# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

# FORM 8-K

### **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): November 8, 2023

# **Logan Ridge Finance Corporation**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Maryland (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 814-01022 (Commission File Number) 90-0945675 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

650 Madison Avenue, 23rd Floor New York, New York (Address of Principal Executive Officers)

10022 (Zip Code)

(212) 891-2880

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

NOT APPLICABLE

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

□ Written communication pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

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Pre-commencement communication pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of Each Class	Trading symbol(s)	Name of Each Exchange on Which Registered
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	LRFC	NASDAQ Global Select Market

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2).

Emerging growth company  $\Box$ 

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

## Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On November 8, 2023, Logan Ridge Finance Corporation issued a press release announcing its financial results for the fiscal quarter ended September 30, 2023. A copy of the press release is being furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information disclosed under this Item 2.02, including Exhibit 99.1 hereto, is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, and shall not be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing made under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits:

Exhibit Number	Description Press Release, dated November 8, 2023 Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)
99.1	Press Release, dated November 8, 2023
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

# SIGNATURES

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

Date: November 8, 2023

By: /s/ Jason Roos

Name: Jason Roos Title: Chief Financial Officer



#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

#### Logan Ridge Finance Corporation Announces Third Quarter 2023 Financial Results

## Reports a Strong Third Quarter with Net Investment Income of \$0.43 Per Share, an Increase of 13% Compared to the Prior Quarter

#### Announces a Distribution of \$0.30 Per Share for the Fourth Quarter of 2023, an Increase of 15% Compared to the Prior Quarter

**NEW YORK, November 8, 2023** – Logan Ridge Finance Corporation ("Logan Ridge", "LRFC", "Company", "we", "us" or "our") (Nasdaq: LRFC) announced today its financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2023.

#### **Third Quarter 2023 Highlights**

- Reported Net Investment Income ("NII") of \$1.2 million, or \$0.43 per share, which marks the Company's fifth consecutive quarter of positive NII, and an increase of 13% over the prior quarter.
- Net Asset Value ("NAV") decreased to \$34.78 per share as of September 30, 2023 from \$35.68 per share as of June 30, 2023.
- As of September 30, 2023, our portfolio consisted of investments in 58 portfolio companies with a fair value of approximately \$187.1 million.
- There were no new portfolio companies added to non-accrual status during the three months ended September 30, 2023.
- The Company repurchased 17,384 of its outstanding shares during the quarter ended September 30, 2023 for an aggregate cost of approximately \$0.4 million under the share repurchase program which resulted in \$0.08 per share of NAV accretion.

#### Subsequent Events

- On November 7, 2023, the Company's Board of Directors approved a fourth quarter distribution of \$0.30 per share payable on November 30, 2023 to stockholders of record as of November 20, 2023.
- Total distributions declared in 2023 (including the fourth quarter distribution) were \$0.96 per share.

#### **Management Commentary**

Ted Goldthorpe, Chief Executive Officer and President of LRFC, said, "We are pleased to report another quarter of strong financial performance for the third quarter of 2023 largely reflecting the work we have done on both the left and right side of the balance sheet, the benefits of higher rates and prudent underwriting. Notably, I am incredibly pleased to report that total investment income has increased by 38% and net investment income increased by a substantial 534% compared to the third quarter of 2022, which was the Company's first quarter of positive NII since we took over managing Logan Ridge.

Further, the strength of the Company's financial performance has once again allowed the Board of Directors to approve another dividend increase. For the fourth quarter of 2023, the Board has authorized a dividend of \$0.30 per share, which represents another meaningful increase from \$0.26 per share declared during the prior quarter, \$0.22 per share declared during the second quarter, and \$0.18 per share declared during the first quarter of this year when we reintroduced the regular dividend.

Looking forward, we continue to see attractive opportunities throughout the market. Our pipeline remains strong, and the platform remains well equipped to take advantage of current market conditions."

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#### **Selected Financial Information**

- Total investment income for the third quarter of 2023 increased by \$1.4 million, to \$5.2 million, compared to \$3.8 million in the third quarter of 2022.
- Total operating expenses for the third quarter of 2023 increased by \$0.4 million, to \$4.0 million, compared to \$3.6 million for the third quarter of 2022.
- Net investment income for the third quarter of 2023 was \$1.2 million, as compared to \$0.2 million for the third quarter of 2022. The Company reported net investment income of \$1.0 million for the second quarter of 2023.
- Net asset value as of September 30, 2023 was \$93.2 million, or \$34.78 per share, as compared to \$96.2 million, or \$35.68 per share, as of June 30, 2023.
- Cash and cash equivalents as of September 30, 2023 were \$5.1 million, as compared to \$6.3 million as of June 30, 2023.
- The investment portfolio as of September 30, 2023 consisted of investments in 58 portfolio companies with a fair value of approximately \$187.1 million. This compares to 62 portfolio companies with a fair value of approximately \$206.6 million as of June 30, 2023.
- **Deployment** was strong, but it was offset by a few large exits at the end of the quarter. During the third quarter of 2023, we made approximately \$6.1 million of investments and had approximately \$23.2 million in repayments and sales of investments, resulting in net repayments and sales of approximately \$17.1 million for the period.
- The debt investment portfolio as of September 30, 2023 represented 82.0% of the fair value of our total portfolio, with a weighted average annualized yield of approximately 11.0% (excluding income from non-accruals and collateralized loan obligations), compared to a debt investment portfolio of approximately 82.2% with a weighted average annualized yield of approximately 10.8% (excluding income from non-accruals and collateralized loan obligations) as of June 30, 2023. As of September 30, 2023, 17.7% of the fair value of our debt investment portfolio was bearing a fixed rate of interest, compared to 16.8% of the fair value of our debt investment portfolio as of June 30, 2023.
- No new Non-Accruals: As of September 30, 2023, we had debt investments in two portfolio companies on non-accrual status with an amortized cost and fair value of \$16.8 million and \$10.6 million, respectively, representing 8.3% and 5.7% of the investment portfolio's amortized cost and fair value, respectively. As of June 30, 2023, we also had debt investments in two portfolio companies on non-accrual status with an aggregate amortized cost and fair value of \$17.1 million and \$11.1 million, respectively, representing 7.8% and 5.3% of the investment portfolio's amortized cost and fair value, respectively.
- Our asset coverage ratio as of September 30, 2023 was 191%.

#### **Results of Operations**

Operating results for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 and 2022 were as follows (dollars in thousands):

	Fo	For the Three Months Ended September 30,			For the Nine M Septem			
		2023	2022		2022 2023			2022
Total investment income	\$	5,162	\$	3,748	\$ 15,7	62	\$	10,389
Total expenses		4,008		3,566	12,4	96		12,186
Net investment income (loss)		1,154		182	3,2	66		(1,797)
Net realized (loss) gain on investments		(95)		(5,192)	(3,9	63)		10,274
Net change in unrealized (depreciation) appreciation on investments		(3,010)		2,049	1,3	36		(17,330)
Net (decrease) increase in net assets resulting from operations	\$	(1,951)	\$	(2,961)	\$6	39	\$	(8,853)

#### **Investment income**

The composition of our investment income for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 and 2022 was as follows (dollars in thousands):

	For the Three Months Ended September 30,       For the Nine Mon September 2023 $$2023$ $$2022$ $$4,765$ $$3,373$ $$14,440$ $$374$ $$297$ $$1,157$ $$14$ - $$47$ $$9$ $$78$ $$118$							
	2023 2022 2023			2023	2022			
Interest income	\$	4,765	\$	3,373	\$	14,440	\$	9,566
Payment-in-kind interest		374		297		1,157		737
Dividend income		14				47		
Other income		9		78		118		86
Total investment income	\$	5,162	\$	3,748	\$	15,762	\$	10,389



#### **Fair Value of Investments**

The composition of our investments as of September 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022 at amortized cost and the fair value of investments was as follows (dollars in thousands):

As of September 30, 2023	Investments at Amortized Cost	Amortized Cost Percentage of Total Portfolio	Investments at Fair Value	Fair Value Percentage of Total Portfolio
First Lien Debt	\$ 128,979	63.6%	\$ 121,263	64.8%
Second Lien Debt	8,784	4.3%	7,466	4.0%
Subordinated Debt	26,573	13.1%	24,728	13.2%
Collateralized Loan Obligations	2,327	1.2%	2,181	1.2%
Joint Venture	481	0.2%	471	0.2%
Equity	35,543	17.6%	30,990	16.6%
Total	\$ 202,687	100.0%	\$ 187,099	100.0%

As of December 31, 2022	Investments at Amortized Cost	Amortized Cost Percentage of Total Portfolio	Investments at Fair Value	Fair Value Percentage of Total Portfolio
First Lien Debt	\$ 143,047	64.9%	\$ 136,896	67.3%
Second Lien Debt	8,283	3.8%	6,464	3.2%
Subordinated Debt	26,571	12.0%	25,851	12.7%
Collateralized Loan Obligations	6,185	2.8%	4,972	2.4%
Joint Venture	414	0.2%	403	0.2%
Equity	36,016	16.3%	29,006	14.2%
Total	\$ 220,516	100.0%	\$ 203,592	100.0%

#### **Interest Rate Risk**

Based on our September 30, 2023 consolidated statements of assets and liabilities, the following table shows the annual impact on net income (excluding the potential related incentive fee impact) of base rate changes in interest rates (considering interest rate floors for variable rate securities) assuming no changes in our investment and borrowing structure (dollars in thousands):

Basis Point Change	Increase (decrease) in interest income		decrease) in decrease in			ncrease crease) in t income
Up 300 basis points	\$	3,935	\$	(1,090)	\$	2,845
Up 200 basis points		2,623		(727)		1,896
Up 100 basis points		1,312		(363)		949
Down 100 basis points		(1,312)		363		(949)
Down 200 basis points		(2,623)		727		(1,896)
Down 300 basis points	\$	(3,873)	\$	1,090	\$	(2,783)

#### **Conference Call and Webcast**

We will hold a conference call on Thursday, November 9, 2023, at 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time to discuss third quarter 2023 financial results. Stockholders, prospective stockholders, and analysts are welcome to listen to the call or attend the webcast.

To access the conference call, please dial (646) 307-1963 approximately 10 minutes prior to the start of the call and use the conference ID 3976270. A replay of this conference call will be available shortly after the live call through November 16th.

A live audio webcast of the conference call can be accessed via the Internet, on a listen-only basis on our Company's website www.loganridgefinance.com in the Investor Resources section under Events and Presentations. The webcast can also be accessed by clicking the following link: <u>https://edge.media-server.com/mmc/p/vy93a7qf</u>. The online archive of the webcast will be available on the Company's website shortly after the call.

#### **About Logan Ridge Finance Corporation**

Logan Ridge Finance Corporation (Nasdaq: LRFC) is a business development company that invests primarily in first lien loans and, to a lesser extent, second lien loans and equity securities issued by lower middle-market companies. The Company invests in performing, well-established middle-market businesses that operate across a wide range of industries. It employs fundamental credit analysis, targeting investments in businesses with relatively low levels of cyclicality and operating risk. For more information, visit www.loganridgefinance.com.

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#### About Mount Logan Capital Inc.

Mount Logan Capital Inc. is an alternative asset management company that is focused on public and private debt securities in the North American market. The Company seeks to source and actively manage loans and other debt-like securities with credit-oriented characteristics. The Company actively sources, evaluates, underwrites, manages, monitors, and primarily invests in loans, debt securities, and other credit-oriented instruments that present attractive risk-adjusted returns and present low risk of principal impairment through the credit cycle.

#### About BC Partners Advisors L.P. and BC Partners Credit

BC Partners is a leading international investment firm with over \$40 billion of assets under management in private equity, private credit and real estate strategies. Established in 1986, BC Partners has played an active role in developing the European buyout market for three decades. Today, BC Partners executives operate across markets as an integrated team through the firm's offices in North America and Europe. Since inception, BC Partners has completed 117 private equity investments in companies with a total enterprise value of €149 billion and is currently investing its eleventh private equity fund. For more information, please visit www.bcpartners.com.

BC Partners Credit was launched in February 2017 and has pursued a strategy focused on identifying attractive credit opportunities in any market environment and across sectors, leveraging the deal sourcing and infrastructure made available from BC Partners.

#### **Cautionary Statement Regarding Forward-Looking Statements**

This communication contains "forward-looking" statements. Forward-looking statements concern future circumstances and results and other statements that are not historical facts and are sometimes identified by the words "may," "will," "should," "potential," "intend," "expect," "endeavor," "seek," "anticipate," "estimate," "overestimate," "underestimate," "believe," "could," "project," "predict," "continue," "target" or other similar words or expressions. Forward-looking statements are based upon current plans, estimates and expectations that are subject to risks, uncertainties, and assumptions. Should one or more of these risks or uncertainties materialize, or should underlying assumptions prove to be incorrect, actual results may vary materially from those indicated or anticipated by such forward-looking statements. The inclusion of such statements should not be regarded as a representation that such plans, estimates or expectations will be achieved. Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from such plans, estimates or expectations include those risk factors detailed in the Company's reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), including the Company's annual report on Form 10-K, quarterly reports on Form 10-Q, current reports on Form 8-K and other documents filed with the SEC.

Any forward-looking statements speak only as of the date of this communication. The Company does not undertake any obligation to update any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information or developments, future events or otherwise, except as required by law. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on any of these forward-looking statements.

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# Logan Ridge Finance Corporation Consolidated Statements of Assets and Liabilities (in thousands, except share and per share data)

		As of ptember 30, 2023 inaudited)	De	As of cember 31, 2022
ASSETS	(,	maaantea)		
Investments at fair value:				
Non-control/non-affiliate investments (amortized cost of \$176,518 and \$191,435, respectively)	\$	159,255	\$	177,268
Affiliate investments (amortized cost of \$26,169 and \$29,081, respectively)		27,844		26,324
Total investments at fair value (amortized cost of \$202,687 and \$220,516, respectively)		187,099	_	203,592
Cash and cash equivalents		5,115		6,793
Interest and dividend receivable		2,293		1,578
Prepaid expenses		2,381		2,682
Other assets		14		65
Total assets	\$	196,902	\$	214,710
LIABILITIES			_	
2026 Notes (net of deferred financing costs and original issue discount of \$1,147 and \$1,421, respectively)		48,853		48,579
2032 Convertible Notes (net of deferred financing costs and original issue discount of \$1,029 and \$1,117,				
respectively)		13,971		13,883
KeyBank Credit Facility (net of deferred financing costs of \$1,068 and \$1,322, respectively)		34,782		54,615
Management and incentive fees payable		913		933
Interest and financing fees payable		1,401		973
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		1,460		722
Payable for unsettled trades		2,314		—
Total liabilities	\$	103,694	\$	119,705
Commitments and contingencies				
NET ASSETS				
Common stock, par value \$0.01, 100,000,000 common shares authorized, 2,679,812 and 2,711,068 common shares				
issued and outstanding, respectively	\$	27	\$	27
Additional paid in capital		190,384		191,038
Total distributable loss		(97,203)		(96,060)
Total net assets	\$	93,208	\$	95,005
Total liabilities and net assets	\$	196,902	\$	214,710
Net asset value per share	\$	34.78	\$	35.04

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# Logan Ridge Finance Corporation Consolidated Statements of Operations (in thousands, except share and per share data)

	For the Three Months Ended September 30,			For the Nine Mon September				er 30,		
INVESTMENT INCOME		2023		2022		2023			2022	
Interest income:										
Non-control/non-affiliate investments	\$	4,650	\$	3,162	\$	14,027		\$	8,817	
Affiliate investments	Ψ	115	Ψ	176	Ψ	413		Ψ	521	
Control investments				35					228	
Total interest income		4,765		3,373		14,440			9,566	
Payment-in-kind interest and dividend income:		4,700		0,070		14,440			5,500	
Non-control/non-affiliate investments		325		250		1,012	(1)		597	
Affiliate investments		49		47		145	()		140	
Total payment-in-kind interest and dividend income		374		297		1,157			737	
		5/4		237		1,157			/3/	
Dividend income: Affiliate investments		14				47				
		14				47				
Total dividend income		14				47				
Other income:		0		-						
Non-control/non-affiliate investments		8		78		117			86	
Affiliate investments		1				1				
Total other income		9		78		118			86	
Total investment income		5,162		3,748		15,762			10,389	
EXPENSES										
Interest and financing expenses		2,080		1,558		6,385			5,877	
Base management fee		913		927		2,789			2,928	
Directors' expense		135		135		405			358	
Administrative service fees		198		175		679			426	
General and administrative expenses		682		771		2,238			2,597	
Total expenses		4,008		3,566		12,496			12,186	
NET INVESTMENT INCOME (LOSS)		1,154		182		3,266			(1,797)	
REALIZED AND UNREALIZED (LOSS) GAIN ON INVESTMENTS										
Net realized (loss) gain on investments:										
Non-control/non-affiliate investments		(95)		23		(3,963)			15,489	
Control investments				(5,215)					(5,215)	
Net realized (loss) gain on investments		(95)		(5,192)		(3,963)			10,274	
Net change in unrealized (depreciation) appreciation on investments:										
Non-control/non-affiliate investments		(2,356)		652		(3,096)			(16,993)	
Affiliate investments		(654)		(3,825)		4,432			(2,348)	
Control investments		—		5,222		—			2,011	
Net change in unrealized (depreciation) appreciation on investments		(3,010)		2,049		1,336			(17,330)	
Total net realized and change in unrealized loss on investments		(3,105)		(3,143)		(2,627)			(7,056)	
NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN NET ASSETS RESULTING FROM		(-))		(-) -)		<u> </u>			<u> </u>	
OPERATIONS	\$	(1,951)	\$	(2,961)	\$	639		\$	(8,853)	
NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN NET ASSETS PER SHARE										
<b>RESULTING FROM OPERATIONS – BASIC &amp; DILUTED</b>	\$	(0.73)	\$	(1.09)	\$	0.24		\$	(3.27)	
WEIGHTED AVERAGE COMMON STOCK OUTSTANDING – BASIC &										
DILUTED		,688,826		,711,068		,701,133			711,068	
DISTRIBUTIONS PAID PER SHARE	\$	0.26	\$	—	\$	0.66		\$		

(1) During the nine months ended September 30, 2023, the Company received \$0.2 million of non-recurring fee income that was paid in-kind and included in this financial statement line item.