

WESTERN ASSET MUNICIPAL PARTNERS FUND INC.

Form 3

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FORM 3**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting
Person *

MORGAN STANLEY

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1585 BROADWAY

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10036

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement(Month/Day/Year)
03/11/2015

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

WESTERN ASSET MUNICIPAL PARTNERS FUND
INC. [MNP]4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer5. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____X____ 10% Owner
____ Officer ____ Other
(give title below) (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting
Person
____ Form filed by More than One
Reporting Person**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Auction Preferred Stock

135 ⁽¹⁾

I By Subsidiary

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially
owned directly or indirectly.

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(Instr. 4)2. Date Exercisable and
Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)3. Title and Amount of
Securities Underlying
Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)4. Conversion
or Exercise
Price of
Derivative
Security5. Ownership
Form of
Derivative
Security:
Direct (D)
or Indirect6. Nature of Indirect
Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)Date Expiration Title Amount or
Exercisable Date Number of

Shares

(I)
(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MORGAN STANLEY 1585 BROADWAY NEW YORK, NY 10036	Â	Â X	Â	Â

Signatures

/s/ By: Morgan Stanley, By: Christina Huffman, Authorized
Signatory

02/05/2016

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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(1) The number of preferred shares reported herein is the same number of preferred shares previously reported as beneficially owned by the Reporting Person on the Amendment No. 2 to Schedule 13G filed by the Reporting Person with the SEC on February 9, 2012 (the "Section 13G Report"). The Reporting Person is filing this Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership on Form 3 solely as a result of a repurchase of a portion of the preferred shares by the Issuer in March 2015 (as reported by the Issuer in its Proxy Statement for its 2015 annual meeting of stockholders, filed with the SEC on April 2, 2015), and the Reporting Person has not otherwise engaged in any transactions with respect to the preferred shares subsequent to the filing of the Section 13G Report.

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