

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

August 15, 2025

J. Michael McGillis Chief Financial Officer Claros Mortgage Trust, Inc. 60 Columbus Circle, 20th Floor New York, NY 10023

> Re: Claros Mortgage Trust, Inc. Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2024 Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended June 30, 2025 File No. 001-40993

## Dear J. Michael McGillis:

We have reviewed your August 11, 2025 response to our comment letter and have the following comment.

Please respond to this letter within ten business days by providing the requested information or advise us as soon as possible when you will respond. If you do not believe a comment applies to your facts and circumstances, please tell us why in your response.

After reviewing your response to this letter, we may have additional comments. Unless we note otherwise, any references to prior comments are to comments in our August 4, 2025 letter.

Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended June 30, 2025

<u>Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations</u>

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1. We note your response to comment 1 and that operating expenses for the Company's real estate owned portfolio are regularly provided to the Chief Operating Decision Maker and represent a significant segment expense determined in accordance with ASC 280-10-50-26A. As such, please revise your disclosure in future filings to include a detailed description of the components of operating expenses within your consolidated results of operations for the periods presented.

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Please contact Jeffrey Lewis at 202-551-6216 or Shannon Menjivar at 202-551-3856 if you have questions regarding comments on the financial statements and related matters.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Real Estate & Construction