

NUVEEN NORTH CAROLINA QUALITY MUNICIPAL INCOME FUND  
Form N-Q  
October 30, 2018

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, DC 20549**

**FORM N-Q**

**QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT  
INVESTMENT COMPANY**

Investment Company Act file number 811-07608

**Nuveen North Carolina Quality Municipal Income Fund**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

**Nuveen Investments**

**333 West Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

**Gifford R. Zimmerman**

**Vice President and Secretary**

**333 West Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606**

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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 312-917-7700

Date of fiscal year end: May 31

Date of reporting period: August 31, 2018

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**Item 1. Schedule of Investments**

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Nuveen North Carolina Quality Municipal Income Fund

Portfolio of Investments August 31, 2018

(Unaudited)

Principal

Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Optional Call Provisions (2)	Ratings (3)	Value
	LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS – 167.2% (100.0% of Total Investments)			
	MUNICIPAL BONDS – 167.2% (100.0% of Total Investments)			
	Education and Civic Organizations – 28.6% (17.1% of Total Investments)			
	Board of Governors of the University of North Carolina, Winston-Salem State University General Revenue Bonds, Series 2013:			
\$ 2,950	5.000%, 4/01/33	4/22 at 100.00	A3	\$3,179,510
1,000	5.125%, 4/01/43	4/22 at 100.00	A3	1,078,140
5,000	East Carolina University, North Carolina, General Revenue Bonds, Series 2014A, 5.000%, 10/01/41	10/23 at 100.00	Aa2	5,524,150
2,310	East Carolina University, North Carolina, General Revenue Bonds, Series 2016A, 5.000%, 10/01/29	4/26 at 100.00	Aa2	2,687,061
1,500	Fayetteville State University, North Carolina, Limited Obligation Revenue Bonds, Student Housing Project, Series 2011, 5.000%, 4/01/43 – AGM Insured	4/21 at 100.00	AA	1,590,525
	North Carolina Capital Facilities Finance Agency, Revenue Bonds, Davidson College, Series 2014:			
500	5.000%, 3/01/26	3/22 at 100.00	AA+	549,595
250	5.000%, 3/01/28	3/22 at 100.00	AA+	273,913
500	5.000%, 3/01/29	3/22 at 100.00	AA+	547,120
500	5.000%, 3/01/32	3/22 at 100.00	AA+	545,890
1,230	5.000%, 3/01/45	3/22 at 100.00	AA+	1,331,696
3,900	North Carolina Capital Facilities Finance Agency, Revenue Bonds, Duke University Project, Refunding Series 2016B, 5.000%, 7/01/42	10/26 at 100.00	AA+	4,467,450
1,605	North Carolina Capital Facilities Finance Agency, Revenue Bonds, Duke University Project, Series 2015 A, 5.000%, 10/01/55	10/25 at 100.00	AA+	1,798,370
	North Carolina Capital Facilities Finance Agency, Revenue Bonds, Johnson & Wales University, Series 2013A:			
1,560	5.000%, 4/01/32	4/23 at 100.00	A-	1,709,807
1,000	5.000%, 4/01/33	4/23 at 100.00	A-	1,094,230
4,440	North Carolina Capital Facilities Finance Agency, Revenue Bonds, The Methodist University, Series 2012, 5.000%, 3/01/34	3/22 at 100.00	BBB	4,677,806
5,000	North Carolina Capital Facilities Financing Agency, Educational Facility Revenue Bonds, Wake Forest University, Refunding Series 2016, 4.000%, 1/01/37	7/26 at 100.00	AA	5,264,050
2,500	North Carolina Capital Facilities Financing Agency, Educational Facility Revenue Bonds, Wake Forest University, Refunding Series 2018, 5.000%, 1/01/48	1/28 at 100.00	AA	2,871,000

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North Carolina Central University, General Revenue Bonds,  
Refunding Series 2016:

2,915	5.000%, 10/01/23	No Opt. Call	A3	3,260,078
3,070	5.000%, 10/01/24	No Opt. Call	A3	3,475,823
1,360	5.000%, 10/01/25	No Opt. Call	A3	1,555,418
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NNCNuveen North Carolina Quality Municipal Income Fund (continued)  
 Portfolio of Investments August 31, 2018  
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Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Optional Call Provisions (2)	Ratings (3)	Value
	Education and Civic Organizations (continued)			
\$ 2,020	North Carolina State University at Raleigh, General Revenue Bonds, Series 2013A, 5.000%, 10/01/42	10/23 at 100.00	Aa1	\$2,245,897
290	University of North Carolina System, Pooled Revenue Bonds, Series 2005A, 5.000%, 4/01/22 – AMBAC Insured	11/18 at 100.00	A	290,748
800	University of North Carolina, Charlotte, General Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2015, 5.000%, 4/01/45	4/25 at 100.00	Aa3	896,296
170	University of North Carolina, Charlotte, General Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2017A, 5.000%, 10/01/31	10/27 at 100.00	Aa3	198,295
	University of North Carolina, Charlotte, General Revenue Bonds, Series 2014:			
2,070	5.000%, 4/01/32	4/24 at 100.00	Aa3	2,344,482
1,175	5.000%, 4/01/33	4/24 at 100.00	Aa3	1,328,843
1,385	5.000%, 4/01/35	4/24 at 100.00	Aa3	1,560,202
2,735	University of North Carolina, Charlotte, General Revenue Bonds, Series 2017, 5.000%, 10/01/47	10/27 at 100.00	Aa3	3,099,193
1,415	University of North Carolina, Greensboro, General Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2017, 5.000%, 4/01/31	4/28 at 100.00	Aa3	1,673,478
	University of North Carolina, Greensboro, General Revenue Bonds, Series 2014:			
1,000	5.000%, 4/01/32	4/24 at 100.00	Aa3	1,130,380
3,065	5.000%, 4/01/39	4/24 at 100.00	Aa3	3,435,804
1,250	Western Carolina University, North Carolina, General Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2015A, 5.000%, 10/01/45	10/25 at 100.00	Aa3	1,411,613
60,465	Total Education and Civic Organizations			67,096,863
	Health Care – 24.2% (14.5% of Total Investments)			
2,000	Charlotte-Mecklenberg Hospital Authority, North Carolina, Health Care Revenue Bonds, DBA Carolinas HealthCare System, Series 2011A, 5.250%, 1/15/42	1/21 at 100.00	AA-	2,146,720
2,750	Charlotte-Mecklenburg Hospital Authority, North Carolina, Health Care Revenue Bonds, DBA Carolinas HealthCare System, Refunding Series 2009A, 5.250%, 1/15/39	1/19 at 100.00	AA-	2,784,403
5,250	Charlotte-Mecklenburg Hospital Authority, North Carolina, Health Care Revenue Bonds, DBA Carolinas HealthCare System, Refunding Series 2012A, 5.000%, 1/15/43	1/22 at 100.00	AA-	5,681,025
4,295	Nash Health Care Systems, North Carolina, Health Care Facilities Revenue Bonds, Series 2012, 5.000%, 11/01/41	5/22 at 100.00	BBB+	4,529,163
500	New Hanover County, North Carolina, Hospital Revenue Bonds, New Hanover Regional Medical Center, Refunding Series 2013, 5.000%, 10/01/26	10/23 at 100.00	A+	561,980
2,700	New Hanover County, North Carolina, Hospital Revenue Bonds, New Hanover Regional Medical Center, Series 2017, 5.000%, 10/01/47	10/27 at 100.00	A+	3,014,631

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	North Carolina Medical Care Commission Health Care Facilities			
	Revenue Bonds Novant Health Inc., Series 2010A:			
4,750	5.250%, 11/01/40	11/20 at 100.00	AA-	5,068,772
5,000	5.000%, 11/01/43	11/20 at 100.00	AA-	5,271,350
	North Carolina Medical Care Commission, Health Care Facilities			
2,680	Revenue Bonds, Appalachian Regional HealthCare System, Series 2011A, 6.500%, 7/01/31	7/21 at 100.00	BBB+	2,908,390
	North Carolina Medical Care Commission, Health Care Facilities			
2,750	Revenue Bonds, Blue Ridge HealthCare, Refunding Series 2010A, 5.000%, 1/01/36	1/20 at 100.00	A	2,835,497
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Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Optional Call Provisions (2)	Ratings (3)	Value
	Health Care (continued)			
\$ 2,375	North Carolina Medical Care Commission, Health Care Facilities Revenue Bonds, Cape Fear Valley Health System, Refunding Series 2012A, 5.000%, 10/01/27	10/22 at 100.00	A-	\$2,577,588
1,250	North Carolina Medical Care Commission, Health Care Facilities Revenue Bonds, Duke University Health System, Refunding Series 2016D, 5.000%, 6/01/29	6/26 at 100.00	AA	1,453,313
2,000	North Carolina Medical Care Commission, Health Care Facilities Revenue Bonds, Duke University Health System, Series 2012A, 5.000%, 6/01/42	6/22 at 100.00	AA	2,173,620
2,000	North Carolina Medical Care Commission, Health Care Facilities Revenue Bonds, Rex Healthcare, Series 2015A, 5.000%, 7/01/44	7/25 at 100.00	AA-	2,184,380
3,515	North Carolina Medical Care Commission, Health Care Facilities Revenue Bonds, Vidant Health, Refunding Series 2012A, 5.000%, 6/01/36	6/22 at 100.00	A+	3,773,317
1,125	North Carolina Medical Care Commission, Health Care Facilities Revenue Bonds, Wake Forest Baptist Obligated Group, Refunding Series 2012B, 5.000%, 12/01/27	12/22 at 100.00	A	1,247,456
3,000	North Carolina Medical Care Commission, Health Care Facilities Revenue Bonds, Wake Forest Baptist Obligated Group, Series 2012A, 5.000%, 12/01/45	12/22 at 100.00	A	3,274,500
2,000	North Carolina Medical Care Commission, Health Care Facilities Revenue Bonds, WakeMed, Refunding Series 2012A, 5.000%, 10/01/27	10/22 at 100.00	A+	2,214,480
2,930	North Carolina Medical Care Commission, Hospital Revenue Bonds, Southeastern Regional Medical Center, Refunding Series 2012, 5.000%, 6/01/32	6/22 at 100.00	A	3,173,454
52,870	Total Health Care			56,874,039
	Housing/Multifamily – 1.2% (0.7% of Total Investments)			
	Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, FNMA Multifamily Housing Revenue Bonds, Little Rock Apartments, Series 2003:			
430	5.150%, 1/01/22 (Alternative Minimum Tax)	12/18 at 100.00	N/R	432,395
2,260	5.375%, 1/01/36 (Alternative Minimum Tax)	12/18 at 100.00	N/R	2,267,571
2,690	Total Housing/Multifamily			2,699,966
	Housing/Single Family – 0.7% (0.4% of Total Investments)			
1,560	North Carolina Housing Finance Agency, Home Ownership Revenue Bonds, Series 2011-1, 4.500%, 1/01/28	1/21 at 100.00	AA	1,607,798
	Long-Term Care – 1.5% (0.9% of Total Investments)			
2,690	North Carolina Medical Care Commission, Health Care Facilities Revenue Bonds, Deerfield Episcopal Retirement Community, Refunding First Mortgage Series 2016, 5.000%, 11/01/37	11/26 at 100.00	A	2,992,168
450	North Carolina Medical Care Commission, Retirement Facilities First Mortgage Revenue Bonds, United Methodist Retirement Homes, Refunding Series 2013A, 5.000%, 10/01/33	10/23 at 100.00	N/R	480,892
3,140	Total Long-Term Care			3,473,060
	Tax Obligation/General – 5.9% (3.6% of Total Investments)			
1,000		7/26 at 100.00	AAA	1,171,940

Charlotte, North Carolina, General Obligation Bonds, Refunding  
Series 2016A, 5.000%, 7/01/30

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	Tax Obligation/General (continued)			
	Davidson County, North Carolina, General Obligation Bonds, Refunding Series 2016:			
\$ 300	5.000%, 6/01/25	No Opt. Call	AA	\$350,289
1,450	5.000%, 6/01/27	No Opt. Call	AA	1,731,677
835	Durham, North Carolina, General Obligation Bonds, Refunding Series 2015, 5.000%, 10/01/26	No Opt. Call	AAA	999,537
1,050	Forsyth County, North Carolina, General Obligation Bonds, Limited Obligation Series 2009, 5.000%, 4/01/30	4/20 at 100.00	AA+	1,101,177
1,220	Guilford County, North Carolina, General Obligation Bonds, Public Improvement Series 2017B, 5.000%, 5/01/26	No Opt. Call	AAA	1,450,922
1,740	Guilford County, North Carolina, General Obligation Bonds, Refunding Series 2017, 5.000%, 3/01/27	No Opt. Call	AAA	2,092,976
3,210	Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, General Obligation Bonds, Refunding Series 2013A, 5.000%, 12/01/26	No Opt. Call	AAA	3,851,679
1,000	Raleigh, North Carolina, General Obligation Bonds, Refunding Series 2016A, 5.000%, 9/01/26	No Opt. Call	AAA	1,194,400
11,805	Total Tax Obligation/General			13,944,597
	Tax Obligation/Limited – 22.1% (13.2% of Total Investments)			
	Buncombe County, North Carolina, Limited Obligation Bonds, Refunding Series 2014A:			
1,085	5.000%, 6/01/33	6/24 at 100.00	AA+	1,223,565
1,600	5.000%, 6/01/34	6/24 at 100.00	AA+	1,799,792
	Catawba County, North Carolina, General Obligation Bonds, Limited Obligation Series 2014A:			
1,000	5.000%, 6/01/30	6/24 at 100.00	AA	1,113,040
730	5.000%, 6/01/31	6/24 at 100.00	AA	810,475
2,405	Charlotte, North Carolina, Certificates of Participation, Transit Projects Phase 2, Refunding Series 2008A, 5.000%, 6/01/33	11/18 at 100.00	AA+	2,410,676
2,045	Charlotte, North Carolina, Storm Water Fee Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2014, 5.000%, 12/01/39	12/24 at 100.00	AAA	2,317,087
2,085	Dare County, North Carolina, Installment Purchase Contract, Limited Obligation Series 2012B, 5.000%, 6/01/28	6/22 at 100.00	AA	2,283,158
500	Henderson County, North Carolina, Limited Obligation Bonds, Series 2015, 5.000%, 10/01/31	10/25 at 100.00	AA	569,780
692	Hillsborough, North Carolina, Special Assessment Revenue Bonds, Series 2013, 7.750%, 2/01/24	2/23 at 100.00	N/R	711,584
980	Jacksonville Public Facilities Corporation, North Carolina, Limited Obligation Bonds, Refunding Series 2017, 5.000%, 4/01/29	4/28 at 100.00	Aa3	1,157,213
	North Carolina State, Limited Obligation Bonds, Refunding Series 2014C:			
3,000	5.000%, 5/01/24	No Opt. Call	AA+	3,456,390
5,000	5.000%, 5/01/25	5/24 at 100.00	AA+	5,740,550

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North Carolina State, Limited Obligation Bonds, Refunding

Series 2017B:

2,000	5.000%, 5/01/29	5/27 at 100.00	AA+	2,369,820
4,000	5.000%, 5/01/30	5/27 at 100.00	AA+	4,719,280
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Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Optional Call Provisions (2)	Ratings (3)	Value
	Tax Obligation/Limited (continued)			
\$ 8,065	North Carolina Turnpike Authority, Monroe Connector System State Appropriation Bonds, Series 2011, 5.000%, 7/01/41	7/21 at 100.00	AA+	\$8,679,392
	Orange County Public Facilities Company, North Carolina, Limited Obligation Bonds, Refunding Series 2017:			
1,500	5.000%, 10/01/26	No Opt. Call	AA+	1,778,580
200	5.000%, 10/01/27	No Opt. Call	AA+	239,818
150	5.000%, 10/01/28	10/27 at 100.00	AA+	178,925
400	5.000%, 10/01/30	10/27 at 100.00	AA+	472,876
1,000	Raleigh, North Carolina, Limited Obligation Bonds, Series 2013, 5.000%, 10/01/33	10/23 at 100.00	AA+	1,120,410
	Raleigh, North Carolina, Limited Obligation Bonds, Series 2014A:			
1,195	5.000%, 10/01/25	10/24 at 100.00	AA+	1,381,253
1,305	5.000%, 10/01/26	10/24 at 100.00	AA+	1,504,404
650	Rocky Mount, North Carolina, Special Obligation Bonds, Series 2016, 5.000%, 5/01/30	5/26 at 100.00	AA+	744,523
	Sampson County, North Carolina, Limited Obligation Bonds, Refunding Series 2017:			
300	5.000%, 9/01/32	9/27 at 100.00	A1	346,200
1,250	4.000%, 9/01/35	9/27 at 100.00	A1	1,308,650
1,265	4.000%, 9/01/36	9/27 at 100.00	A1	1,318,370
1,000	4.000%, 9/01/37	9/27 at 100.00	A1	1,039,840
	Wayne County, North Carolina General Obligation Bonds, Limited Series 2017:			
500	5.000%, 6/01/25	No Opt. Call	AA-	581,780
500	5.000%, 6/01/26	No Opt. Call	AA-	588,595
46,402	Total Tax Obligation/Limited Transportation – 26.6% (15.9% of Total Investments)			51,966,026
5,000	Charlotte, North Carolina, Airport Revenue Bonds, Charlotte Douglas International Refunding Series 2010A, 5.000%, 7/01/39	7/20 at 100.00	AA-	5,257,750
10	Charlotte, North Carolina, Airport Revenue Bonds, Charlotte Douglas International Refunding Series 2010B, 5.375%, 7/01/28 (Alternative Minimum Tax)	7/20 at 100.00	AA-	10,580
1,425	Charlotte, North Carolina, Airport Revenue Bonds, Charlotte Douglas International, Refunding Series 2011A, 5.000%, 7/01/41	7/21 at 100.00	AA-	1,531,932
	Charlotte, North Carolina, Airport Revenue Bonds, Charlotte Douglas International, Refunding Series 2014A:			
2,865	5.000%, 7/01/27	7/24 at 100.00	AA-	3,257,390
3,000	5.000%, 7/01/28	7/24 at 100.00	AA-	3,400,440
	Charlotte, North Carolina, Airport Revenue Bonds, Charlotte Douglas International, Refunding Series 2017A:			
1,365	5.000%, 7/01/42	7/27 at 100.00	Aa3	1,562,652
5,390	5.000%, 7/01/47	7/27 at 100.00	Aa3	6,148,157
1,400	Charlotte, North Carolina, Airport Revenue Bonds, Charlotte Douglas International, Series 2011B, 5.000%, 7/01/36 (Alternative Minimum Tax)	7/21 at 100.00	AA-	1,496,726

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10,000	North Carolina Department of Transportation, Private Activity Revenue Bonds, I-77 Hot Lanes Project, Series 2015, 5.000%, 6/30/54 (Alternative Minimum Tax)	6/25 at 100.00	BBB-	10,683,400
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Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Optional Call Provisions (2)	Ratings (3)	Value
	Transportation (continued)			
\$ 2,725	North Carolina State Ports Authority, Port Facilities Revenue Bonds, Senior Lien Series 2010A, 5.250%, 2/01/40	2/20 at 100.00	A3	\$2,828,959
515	North Carolina State Ports Authority, Port Facilities Revenue Bonds, Senior Lien Series 2010B, 5.000%, 2/01/29	2/20 at 100.00	A3	533,823
	North Carolina Turnpike Authority, Monroe Expressway Toll Revenue Bonds, Capital Appreciation Series 2017C:			
835	0.000%, 7/01/28	7/26 at 91.99	BBB-	570,430
800	0.000%, 7/01/30	7/26 at 83.69	BBB-	490,424
850	0.000%, 7/01/31	7/26 at 79.58	BBB-	493,204
2,400	0.000%, 7/01/33	7/26 at 71.99	BBB-	1,249,176
3,160	0.000%, 7/01/36	7/26 at 61.63	BBB-	1,395,045
3,100	0.000%, 7/01/37	7/26 at 58.52	BBB-	1,297,691
1,900	0.000%, 7/01/40	7/26 at 50.36	BBB-	679,744
400	North Carolina Turnpike Authority, Monroe Expressway Toll Revenue Bonds, Series 2017A, 5.000%, 7/01/47	7/26 at 100.00	BBB-	434,452
2,200	North Carolina Turnpike Authority, Triangle Expressway System Revenue Bonds, Refunding Senior Lien Series 2017, 5.000%, 1/01/39 – AGM Insured	1/27 at 100.00	AA	2,475,242
	North Carolina Turnpike Authority, Triangle Expressway System Revenue Bonds, Senior Lien Series 2009B:			
150	0.000%, 1/01/31 – AGC Insured	No Opt. Call	AA	96,756
4,375	0.000%, 1/01/33 – AGC Insured	No Opt. Call	AA	2,576,963
2,300	0.000%, 1/01/34 – AGC Insured	No Opt. Call	AA	1,291,910
2,380	0.000%, 1/01/35 – AGC Insured	No Opt. Call	AA	1,273,110
7,575	0.000%, 1/01/37 – AGC Insured	No Opt. Call	AA	3,692,813
1,470	0.000%, 1/01/38 – AGC Insured	No Opt. Call	AA	683,859
	Raleigh Durham Airport Authority, North Carolina, Airport Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2010A:			
2,490	5.000%, 5/01/26	5/20 at 100.00	Aa3	2,615,994
4,125	5.000%, 5/01/36	5/20 at 100.00	Aa3	4,319,205
74,205	Total Transportation			62,347,827
	U.S. Guaranteed – 26.3% (15.7% of Total Investments) (4)			
2,135	Cape Fear Public Utility Authority, North Carolina, Water & Sewer System Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2011, 5.000%, 8/01/31 (Pre-refunded 8/01/21)	8/21 at 100.00	AA+	2,322,453
	Dare County, North Carolina, Utilities System Revenue Bonds, Series 2011:			
3,860	5.000%, 2/01/36 (Pre-refunded 2/01/21)	2/21 at 100.00	AA	4,155,136
1,250	5.000%, 2/01/41 (Pre-refunded 2/01/21)	2/21 at 100.00	AA	1,345,575
8,600	Durham, North Carolina, Utility System Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2011, 5.000%, 6/01/41 (Pre-refunded 6/01/21)	6/21 at 100.00	AAA	9,332,032
	Harnett County, North Carolina, Certificates of Participation, Series 2009:			

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1,000	5.000%, 6/01/28 (Pre-refunded 6/01/19) – AGC Insured	6/19 at 100.00	AA	1,024,850
500	5.000%, 6/01/29 (Pre-refunded 6/01/19) – AGC Insured	6/19 at 100.00	AA	512,425
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	U.S. Guaranteed (4) (continued)			
	Jacksonville Public Facilities Corporation, North Carolina, Limited Obligation Bonds, Series 2012:			
\$ 1,065	5.000%, 4/01/29 (Pre-refunded 4/01/22)	4/22 at 100.00	Aa3	\$1,176,548
1,165	5.000%, 4/01/30 (Pre-refunded 4/01/22)	4/22 at 100.00	Aa3	1,287,022
1,000	5.000%, 4/01/31 (Pre-refunded 4/01/22)	4/22 at 100.00	Aa3	1,104,740
200	5.000%, 4/01/32 (Pre-refunded 4/01/22)	4/22 at 100.00	Aa3	220,948
	Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, Certificates of Participation, Series 2009A, 5.000%, 2/01/27 (Pre-refunded 2/01/19)	2/19 at 100.00	AA+	405,632
	New Hanover County, North Carolina, Hospital Revenue Bonds, New Hanover Regional Medical Center, Series 2006B, 5.125%, 10/01/31 (Pre-refunded 10/01/19) – AGM Insured	10/19 at 100.00	AA	575,346
1,000	North Carolina Capital Facilities Finance Agency, General Revenue Bonds, Duke University, Series 2009B, 5.000%, 10/01/38 (Pre-refunded 4/01/19)	4/19 at 100.00	AA+	1,019,740
	North Carolina Eastern Municipal Power Agency, Power System Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 1993B:			
180	6.000%, 1/01/22 – FGIC Insured (ETM)	No Opt. Call	Baa2	203,211
100	6.000%, 1/01/22 (ETM)	No Opt. Call	N/R	113,067
1,400	North Carolina Eastern Municipal Power Agency, Power System Revenue Bonds, Series 2009B, 5.000%, 1/01/26 (Pre-refunded 1/01/19)	1/19 at 100.00	AAA	1,415,694
3,500	North Carolina Eastern Municipal Power Agency, Power System Revenue Bonds, Series 2012A, 5.000%, 1/01/25 (Pre-refunded 7/01/22)	7/22 at 100.00	AAA	3,888,535
1,680	North Carolina Medical Care Commission, Health Care Facilities Revenue Bonds, Cleveland County Healthcare System, Refunding Series 2011A, 5.750%, 1/01/35 (Pre-refunded 1/01/21)	1/21 at 100.00	N/R	1,828,613
785	North Carolina Municipal Power Agency 1, Catawba Electric Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2009A, 5.000%, 1/01/30 (Pre-refunded 1/01/19)	1/19 at 100.00	AAA	793,800
4,260	North Carolina Municipal Power Agency 1, Catawba Electric Revenue Bonds, Series 1986, 5.000%, 1/01/20 (ETM)	No Opt. Call	Aaa	4,367,863
1,535	North Carolina Municipal Power Agency 1, Catawba Electric Revenue Bonds, Series 2012B, 5.000%, 1/01/21 (ETM)	No Opt. Call	A	1,646,549
	North Carolina Turnpike Authority, Triangle Expressway System Revenue Bonds, Series 2009A:			
140	5.000%, 1/01/21 (Pre-refunded 1/01/19) – AGC Insured	1/19 at 100.00	AA	141,547
265	5.375%, 1/01/26 (Pre-refunded 1/01/19) – AGC Insured	1/19 at 100.00	AA	268,246
1,700	5.500%, 1/01/29 (Pre-refunded 1/01/19) – AGC Insured	1/19 at 100.00	AA	1,721,505
7,335	5.750%, 1/01/39 (Pre-refunded 1/01/19) – AGC Insured	1/19 at 100.00	AA	7,433,656
	Oak Island, North Carolina, Enterprise System Revenue Bonds, Series 2009:			
2,020	6.000%, 6/01/34 (Pre-refunded 6/01/19) – AGC Insured	6/19 at 100.00	AA	2,084,963
1,020	6.000%, 6/01/36 (Pre-refunded 6/01/19) – AGC Insured	6/19 at 100.00	AA	1,052,803

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Oak Island, North Carolina, Enterprise System Revenue Bonds,  
Series 2011:

600	5.625%, 6/01/30 (Pre-refunded 6/01/20) – AGC Insured	6/20 at 100.00	AA	639,846
2,100	5.750%, 6/01/36 (Pre-refunded 6/01/20) – AGC Insured	6/20 at 100.00	AA	2,243,934
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Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Optional Call Provisions (2)	Ratings (3)	Value
	U.S. Guaranteed (4) (continued)			
	University of North Carolina, System Pooled Revenue Bonds, Series 2009C:			
\$ 1,000	5.250%, 10/01/28 (Pre-refunded 10/01/19)	10/19 at 100.00	A3	\$1,037,980
1,000	5.375%, 10/01/29 (Pre-refunded 10/01/19)	10/19 at 100.00	A3	1,039,310
5,100	Wake County, North Carolina, Limited Obligation Bonds, Series 2010, 5.000%, 1/01/37 (Pre-refunded 1/01/20)	1/20 at 100.00	AA+	5,322,411
58,450	Total U.S. Guaranteed			61,725,980
	Utilities – 7.7% (4.6% of Total Investments)			
1,040	Greenville, North Carolina, Combined Enterprise System Revenue Bonds, Series 2016, 5.000%, 4/01/26	No Opt. Call	Aa2	1,223,040
	Monroe, North Carolina, Combined Enterprise System Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2016:			
1,110	5.000%, 3/01/24	No Opt. Call	A+	1,258,807
395	5.000%, 3/01/25	No Opt. Call	A+	453,812
1,330	5.000%, 3/01/28	3/26 at 100.00	A+	1,531,282
775	5.000%, 3/01/30	3/26 at 100.00	A+	886,089
1,710	5.000%, 3/01/32	3/26 at 100.00	A+	1,942,765
900	4.000%, 3/01/33	3/26 at 100.00	A+	940,887
5,000	North Carolina Capital Facilities Financing Agency, Solid Waste Disposal Revenue Bond, Duke Energy Carolinas Project, Refunding Series 2008B, 4.625%, 11/01/40	11/20 at 100.00	Aa2	5,207,550
315	North Carolina Municipal Power Agency 1, Catawba Electric Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2009A, 5.000%, 1/01/30	1/19 at 100.00	A	318,194
	North Carolina Municipal Power Agency 1, Catawba Electric Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2015A:			
1,545	5.000%, 1/01/28	1/26 at 100.00	A	1,779,608
1,500	5.000%, 1/01/32	1/26 at 100.00	A	1,703,220
760	North Carolina Municipal Power Agency 1, Catawba Electric Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2016A, 5.000%, 1/01/30	7/26 at 100.00	A	874,965
16,380	Total Utilities			18,120,219
	Water and Sewer – 22.4% (13.4% of Total Investments)			
1,145	Brunswick County, North Carolina, Enterprise System Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2012A, 5.000%, 4/01/25	4/22 at 100.00	AA-	1,259,511
	Buncombe County Metropolitan Sewerage District, North Carolina, Sewerage System Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2017:			
800	5.000%, 7/01/28	7/27 at 100.00	Aaa	962,352
1,080	5.000%, 7/01/29	7/27 at 100.00	Aaa	1,287,824
8,000	Cary, North Carolina, Combined Enterprise System Revenue Bonds, Series 2017B, 4.000%, 12/01/42	12/27 at 100.00	AAA	8,364,560
	Charlotte, North Carolina, Water and Sewer System Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2015:			
940	5.000%, 7/01/32	7/25 at 100.00	AAA	1,084,610

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5.000%, 7/01/40

7/25 at 100.00 AAA 2,645,199

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Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Optional Call Provisions (2)	Ratings (3)	Value
	Water and Sewer (continued)			
\$ 16,865	Charlotte, North Carolina, Water and Sewer System Revenue Bonds, Series 2018, 5.000%, 7/01/44 (UB) (5)	7/28 at 100.00	AAA	\$19,746,723
1,535	Mooresville, North Carolina, Enterprise System Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2012, 5.000%, 5/01/28	5/22 at 100.00	AA	1,693,090
3,040	Oak Island, North Carolina, Enterprise System Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2015, 5.000%, 6/01/33 – AGM Insured	6/25 at 100.00	AA	3,426,110
	Raleigh, North Carolina, Combined Enterprise System Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2012A:			
550	5.000%, 3/01/30	3/22 at 100.00	AAA	602,608
1,600	5.000%, 3/01/31	3/22 at 100.00	AAA	1,751,344
	Raleigh, North Carolina, Combined Enterprise System Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2013A:			
5,000	5.000%, 3/01/28	3/23 at 100.00	AAA	5,588,500
3,785	5.000%, 3/01/43	3/23 at 100.00	AAA	4,189,503
46,665	Total Water and Sewer			52,601,934
\$ 374,632	Total Long-Term Investments (cost \$380,018,603)			392,458,309
	Floating Rate Obligations – (3.6)%			(8,430,000)
	Variable Rate MuniFund Term Preferred Shares, net of deferred offering costs – (65.6)% (6)			(153,990,116)
	Other Assets Less Liabilities – 2.0%			4,732,087
	Net Asset Applicable to Common Shares – 100%			\$ 234,770,280

#### Fair Value Measurements

Fair value is defined as the price that would be received upon selling an investment or transferring a liability in an orderly transaction to an independent buyer in the principal or most advantageous market for the investment. A three-tier hierarchy is used to maximize the use of observable market data and minimize the use of unobservable inputs and to establish classification of fair value measurements for disclosure purposes. Observable inputs reflect the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. Observable inputs are based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity. Unobservable inputs reflect the reporting entity's own assumptions about the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. Unobservable inputs are based on the best information available in the circumstances. The following is a summary of the three-tiered hierarchy of valuation input levels.

Level 1 – Inputs are unadjusted and prices are determined using quoted prices in active markets for identical securities.

Level 2 – Prices are determined using other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar securities, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.).

Level 3 – Prices are determined using significant unobservable inputs (including management's assumptions in determining the fair value of investments).

The inputs or methodologies used for valuing securities are not an indication of the risks associated with investing in those securities. The following is a summary of the Fund's fair value measurements as of the end of the reporting period:

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Long-Term Investments:				
Municipal Bonds	\$ —	\$392,458,309	\$ —	\$392,458,309

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Income Tax Information

The following information is presented on an income tax basis. Differences between amounts for financial statement and federal income tax purposes are primarily due to timing differences in recognizing taxable market discount, timing differences in recognizing certain gains and losses on investment transactions and the treatment of investments in inverse floating rate securities reflected as financing transactions, if any. To the extent that differences arise that are permanent in nature, such amounts are reclassified within the capital accounts on the Statement of Assets and Liabilities presented in the annual report, based on their federal tax basis treatment; temporary differences do not require reclassification. Temporary and permanent differences do not impact the net asset value of the Fund.

The table below presents the cost and unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of the Fund's investment portfolio, as determined on a federal income tax basis, as of August 31, 2018.

Tax cost of investments	\$371,450,974
Gross unrealized:	
Appreciation	\$ 14,850,072
Depreciation	(2,272,727)
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of investments	\$ 12,577,345

- (1) All percentages shown in the Portfolio of Investments are based on net assets applicable to common shares unless otherwise noted.  
 Optional Call Provisions: Dates (month and year) and prices of the earliest optional call or redemption. There
  - (2) may be other call provisions at varying prices at later dates. Certain mortgage-backed securities may be subject to periodic principal paydowns.  
 For financial reporting purposes, the ratings disclosed are the highest of Standard & Poor's Group ("Standard & Poor's"), Moody's Investors Service, Inc. ("Moody's") or Fitch, Inc. ("Fitch") rating. This treatment of split-rated
  - (3) securities may differ from that used for other purposes, such as for Fund investment policies. Ratings below BBB by Standard & Poor's, Baa by Moody's or BBB by Fitch are considered to be below investment grade. Holdings designated N/R are not rated by any of these national rating agencies.
  - (4) Backed by an escrow or trust containing sufficient U.S. Government or U.S. Government agency securities, which ensure the timely payment of principal and interest.
  - (5) Investment, or portion of investment, has been pledged to collateralize the net payment obligations for investments in inverse floating rate transactions.
  - (6) Variable Rate MuniFund Term Preferred Shares, net of deferred offering costs as a percentage of Total Investments is 39.2%.
- ETMEscrowed to maturity.  
 UB Underlying bond of an inverse floating rate trust reflected as a financing transaction.

**Item 2. Controls and Procedures.**

- a. The registrant's principal executive and principal financial officers, or persons performing similar functions, have concluded that the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the 1940 Act) (17 CFR 270.30a-3(c))) are effective, as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of this report that includes the disclosure required by this paragraph, based on their evaluation of the controls and procedures required by Rule 30a-3(b) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(b)) and Rule 13a-15(b) or 15d-15(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR 240.13a-15(b) or 240.15d-15(b)).
- b. There were no changes in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(d))) that occurred during the registrant's last fiscal quarter that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

**Item 3. Exhibits.**

File as exhibits as part of this Form a separate certification for each principal executive officer and principal financial officer of the registrant as required by Rule 30a-2(a) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-2(a)), exactly as set forth below: See EX-99 CERT 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.

(Registrant) Nuveen North Carolina Quality Municipal Income Fund

By (Signature and Title) /s/ Gifford R. Zimmerman

Gifford R. Zimmerman  
Vice President and Secretary

Date: October 30, 2018

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 (Signature and Title) /s/ Cedric H. Antosiewicz

Cedric H. Antosiewicz  
Chief Administrative Officer (principal executive officer)

Date: October 30, 2018

By (Signature and Title) /s/ Stephen D. Foy

Stephen D. Foy  
Vice President and Controller (principal financial officer)

Date: October 30, 2018