0%		
	1,375,000	AAA	Puerto Rico Commonwealth, GO, FGIC-Insured,	
			5.500% due 7/1/13	1,594,203
			Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority, Power Revenue:	
	2,750,000	AAA	Series LL, MBIA-Insured, 5.500% due 7/1/17	3,221,900
	2,000,000	AAA	Series OO, FGIC-Insured, 5.000% due 7/1/14	2,248,600
				7,064,703
Ten	nessee - 8.	9%		
	2,900,000	AA-	Humphreys County, TN IDB, Solid Waste Disposal Revenue,	
			(E.I. Du Pont de Nemours & Co. Project), 6.700% due 5/1/24	2,967,802

3,500,000	AAA	Memphis-Shelby County, TN Airport Authority Revenue,	
		Series D, AMBAC-Insured, 6.000% due 3/1/24	3,897,250
1,025,000	1,025,000 AA Tennessee Housing Development Agency Revenue, (Homeownership		
		Program), Series 2C, 6.350% due 1/1/31	1,075,164
			7,940,216
Texas - 7.0%			
1,165,000	A	Harris County, TX Health Facilities Development Authority,	
		Hospital Revenue, (Memorial Hermann Healthcare System),	
		Series A, 5.250% due 12/1/17	1,232,768
100,000	AAA	North Harris Montgomery Community College District, TX	
		Refunding GO, FGIC-Insured, 5.375% due 2/15/16	111,472
1,000,000	AAA	North Texas Municipal Water District, Water System Revenue,	
		FGIC-Insured, 5.375% due 2/15/16	1,099,240
3,500,000	AAA	Texas State Turnpike Authority Revenue, First Tier, Series A	
		AMBAC-Insured, 5.500% due 8/15/39	3,742,445
			6,185,925

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**VALUE** 

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AMOUNT RATING (a)

Washington - 7.9%	6			
\$1,000,000	AAA	Chelan County, WA Public Utility District, (Chelan Hydro	)	
		System No.1), Construction Revenue, Series A,		
		AMBAC-Insured, 5.450% due 7/1/37	\$	1,033,670
4,250,000	AAA	Seattle, WA GO, Series B, FSA-Insured, 5.750% due 12/1/28		4,700,288
1,200,000	AAA	Washington State Public Power Supply System Revenue		
		Refunding, (Nuclear Project No. 1), Series A, MBIA-Insured,		
		5.125% due 7/1/17		1,296,324
				7,030,282

**SECURITY** 

**TOTAL MUNICIPAL BONDS & NOTE** (Cost - \$119,520,607)

126,734,297

**TOTAL INVESTMENTS - 142.8%** (Cost \$119,520,607\*\*)

126,734,297

Liabilities in Excess of Other Assets - (42.8)%

(37,989,580)

#### **TOTAL NET ASSETS - 100.0%**

\$ 88,744,717

- (a) All ratings are by Standard & Poor's Ratings Service, except for those that are identified by an asterisk
- (\*) which are rated by Moody's Investors Service, Inc.
- (b) Variable rate obligation payable at par on demand at any time on no more than seven days notice.
- \*\* Aggregate cost for Federal income tax purposes is substantially the same.

See pages 6 and 7 for definitions of ratings and abbreviations.

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#### **Summary of Investments by Industry\***

General Obligation	15.0%
Health Care	14.4
Transportation	13.6
Water	11.8
Power	10.3
General Revenue	9.4
Industrial Development	7.2
Education	6.7
Pre-Refunded	6.7
Housing	4.9
	100.0%

st As a percentage of total investments. Please note that Fund holdings are as of September 30, 2004

and are subject to change.

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#### **Bond Ratings**

(unaudited)

The definitions of the applicable rating symbols are set forth below:

Standard & Poor  $\square$ s Ratings Service ( $\square$ Standard & Poor  $\square$ s Ratings from  $\square$ AA $\square$  to  $\square$ CCC $\square$  may be modified by the addition of a plus (+) or minus

([]) sign to show relative standings within the major rating categories.

AAA  $\square$  Bonds rated  $\square$ AAA $\square$  have the highest rating assigned by Standard & Poor $\square$ s. Capacity to pay interest and repay principal is extremely strong.

 $AA \square Bonds rated \square AA \square have a very strong capacity to pay interest and repay principal and differ from the highest rated issues only in a small degree.$ 

A  $\square$  Bonds rated  $\square$ A $\square$  have a strong capacity to pay interest and repay principal although they are somewhat more susceptible to the adverse effects of changes in circumstances and economic conditions than debt in higher rated categories.

BBB  $\square$  Bonds rated  $\square$ BBB $\square$  are regarded as having an adequate capacity to pay interest and repay principal. Whereas they normally exhibit adequate protection parameters, adverse economic conditions or changing circumstances are more likely to lead to a weakened capacity to pay interest and repay principal for bonds in this category than in higher rated categories.

BB, B, CCC and CC  $\square$  Bonds rated  $\square$ BB $\square$ ,  $\square$ BD,  $\square$ CCC $\square$  and  $\square$ CC $\square$  are regarded, on balance, as predominantly speculative we respect to capacity to pay interest and repay principal in accordance with the terms of the obligation.  $\square$ BB $\square$  represents a lower degree of speculation than  $\square$ B $\square$ , and  $\square$ CC $\square$  the highest degree of speculation. While such bonds will likely have some quality and protective characteristics, these are outweighed by large uncertainties or major risk exposures to adverse conditions.

 $Moody \square s$  Investors Service ( $\square Moody \square s$ ) umerical modifiers 1, 2 and 3 may be applied to each generic rating from  $\square Aa \square$  to  $\square Ba, \square$  where 1 is the highest and 3 the lowest ranking within its generic category.

Aaa  $\square$  Bonds rated  $\square$ Aaa $\square$  are judged to be of the best quality. They carry the smallest degree of investment risk and are generally referred to as  $\square$ gilt edge.  $\square$  Interest payments are protected by a large or by an exceptionally stable margin and principal is secure. While the various protective elements are likely to change, such changes as can be visualized are most unlikely to impair the fundamentally strong position of such issues.

 $Aa \square Bonds rated \square Aa \square are judged to be of high quality by all standards. Together with the$ 

 $\Box$ Aaa $\Box$  group they comprise what are generally known as high grade bonds. They are rated lower than the best bonds because margins of protection may not be as large in  $\Box$ Aaa $\Box$  securities or fluctuation of protective elements may be of greater amplitude or there may be other elements present which make the long-term risks appear somewhat larger than in  $\Box$ Aaa $\Box$  securities.

A  $\square$  Bonds rated  $\square$ A $\square$  possess many favorable investment attributes and are to be considered as upper medium grade obligations. Factors giving security to principal and interest are considered adequate but elements may be present which suggest a susceptibility to impairment some time in the future.

Ba  $\square$  Bonds rated  $\square$ Ba $\square$  are judged to have speculative elements; their future cannot be considered as well assured. Often the protection of interest and principal payments may be very moderate and therefore not well safeguarded during both good and bad times over the future. Uncertainty of position characterizes bonds in this class.

 $NR \square Indicates$  that the bond is not rated by Standard & Poor\sigmas or Moody\sigmas.

#### **Short-Term Security Ratings**

(unaudited)

SP-1  $\square$  Standard & Poor $\square$ s highest rating indicating very strong or strong capacity to pay principal and interest; those issues determined to possess overwhelming safety characteristics are denoted with a plus (+) sign.

A-1  $\square$  Standard & Poor $\square$ s highest commercial paper and variable-rate demand obligation (VRDO) rating indicating that the degree of safety regarding timely payment is either overwhelming or very strong; those issues determined to possess overwhelming safety characteristics are denoted with a plus (+) sign.

VMIG-1 ☐ Moody☐s highest rating for issues having a demand feature☐ VRDO.

 $P-1 \square Moody \square s$  highest rating for commercial paper and for VRDO prior to the advent of the VMIG-1 rating.

#### Abbreviations\*

(unaudited)

ABAG [] Association of Bay Area Governments	ISO   Independent System Operator	
AIG [] American International Guaranty	LOC ☐ Letter of Credit	
AMBAC   Ambac Assurance Corporation	MBIA   Municipal Bond Investors Assurance Corporation	
AMT [] Alternative Minimum Tax	MERLOT $\square$ Municipal Exempt Receipts Liquidity Optional Tender	
BAN  ☐ Bond Anticipation Notes	MFH [] Multi-Family Housing	
BIG [] Bond Investors Guaranty	MSTC [] Municipal Securities Trust Certificates	
CDA [] Community Development Authority	MUD [] Municipal Utilities District	
CGIC [] Capital Guaranty Insurance Company	MVRICS $\square$ Municipal Variable Rate Inverse Coupon Security	
CHFCLI [] California Health Facility Construction Loan Insurance	PART [] Partnership Structure	
CONNIE LEE  College Construction Loan Insurance Association	PCFA  Pollution Control Finance Authority	
COP  ☐ Certificate of Participation	PCR  Pollution Control Revenue	
CSD  ☐ Central School District	PFA 🛘 Public Finance Authority	
CTFS [] Certificates	PFC [] Public Finance Corporation	
DFA   Development Finance Agency	PSFG [] Permanent School Fund Guaranty	
EDA   Economic Development Authority	Q-SBLF [] Qualified School Bond Loan Fund	
EFA 🛮 Educational Facilities Authority	Radian 🛘 Radian Asset Assurance	
ETM [] Escrowed to Maturity	RAN [] Revenue Anticipation Notes	
FGIC [] Financial Guaranty Insurance Company	RAW [] Revenue Anticipation Warrants	
FHA [] Federal Housing Administration	RDA 🛘 Redevelopment Agency	
FHLMC $\square$ Federal Home Loan MortgageCorporation	RIBS [] Residual Interest Bonds	
FLAIRS [] Floating Adjustable Interest Rate Securities	RITES [] Residual Interest Tax-Exempt Securities	
FNMA [] Federal National MortgageAssociation	SPA 🛘 Standby Bond Purchase Agreement	
FRTC [] Floating Rate Trust Certificates	SWAP   ☐ Swap Structure	
FSA 🛮 Federal Savings Association	SYCC [] Structured Yield Curve Certificate	
GIC [] Guaranteed Investment Contract	TAN  ☐ Tax Anticipation Notes	
GNMA [] Government National Mortgage Association	TCRS [] Transferable Custodial Receipts	
GO 🛮 General Obligation	TECP [] Tax Exempt Commercial Paper	
HDA  ☐ Housing Development Authority	TFA [] Transitional Finance Authority	
HDC [] Housing Development Corporation	${\sf TOB} \; {\textstyle \bigsqcup} \; {\sf Tender} \; {\sf Option} \; {\sf Bond} \; {\sf Structure}$	

HEFA 

☐ Health & Educational Facilities Authority TRAN [] Tax and Revenue Anticipation Notes UFSD 

☐ Unified Free School District IBC 
☐ Insured Bond Certificates UHSD 
☐ Unified High School District USD 
☐ Unified School District IDA ☐ Industrial Development Authority IDB 
☐ Industrial Development Board VA 
☐ Veterans Administration IDR ☐ Industrial Development Revenue VRDO 
☐ Variable Rate Demand Obligation IFA 
☐ Industrial Finance Agency ISD 
☐ Independent School District XLCA [] XL Capital Assurance

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## Notes to Schedule of Investments (unaudited)

#### Note 1. Organization and Significant Accounting Policies

Salomon Brothers Municipal Partners Fund Inc. ([Fund]), was incorporated in Marylandh is registered as a diversified, closed-end management investment company under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended.

The following is a summary of significant accounting policies consistently followed by the Fund and is in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ( $\square GAAP \square$ ):

(a) Investment Valuation. Tax-exempt securities are valued by independent pricing services which use prices provided by market-makers or estimates of market values obtained from yield data relating to instruments or securities with similar characteristics. When market quotations or official closing prices are not readily available, or are determined not to reflect accurately fair value, such as when the value of a security has been significantly affected by events after the close of the exchange or market on which the security is principally traded (for example, a foreign exchange or market), but before the Fund calculates its net asset value, the Fund may value these investments at fair value as determined in accordance with the procedures approved by the Fund security is principally traded (for Directors. Short-term investments having maturity of 60 days or less are valued at amortized cost, which approximates market value.

 $\textbf{(b) Investment Transactions.} \ \ \text{Investment transactions are recorded on the trade date}.$ 

#### Note 2. Investments

At September 30, 2004, the aggregate gross unrealized appreciation and depreciation of investments for Federal income tax purposes were substantially as follows:

Gross unrealized appreciation Gross unrealized depreciation	\$7,375,347 (161,657)
Net unrealized appreciation	\$7,213,690

<sup>\*</sup> Abbreviations may or may not appear in the Schedule of Investments.

## ITEM CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES.

- (a) The registrant□s principal executive officer and principal financial officer have concluded that the registrant□s disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a- 3(c) underthe Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the □1940 Act□)) are effective as of adate within 90 days of the filing date of this report that includes the disclosure required bythis paragraph, based on their evaluation of the disclosure controls and procedures requiredby Rule 30a-3(b) under the 1940 Act and 15d-15(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of1934
- (b) There were no changes in the registrant sinternal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under the 1940 Act) that occurred during the registrant slast fiscal quarter that have materially affected, or are likely to materially affect the registrant sinternal control over financial reporting.

# ITEM EXHIBITS.

Certifications pursuant to Rule 30a-2(a) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, are attached hereto.

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Salomon Brothers Municipal Partners Fund Inc.

By /s/ R. Jay Gerken

#### R. Jay Gerken Chief Executive Officer

Date: November 24, 2004

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

By /s/ R. Jay Gerken

#### R. Jay Gerken Chief Executive Officer

Date: November 24, 2004

By

/s/ Frances M. Guggino

#### Frances M. Guggino Chief Financial Officer

Date: November 24, 2004