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BNY Mellon High Yield Strategies Fund Declares Dividend

For Immediate release, New York – On October 22, 2026, the Board of Trustees of **BNY Mellon High Yield Strategies Fund (NYSE: DHF)** declared from net investment income a monthly cash dividend of \$0.0175 per share of beneficial interest, payable on November 20, 2026, to shareholders of record at the close of business on November 5, 2026. The ex-dividend date is November 5, 2026. The previous dividend declared in September was \$0.0175 per share of beneficial interest.

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