DWS STRATEGIC MUNICIPAL INCOME TRUST Form N-PX August 30, 2011

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

FORM N-PX ANNUAL REPORT OF PROXY VOTING RECORD OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number 811-05767

DWS Strategic Municipal Income Trust (Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

345 Park Avenue New York, NY 10154 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

John Millette
Secretary
One Beacon Street
Boston, MA 02108-3106
(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 617-295-1000

Date of fiscal year end: 11/30

Date of reporting period: 7/1/10-6/30/11

ICA File Number: 811-05767

Reporting Period: 07/01/2010 - 06/30/2011 DWS Strategic Municipal Income Trust

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BUFFETS RESTAURANT HOLDING INC

Ticker: BUFR Security ID: 11988P107 Meeting Date: OCT 27, 2010 Meeting Type: Annual

Record Date: AUG 30, 2010

Proposal Mgt Rec Vote Cast Sponsor
1 Ratify Auditors For For Management

DEX ONE CORPORATION

Ticker: DEXO Security ID: 25212W100 Meeting Date: MAY 03, 2011 Meeting Type: Annual

Record Date: MAR 10, 2011

Proposal Mgt Rec Vote Cast Sponsor

- Elect Director Jonathan B. Bulkeley For For Management
 Elect Director Eugene I. Davis For For Management
- 3 Elect Director Richard L. Kuersteiner For For Management
- 4 Elect Director W. Kirk Liddell For For Management
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- 5 Elect Director Mark A. McEachen For For Management
- 6 Elect Director Alfred T. Mockett For For Management
- 7 Elect Director Alan F. Schultz For For Management
- 8 Advisory Vote to Ratify Named Executive For Against Management Officers' Compensation
- 9 Advisory Vote on Say on Pay Frequency One Year One Year Management
- 10 Ratify Auditors For For Management

GEO SPECIALTY CHEMICALS INC.

Ticker: Security ID: 37246R106

Meeting Date: FEB 22, 2011 Meeting Type: Annual

Record Date: JAN 10, 2011

Proposal Mgt Rec Vote Cast Sponsor

1.1 Elect Director Duncan H. Cocroft For For Management1.2 Elect Director David L. Eaton For For Management

1.3 Elect Director Kenneth A. Ghazey For For Management
 1.4 Elect Director Philip J. Gund For For Management
 1.5 Elect Director Charles Macaluso For For Management

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GEO SPECIALTY CHEMICALS INC.

Ticker: Security ID: 37246R205 Meeting Date: FEB 22, 2011 Meeting Type: Annual

Record Date: JAN 10, 2011

Proposal Mgt Rec Vote Cast Sponsor

1.1 Elect Director Duncan H. Cocroft For For Management 1.2 Elect Director David L. Eaton Management For For 1.3 Elect Director Kenneth A. Ghazey Management For For 1.4 Elect Director Philip J. Gund Management For For 1.5 Elect Director Charles Macaluso Management For For

QUAD/GRAPHICS, INC.

Ticker: QUAD Security ID: 747301109 Meeting Date: MAY 16, 2011 Meeting Type: Annual

Record Date: MAR 18, 2011

Froposal Mgt Rec Vote Cast Sponsor

- 1.1 Elect Director William J. Abraham, Jr. For For Management
- 1.2 Elect Director Mark A. Angelson For For Management
- 1.3 Elect Director Douglas P. Buth For For Management
- 1.4 Elect Director Christopher B. Harned For For Management
- 1.5 Elect Director Betty Ewens Quadracci For For Management
- 1.6 Elect Director J. Joel Quadracci For For Management
- 1.7 Elect Director Thomas O. Ryder For For Management
- 1.8 Elect Director John S. Shiely For For Management
- 2 Advisory Vote to Ratify Named Executive For For Management Officers' Compensation
- 3 Advisory Vote on Say on Pay Frequency Three One Year Management Years
- 4 Approve Omnibus Stock Plan For For Management

SUPERMEDIA INC.

Ticker: SPMD Security ID: 868447103 Meeting Date: MAY 11, 2011 Meeting Type: Annual

Record Date: MAR 14, 2011

#	Proposal	Mgt Rec	Vote (Cast S	Sponsor	
1.1	Elect Director Edward J. B	Bayone	For	For	Managem	ent
1.2	Elect Director Robert C. B	lattberg	For	For	Manageme	ent
1.3	Elect Director Charles B. C	Carden	For	For	Manageme	ent
1.4	Elect Director Robin Dom	eniconi	For	For	Managen	nent
1.5	Elect Director Thomas D.	Gardner	For	For	Manager	nent
1.6	Elect Director David E. Ha	awthorne	For	For	Manager	nent
1.7	Elect Director Peter J. Mcl	Donald	For	For	Managem	ent
1.8	Elect Director Thomas S. l	Rogers	For	For	Managem	ent
1.9 Elect Director John Slater For For Management						
1.10 Elect Director Douglas D. Wheat For				For	Management	
2 Advisory Vote to Ratify Named Executive For For Management						
Officers' Compensation						
3	Advisory Vote on Say on Pay Frequency One Year One Year Management					
4	Ratify Auditors	For	For	Mar	nagement	

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of 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.

(Registrant) DWS Strategic Municipal Income Trust

By (Signature and Title) /s/W. Douglas Beck W. Douglas Beck, Chief Executive Officer and President

Date 8/18/11