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## **Muni Junk-Bonds Face Pickier Buyers With Shrinking Risk Premiums.**

### **Takeaways by Bloomberg AI**

- Investors in the high-yield municipal bond market are being picky and have shied away from some recent offerings, such as one from QCF/I, Inc.
- Higher absolute yields and tighter spreads between investment grade and riskier debt have given bond buyers fewer reasons to consider deals further down the credit spectrum.
- High-yield defaults have been in line with historical levels this year, with 33 first-time defaults totaling \$2.81 billion, according to Municipal Market Analytics.

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