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**NEW ISSUE - Book-Entry-Only** 

<b>PRELIMINARY</b>	OFFICIAL STATEMEN
Dated:	2016

Ratings:

Moody's: Applied for S&P: Applied for Fitch: Applied for

See ("Other Information - Ratings"

herein)

In the opinion of Bond Counsel, under existing law interest on the Bonds is excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes and the Bonds are not "private activity bonds." See "Tax Matters" for a discussion of the opinion of Bond Counsel, including a description of alternative minimum tax consequences for corporations.

# \$15,000,000\* MANSFIELD ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (Tarrant, Johnson and Ellis Counties, Texas) SALES TAX REVENUE BONDS, NEW SERIES 2016

Dated Date: September 1, 2016 Due: August 1, as shown on page 2 Interest Accrues: Date of Delivery

PAYMENT TERMS. . . Interest on the \$15,000,000\* Mansfield Economic Development Corporation Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2016 (the "Bonds") will accrue from the date of their delivery to the Underwriter (the "Date of Delivery"), and will be payable February 1 and August 1 of each year commencing August 1, 2017, and will be calculated on the basis of a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months. The definitive Bonds will be initially registered and delivered only to Cede & Co., the nominee of The Depository Trust Company ("DTC") pursuant to the Book-Entry-Only System described herein. Beneficial ownership of the Bonds may be acquired in denominations of \$5,000 or integral multiples thereof. No physical delivery of the Bonds will be made to the beneficial owners thereof. Principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds will be payable by the Paying Agent/Registrar to Cede & Co., which will make distribution of the amounts so paid to the participating members of DTC for subsequent payment to the beneficial owners of the Bonds. See "The Bonds - Book-Entry-Only System" herein. The initial Paying Agent/Registrar is U.S. Bank National Association, Dallas, Texas (see "The Bonds - Paying Agent/Registrar").

AUTHORITY FOR ISSUANCE . . . The Bonds are being issued by Mansfield Economic Development Corporation (the "Corporation") pursuant to Chapters 501, 502 and 505, Texas Local Government Code, as amended (the "Act"). The Bonds and their terms are governed by the provisions of a resolution (the "Resolution"). In the Resolution adopted \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2016, the Corporation delegated to a designated officer of the City, pursuant to certain provisions of Chapter \_\_\_\_\_\_, authority to effect the sale of the Bonds and to stablish certain terms related to the issuance and sale of the Bonds. The terms of the sale will be included in a "Pricing Certificate," which will complete the sale of the Bonds, (the Resolution and the Pricing Certificate are collectively referred to as the "Ordinance") (see "The Bonds – Authority for Issuance).

The Bonds are special obligations of the Corporation, payable from, and together with any Parity Revenue Obligations, secured by a lien on and pledge of certain Pledged Revenues which include the proceeds of a 1/2 of 1% sales and use tax levied within the City of Mansfield, Texas (the "City") for the benefit of the Corporation (see "Selected Provisions of the Resolution"); provided, however, such lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues is junior and subordinate to the lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues made for the security and payment of the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds (as defined herein). The Corporation has covenanted in the Resolution not to issue any additional obligations that are on a parity with the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds. At such time as there are no Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds outstanding, the Parity Bonds shall be equally and ratably secured by and payable from an irrevocable first lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues.

The Bonds are payable solely by a pledge of and lien on the moneys described in the Resolution and not from any other revenues, properties or income of the Corporation. Neither the State, Tarrant, Johnson or Ellis Counties, the City nor any political corporation, subdivision, or agency of the State shall be obligated to pay the Bonds or the interest thereon, and neither the faith and credit nor the taxing power of the State, Tarrant, Johnson or Ellis Counties, the City, or any political corporation, subdivision, or agency thereof, except as authorized by the Act, is pledged to the payment of the principal of or interest on the Bonds (see "The Bonds - Security and Source of Payment").

**PURPOSE.** . . Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds will be used for the purpose of (i) designing, developing and constructing public infrastructure, including streets and roads, water and sewer utilities, drainage improvements, public parking and related improvements (collectively, the "Project") in connection with a retail and commercial development to be located generally at the northeast corner of the intersection of Broad Street and U.S. Highway 287 within the City, (ii) acquiring a Reserve Fund Surety Bond for Escrow in the Bonds Reserve Fund, and (iii) paying the costs of issuing the Bonds.

**BOND INSURANCE** . . . The Corporation has applied for municipal bond insurance on the Bonds and will consider the purchase of such insurance after an analysis of the bids from such companies has been made. See "Bond Insurance Risk Factors" herein.

# CUSIP PREFIX: 564381 MATURITY SCHEDULE & 9 DIGIT CUSIP See Schedule on Page 2

**LEGALITY** . . . The Bonds are offered for delivery when, as and if issued and received by the Underwriter and subject to the approving opinion of the Attorney General of Texas and the opinion of Bracewell LLP, Bond Counsel, Dallas, Texas (see Appendix C, "Form of Bond Counsel's Opinion"). Certain legal matters will be passed upon for the Underwriter by McCall, Parkhurst & Horton L.L.P., Dallas, Texas, Counsel to the Underwriter.

**DELIVERY**. . . It is expected that the Bonds will be available for delivery through The DTC on \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2016

**RBC CAPITAL MARKETS** 

<sup>\*</sup> Preliminary, subject to change.

#### MATURITY SCHEDULE\*

1-Aug	Principal	Interest	Initial	CUSIP
Year	Amount	Rate	Yield	Suffix
2017	\$690,000			
2018	605,000			
2019	615,000			
2020	630,000			
2021	640,000			
2022	655,000			
2023	670,000			
2024	680,000			
2025	695,000			
2026	710,000			
2027	725,000			
2028	745,000			
2029	765,000			
2030	795,000			
2031	820,000			
2032	850,000			
2033	880,000			
2034	910,000			
2035	940,000			
2036	980,000			

#### (Interest accrues from Date of Delivery)

**OPTIONAL REDEMPTION...** The Corporation reserves the right, at its option, to redeem Bonds having stated maturities on and after August 1, 2027, in whole or in part in principal amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, on August 1, 2026, or any date thereafter, at the par value thereof plus accrued interest to the date of redemption (see "The Bonds - Optional Redemption").

<sup>(1)</sup> CUSIP is a registered trademark of the American Bankers Association. CUSIP data herein is provided by CUSIP Global Services managed by S&P Capital IQ on behalf of the American Bankers Association. This data is not intended to create a database and does not serve in any way as a substitute for the CUSIP Services. Neither the Corporation, the Financial Advisor, nor the Underwriter shall be responsible for the selection or correctness of the CUSIP numbers set forth herein.

<sup>\*</sup> Preliminary, subject to change.

For purpose of compliance with Rule 15c2-12 of the Securities and Exchange Commission, this document, as the same may be supplemented or corrected from time to time, may be treated as an Official Statement with respect to the Bonds described herein deemed "final" by the Corporation as of the date hereof (or of any supplement or correction) except for the omission of no more than the information provided by Subsection (b)(1) of Rule 15c2-12.

This Official Statement, which includes the cover page, Schedule and the Appendices hereto, does not constitute an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy in any jurisdiction to any person to whom it is unlawful to make such offer, solicitation or sale.

No dealer, broker, salesman or other person has been authorized by the Corporation or the Underwriter to give any information, or to make any representations other than those contained in this Official Statement, and, if given or made, such other information or representations must not be relied upon as having been authorized by the Corporation or the Underwriter. This Official Statement does not constitute an offer to sell Bonds in any jurisdiction to any person to whom it is unlawful to make such offer in such jurisdiction.

Certain information set forth herein has been obtained from the Corporation and other sources which are believed to be reliable but is not guaranteed as to accuracy or completeness, and is not to be construed as a representation by the Financial Advisor or the Underwriter. Any information and expressions of opinion herein contained are subject to change without notice, and neither the delivery of this Official Statement nor any sale made hereunder shall, under any circumstances, create any implication that there has been no change in the affairs of the Corporation or other matters described herein since the date hereof. See "Continuing Disclosure of Information" for a description of the Corporation's undertaking to provide certain information on a continuing basis.

The Underwriter has provided the following sentence for inclusion in this Official Statement: The Underwriter has reviewed the information in this Official Statement in accordance with, and as part of, its responsibilities to investors under the federal securities laws as applied to the facts and circumstances of this transaction, but the Underwriter does not guarantee the accuracy or completeness of such information.

NEITHER THE CORPORATION, ITS FINANCIAL ADVISOR NOR THE UNDERWRITER MAKE ANY REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY WITH RESPECT TO THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS OFFICIAL STATEMENT REGARDING THE DEPOSITORY TRUST COMPANY OR ITS BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY SYSTEM HEREIN, AS SUCH INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED BY DTC.

THE BONDS ARE EXEMPT FROM REGISTRATION WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION AND CONSEQUENTLY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED THEREWITH. THE REGISTRATION, QUALIFICATION, OR EXEMPTION OF THE BONDS IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE SECURITIES LAW PROVISIONS OF THE JURISDICTION IN WHICH THE BONDS HAVE BEEN REGISTERED, QUALIFIED OR EXEMPTED SHOULD NOT BE REGARDED AS A RECOMMENDATION THEREOF.

THIS OFFICIAL STATEMENT CONTAINS "FORWARD-LOOKING" STATEMENTS WITHIN THE MEANING OF SECTION 21E OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934, AS AMENDED. SUCH STATEMENTS MAY INVOLVE KNOWN AND UNKNOWN RISKS, UNCERTAINTIES AND OTHER FACTORS WHICH MAY CAUSE THE ACTUAL RESULTS, PERFORMANCE AND ACHIEVEMENTS TO BE DIFFERENT FROM FUTURE RESULTS, PERFORMANCE AND ACHIEVEMENTS EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED BY SUCH FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS. INVESTORS ARE CAUTIONED THAT THE ACTUAL RESULTS COULD DIFFER MATERIALLY FROM THOSE SET FORTH IN THE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE OFFERING OF THE BONDS, THE UNDERWRITER MAY OVER-ALLOT OR EFFECT TRANSACTIONS WHICH STABILIZE OR MAINTAIN THE MARKET PRICES OF THE BONDS AT A LEVEL ABOVE THAT WHICH MIGHT OTHERWISE PREVAIL IN THE OPEN MARKET. SUCH STABILIZING, IF COMMENCED, MAY BE DISCONTINUED AT ANY TIME.

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The cover page hereof, this page, the appendices included herein and any addenda, supplement or amendment hereto, are part of the Official Statement.

## OFFICIAL STATEMENT SUMMARY

This summary is subject in all respects to the more complete information and definitions contained or incorporated in this Official Statement. The offering of the Bonds to potential investors is made only by means of this entire Official Statement. No person is authorized to detach this summary from this Official Statement or to otherwise use it without the entire Official Statement.

THE CORPORATION	The Corporation is a non-profit industrial development corporation of the City of Mansfield, Texas which is located in the City of Mansfield in Tarrant, Johnson and Ellis Counties, Texas (see "Introduction - Description of the Corporation").
THE BONDS	The Bonds are issued as \$15,000,000* Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, New Series 2016. The Bonds are issued as serial bonds maturing August 1 in the years 2017 through 2036 (see "The Bonds – Description of the Bonds").
PAYMENT OF INTEREST	Interest on the Bonds accrues from the Date of Delivery, and is payable August 1, 2017, and each February 1 and August 1 thereafter until maturity or prior redemption (see "The Bonds - Description of the Bonds" and "The Bonds - Optional Redemption").
AUTHORITY FOR ISSUANCE	The Bonds are being issued by the Corporation pursuant to Chapters 501, 502 and 505, Texas Local Government Code, as amended. The Bonds and their terms are governed by the provisions of the Resolution. In the Resolution adopted, 2016, the Corporation delegated to a designated officer of the City, pursuant to certain provisions of Chapter, authority to effect the sale of the Bonds and to stablish certain terms related to the issuance and sale of the Bonds. The terms of the sale will be included in a "Pricing Certificate," which will complete the sale of the Bonds, (the Resolution and the Pricing Certificate are collectively referred to as the "Ordinance") (see "The Bonds – Authority for Issuance").
SECURITY FOR THE BONDS	The Bonds are special obligations of the Corporation, payable from, and together with any Parity Revenue Obligations, secured by a lien on and pledge of certain Pledged Revenues which include the gross proceeds of a 1/2 of 1% sales and use tax levied within the City of Mansfield, Texas for the benefit of the Corporation (see "The Bonds - Security and Source of Payment"); provided, however, such lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues is junior and subordinate to the lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues made for the security and payment of the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds (as defined herein). The Corporation has covenanted in the Resolution not to issue any additional obligations that are on a parity with the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds. At such time as there are no Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds outstanding, the Bonds shall be equally and ratably secured by and payable from an irrevocable first lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues.
REDEMPTION	The Corporation reserves the right, at its option, to redeem Bonds having stated maturities on and after August 1, 2027 in whole or in part in principal amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, on August 1, 2026, or any date thereafter, at the par value thereof plus accrued interest to the date of redemption (see "The Bonds - Optional Redemption").
TAX EXEMPTION	In the opinion of Bond Counsel, under existing law, the interest on the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds will be excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes and the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds are not private activity bonds. See "Tax Matters - Tax Exemption" for a discussion of the opinion of Bond Counsel, including a description of the alternative minimum tax consequences for corporations
USE OF PROCEEDS	Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds will be used for the purpose of (i) designing, developing and constructing public infrastructure, including streets and roads, water and sewer utilities, drainage improvements, public parking and related improvements (collectively, the "Project") in connection with a retail and commercial development to be located generally at the northeast corner of the intersection of Broad Street and U.S. Highway 287 within the City, (ii) acquiring a Reserve Fund Surety Bond for Escrow in the Bonds Reserve Fund, and (iii) paying the costs of issuing the Bonds.
RATINGS	The presently outstanding debt of the Corporation is rated "Aa3" by Moody's Investors Service, Inc. ("Moody's"), "A+" by Standard & Poor's Ratings Services, a Standard & Poor's Financial Service LLC business ("S&P"), and "A+" by Fitch Ratings ("Fitch"), without regard to credit enhancement (see "Other Information - Ratings"). Applications have been made to Moody's, S&P and Fitch for contract ratings on the Bonds.

<sup>\*</sup> Preliminary, subject to change.

INSURANCE	The Corporation has made an application for a municipal bond insurance policy in
	conjunction with the issuance of the Bonds.
BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY	
System	The definitive Bonds will be initially registered and delivered only to Cede & Co., the nominee of DTC pursuant to the Book-Entry-Only System described herein. Beneficial ownership of the Bonds may be acquired in denominations of \$5,000 or integral multiples
	thereof within a maturity of a series. No physical delivery of the Bonds will be made to the beneficial owners thereof. Principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds will be payable by the Paying Agent/Registrar to Cede & Co., which will make distribution of the amounts so paid to the participating members of DTC for subsequent payment to the beneficial owners of the Bonds (see "The Bonds - Book-Entry-Only System") .

PAYMENT RECORD ...... The Corporation has never defaulted in payment of its bonds.

# CORPORATION ADMINISTRATION

# THE CORPORATION'S OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Member	Member	Term
Name	Since	Expires
Larry Klos President	October, 2010	September, 2017
Brian Fuller Vice President	October, 2010	September, 2017
Robert Putman Secretary	October, 2011	September, 2017
Randy Hamilton	October, 2011	September, 2017
Selim Fiagome	October, 2014	September, 2016
John Phillips	October, 2012	September, 2016
Tim Walker	October, 2015	September, 2016

# CITY OFFICIALS, STAFF AND CONSULTANTS

# **ELECTED OFFICIALS**

City Council	Elected		Term Expires	Occupation	
David L. Cook Mayor, Place 1	Re-elected M	ay, 2016	May 2019	Attorney	_
Brent Newsom Councilmember Place 2	Re-elected M	ay, 2016	May 2019	Bank Manager	
Stephen Lindsey Councilmember Place 3	Re-elected M	ay, 2015	May 2018	Gas Industry Co	onsultant
Darryl Haynes Councilmember Place 4	Re-elected M	ay, 2015	May 2018	Corporate Risk	Manager
Cory Hoffman Councilmember Place 5	Re-elected M	ay, 2015	May 2018	CPA	
Wendy Burgess Councilmember Place 6	Re-elected M	ay, 2014	May 2017	Business Owner	r
Larry Broseh Councilmember Place 7	Re-elected M	ay, 2014	May 2017	President, Cam	Tech Inc.
SELECTED ADMINISTRATIVE S	TAFF				
Nam	ne		Position	Length of Service to City	Total Length of Governmental Service
Clayton W. Chandle	r, MPA, ABJ	City Mana	ager	30 Years	40 Years
Regional Entreprene	eur of the Year				
June 1992, INC. Ma	gazine				
Peter K. Phillis, CP	A	Deputy Ci	ity Manager	17 Years	23 Years
Shelly Lanners		Deputy Ci	ity Manager	15 Years	15 Years
Joe Smolinski		Deputy Ci	ity Manager	14 Year	14 Years
Jeanne Heard		City Secre	etary	1 Year	23 Years
E. Allen Taylor, Jr.		City Attor	ney	18 Years	27 Years
Steve Freeman		Director o	of Public Works	20 Years	20 Years
CONSULTANTS AND ADVISORS					
Auditors					KPMG LLP Dallas, Texas
Bond Counsel					Bracewell LLP Dallas, Texas
Financial Advisor			Firs	stSouthwest, a Div	ision of Hilltop Securities Inc.
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## PRELIMINARY OFFICIAL STATEMENT

#### **RELATING TO**

# \$15,000,000\* MANSFIELD ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION SALES TAX REVENUE BONDS, NEW SERIES 2016

#### INTRODUCTION

This Official Statement, which includes the Appendices hereto, provides certain information regarding the issuance of the \$15,000,000\* Mansfield Economic Development Corporation Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, New Series 2016 (the "Bonds"). Capitalized terms used in this Official Statement have the same meanings assigned to such terms in the Resolution (defined herein) to be adopted on the date of sale of the Bonds which will authorize the issuance of the Bonds, except as otherwise indicated herein (see "Selected Provisions of the Resolution").

There follows in this Official Statement descriptions of the Bonds and certain information regarding the Corporation and its finances. All descriptions of documents contained herein are only summaries and are qualified in their entirety by reference to each such document. Copies of such documents may be obtained from the Corporation's Financial Advisor, FirstSouthwest, a Division of Hilltop Securities Inc., Dallas, Texas ("FirstSouthwest").

All financial and other information presented in this Official Statement has been provided by the Corporation and the City from their records, except for information expressly attributed to other sources. The presentation of information, including tables of receipts from taxes and other sources, is intended to show recent historic information and is not intended to indicate future or continuing trends in the financial position or other affairs of the Corporation. No representation is made that past experience, as is shown by that financial and other information, will necessarily continue or be repeated in the future (see "Other Information Forward-Looking Statements").

**DESCRIPTION OF THE CORPORATION...** The Corporation is a non-profit corporation duly organized and operating under the laws of the State of Texas, particularly Chapters 501, 502 and 505, Texas Local Government Code, as amended (the "Act"). The Corporation was created following an election held by the City of Mansfield (the "City") on January 18, 1997, on the question of the levy of a 1/2 of 1% local sales and use tax in the City for the benefit of the Corporation (the "Election"). The Corporation as currently organized is to promote and provide for the economic development within the City and the State of Texas in order to eliminate unemployment and underemployment, and to promote and encourage employment and the public welfare of, for, and on behalf of the City by developing, implementing, providing, and financing projects under the Act. The City Council of the City of Mansfield appoints the members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation and under the provisions of the Act and the Corporation's by-laws is required to approve certain actions of the Corporation, including the issuance of the Bonds by the Corporation.

**DESCRIPTION OF THE CITY...** The City is a political subdivision and municipal corporation of the State, duly organized and existing under the laws of the State, including the City's Home Rule Charter. The City was incorporated in 1890, and first adopted its Home Rule Charter in 1975 and amended its Home Rule Charter on May 7, 1988. The City operates under a Council/Manager form of government with a City Council comprised of the Mayor and six Council members. The term of office is a staggered three-year term. The City Manager is the chief executive officer for the City. Some of the services that the City provides are: public safety (police and fire protection), highways and streets, electric, water and sanitary sewer utilities, health and social services, culture-recreation, public transportation, public improvements, planning and zoning, and general administrative services. The 2010 Census population for the City was 56,368, while the estimated 2016 population is 64,688. The City covers approximately 38.6 square miles.

<sup>\*</sup> Preliminary, subject to change.

#### THE BONDS

**PURPOSE** . . . Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds will be used for the purpose of (i) designing, developing and constructing public infrastructure, including streets and roads, water and sewer utilities, drainage improvements, public parking and related improvements (collectively, the "Project") in connection with a retail and commercial development to be located generally at the northeast corner of the intersection of Broad Street and U.S. Highway 287 within the City, (ii) acquiring a Reserve Fund Surety Bond for Escrow in the Bonds Reserve Fund, and (iii) paying the costs of issuing the Bonds.

**DESCRIPTION OF THE BONDS**... The Bonds are dated September 1, 2016, and mature on August 1 in each of the years and in the amounts shown on the page 2 hereof. Interest will accrue from the Date of Delivery, and will be computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months, and will be payable on February 1 and August 1, commencing August 1, 2017, until maturity or prior redemption. The definitive Bonds will be issued only in fully registered form in any integral multiple of \$5,000 for any one maturity and will be initially registered and delivered only to Cede & Co., the nominee of The Depository Trust Company ("DTC") pursuant to the Book-Entry-Only System described herein. **No physical delivery of the Bonds will be made to the beneficial owners thereof.** Principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds will be payable by the Paying Agent/Registrar to Cede & Co., which will make distribution of the amounts so paid to the participating members of DTC for subsequent payment to the beneficial owners of the Bonds. See "Book-Entry-Only System" herein.

**AUTHORITY FOR ISSUANCE.** . . The Bonds are being issued by the Corporation pursuant to the Act. The Bonds and their terms are governed by the provisions of the Resolution In the Resolution adopted \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2016, the Corporation delegated to a designated officer of the City, pursuant to certain provisions of Chapter \_\_\_\_\_\_, authority to effect the sale of the Bonds and to stablish certain terms related to the issuance and sale of the Bonds. The terms of the sale will be included in a Pricing Certificate, which will complete the sale of the Bonds.

SECURITY AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT... The Bonds are special obligations of the Corporation payable solely from, and together with any Parity Revenue Obligations, secured by a lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues, as defined below; provided, however, such lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues is junior and subordinate to the lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues made for the security and payment of the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds (as set out in the table below). The Corporation has covenanted in the Resolution not to issue any additional bonds that are on a parity with the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds. At such time as there are no Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds outstanding, the Bonds, together with any Parity Revenue Obligations, shall be equally and ratably secured by and payable from an irrevocable first lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues. (See "Selected Provisions of the Resolution").

The Corporation currently has outstanding Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds secured by and payable from a prior and superior lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues, as follows:

Dated Date	Outst	tanding Debt <sup>(1)</sup>	Issue Description
12/1/2011	\$	2,590,000	Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2012
	\$	2,590,000	

(1) As of August 1, 2016.

The Bonds do not constitute a debt of the City, the State or any agency, political corporation or subdivision thereof. Neither the full faith and credit of the State, Tarrant, Johnson and Ellis Counties, the City or any agency, political corporation or subdivision thereof, has been pledged for the payment of the Bonds, except as described herein.

The Act contains no provisions which would allow the voters of the City to either reduce or repeal the Sales Tax. Should the Legislature ever enact such an amendment to the Act to allow for the reduction or repeal of the Sales Tax, the Attorney General of Texas has rendered an Opinion (Opinion No. DM-137) to the effect that a "reduction in the sales tax rate, or a limitation on the amount of time the tax may be collected, may not be applied to any bonds issued prior to the date of the rollback election". In so opining, the Attorney General noted any "subsequent legislation which purports to permit the reduction or other limitation of that tax is ineffective to do so, because such alteration would impair the obligation of the contract between the city and such bondholders", and in effect be a violation of Article 1, Section 10 of the United States Constitution and Article I, Section 16 of the Texas Constitution.

The Sales Tax may not be collected after the last day of the first calendar quarter occurring after notification to the State Comptroller of Public Accounts by the Corporation that all bonds or other obligations of the Corporation that are payable in whole or in part from the proceeds of the Sales Tax, including any refunding bonds or other obligations, have been paid in full or the full amount of money necessary to defease such bonds and other obligations has been set aside in a trust account dedicated to their payment.

PLEDGE UNDER THE RESOLUTION... In the Resolution, the Corporation covenants and agrees that the Pledged Revenues, with the exception of those in excess of the amounts required for the payment and security of the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds and Parity Revenue Obligations (collectively the Bonds and any Additional Parity Revenue Obligations), are irrevocably pledged to the payment and security of the Parity Revenue Obligations, including the establishment and maintenance of the special funds created and established in the resolutions authorizing Parity Revenue Obligations. Under the Resolution, the Pledged Revenues consist of (i) Gross Sales Tax Revenues from time to time deposited or owing to the Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund, and (ii) such other money, income, revenues or other property which the Corporation may expressly and specifically pledge to the payment of the Parity Revenue Obligations. The Resolution defines "Gross Sales Tax Revenue" as all of the revenues due or owing to, or collected or received by or on behalf of the Corporation, whether by the City or otherwise, pursuant to the Sales Tax Collection Resolution or the resolutions authorizing the Parity Revenue Obligations from the levy of the Sales Tax, less any amounts due or owing to the Comptroller as charges for collection or retention by the Comptroller for refunds and to redeem dishonored checks and drafts, to the extent such charges and retention are authorized or required by law.

ADDITIONAL PARITY REVENUE OBLIGATIONS . . . In the Resolution, the Corporation reserves the right to issue Additional Parity Revenue Obligations payable from and equally and ratably secured by a parity lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues subject to satisfying certain terms and conditions including obtaining a certificate or opinion from a certified public accountant to the effect that the Gross Sales Tax Revenues received by the Corporation for the last completed Fiscal Year or for any twelve consecutive months out of the fifteen months next preceding the adoption of the resolution authorizing the issuance of the Additional Parity Revenue Obligations were equal to at least (i) 1.35 times the combined maximum annual principal and interest requirements on all Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds and Parity Revenue Obligations to be outstanding after the issuance of the proposed Additional Parity Revenue Obligations; provided, that in the event of an increase in the rate of the Sales Tax that becomes effective prior to the date of the resolution authorizing the issuance of the Additional Parity Revenue Obligations, such calculation shall be made if such increase were in effect during such period. The Corporation has covenanted in the Resolution not to issue any additional obligations that are on a parity with the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds.

THE GROSS SALES TAX REVENUE FUND... Under the terms of the Act and a resolution adopted concurrently by the City Council of the City and the Board of Directors of the Corporation (the "Sales Tax Collection Resolution") that relates to the collection, handling and transfer of sales tax revenue due to the Corporation, the Gross Sales Tax Revenues collected by the State Comptroller of Public Accounts and remitted periodically to the City for the benefit of the Corporation shall be deposited by the City as received to the credit of a fund or account of the Corporation to be known as the "Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund."

As explained below under "Flow of Funds," the Gross Sales Tax Revenues held in the Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund are first to be used to make payments to the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Debt Service Fund in amounts equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the interest on and principal of the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds and then to any amounts required to be made pursuant to the resolutions authorizing the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds. Subsequent to such payments for the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds, the Gross Sales Tax Revenues held in the Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund are to be used to make payments to the Debt Service Fund in amounts equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the interest on and principal of the Parity Revenue Obligations then falling due and payable.

GENERAL COVENANT REGARDING THE SALES TAX... The Municipal Sales and Use Tax Act provides that the Sales Tax does not apply to the sale of a taxable item unless the item is also taxable under the Texas Limited Sales, Excise and Use Tax Act. The Sales Tax is therefore subject to broadening and reduction in the base against which it is levied by action of the State Legislature without the consent of the City or the Corporation.

In the Resolution, the Corporation covenants, agrees and warrants that, while any Parity Revenue Obligations are outstanding, it will take and pursue all action permissible under applicable law to cause the Sales Tax, at its current rate (1/2 of 1%) or at a higher rate if legally permitted, to be levied and collected continuously in the manner and to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law; and to cause no reduction, abatement or exemption in the Sales Tax until all the Parity Revenue Obligations have been paid in full or until they are lawfully defeased in accordance with the Resolution. The Corporation also covenants and agrees that, if, subsequent to the issuance of the Bonds, the City is authorized by applicable law to impose and levy the Sales Tax on any items or transactions that are not subject to the Sales Tax on the date the Resolution was adopted, then the Corporation will use its best efforts to cause the City to take such action as may be required by applicable law to subject such items or transactions to the Sales Tax.

**OPTIONAL REDEMPTION.**.. The Corporation reserves the right, at its option, to redeem Bonds having stated maturities on and after August 1, 2027, in whole or in part in principal amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, on August 1, 2026, or any date thereafter, at the par value thereof plus accrued interest to the date of redemption. If less than all of the Bonds are to be redeemed, the Corporation may select the maturities of Bonds to be redeemed. If less than all the Bonds of any maturity are to be redeemed, the Paying Agent/Registrar (or DTC while the Bonds are in Book-Entry-Only form) shall determine by lot the Bonds, or portions thereof, within such maturity to be redeemed. If a Bond (or any portion of the principal sum thereof) shall have been called for redemption and notice of such redemption shall have been given, such Bond (or the principal amount thereof to be redeemed) shall become due and payable on such redemption date and interest thereon shall cease to accrue from and after the redemption date, provided funds for the payment of the redemption price and accrued interest thereon are held by the Paying Agent/Registrar on the redemption date.

NOTICE OF REDEMPTION... Not less than 30 days prior to a redemption date for the Bonds, the Corporation shall cause a notice of redemption to be sent by United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, to the registered owners of the Bonds to be redeemed, in whole or in part, at the address of the registered owner appearing on the registration books of the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the business day next preceding the date of mailing such notice. In the Resolution, the Corporation reserves the right in the case of a redemption to give notice of its election or direction to redeem Bonds conditioned upon the occurrence of subsequent events. Such notice may state (i) that the redemption is conditioned upon the deposit of moneys and/or authorized securities, in an amount equal to the amount necessary to effect the redemption, with the Paying Agent/Registrar, or such other entity as may be authorized by law, no later than the redemption date or (ii) the Corporation retains the right to rescind such notice at any time prior to the scheduled redemption date if the Corporation delivers a certificate of the Corporation to the Paying Agent/Registrar instructing the Paying Agent/Registrar to rescind the redemption notice, and such notice and redemption shall be of no effect if such moneys and/or authorized securities are not so deposited or if the notice is rescinded. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall give prompt notice of any such rescission of a conditional notice of redemption to the affected Owners. Any Bonds subject to conditional redemption where redemption has been rescinded shall remain outstanding, and the rescission shall not constitute an event of default. Further, in the case of a conditional redemption, the failure of the Corporation to make moneys and/or authorized securities available in part or in whole on or before the redemption date shall not constitute an event of default.

ANY NOTICES SO MAILED SHALL BE CONCLUSIVELY PRESUMED TO HAVE BEEN DULY GIVEN, WHETHER OR NOT THE REGISTERED OWNER RECEIVES SUCH NOTICES. NOTICES HAVING BEEN SO GIVEN, THE BONDS CALLED FOR OPTIONAL REDEMPTION SHALL BECOME DUE AND PAYABLE ON THE SPECIFIED REDEMPTION DATES, AND NOTWITHSTANDING THAT ANY BOND OR PORTION THEREOF HAS NOT BEEN SURRENDERED FOR PAYMENT, INTEREST ON SUCH BOND OR PORTION THEREOF SHALL CEASE TO ACCRUE.

The Paying Agent/Registrar and the Corporation, so long as a book-entry-only system is used for the Bonds will send any notice of redemption or other notices with respect to the Bonds only to DTC. Any failure by DTC to advise any DTC participant, or of any DTC participant or indirect participant to notify the beneficial owner, shall not affect the validity of the redemption of the Bonds called for redemption or any other action premised or any such notice.

**DEFEASANCE**... The Resolution provides that the Corporation may discharge its obligations to the registered owners of any or all of the Bonds to pay principal, interest and redemption price thereon in any manner permitted by law. Under current Texas law, such discharge may be accomplished by either (i) depositing with the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas a sum of money equal to the principal of, premium, if any, and all interest to accrue on such Bonds to maturity or prior redemption or (ii) by depositing with a paying agent, or other authorized escrow agent, amounts sufficient to provide for the payment and/or redemption of such Bonds; provided that such deposits may be invested and reinvested only in (a) direct, noncallable obligations of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America, (b) noncallable obligations of an agency or instrumentality of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by the agency or instrumentality and that are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than AAA or its equivalent, and (c) noncallable obligations of a state or an agency or a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of a state that have been refunded and that are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than AAA or its equivalent. The foregoing obligations may be in Book-Entry-Only form, and shall mature and/or bear interest in such amounts as will be sufficient to provide for the scheduled payment and/or redemption of such Bonds. If any of such Bonds are to be redeemed prior to their respective dates of maturity, provision must have been made for giving notice of redemption as provided in the Resolution.

Upon such deposit as described above, such Bonds shall no longer be regarded to be outstanding or unpaid. Provided, however, the Corporation has reserved the option, to be exercised at the time of the defeasance of the Bonds, to call for redemption, at an earlier date, those Bonds which have been defeased to their maturity date, if the Corporation: (i) in the proceedings providing for the firm banking and financial arrangements, expressly reserves the right to call the Bonds for redemption; (ii) gives notice of the reservation of that right to the owners of the Bonds immediately following the making of the firm banking and financial arrangements; and (iii) directs that notice of the reservation be included in any redemption notices that it authorizes.

FLOW OF FUNDS... The Resolution provides for the establishment and maintenance of the following funds and accounts for the application of the proceeds of the Bonds and for the Pledged Revenues with all revenues flowing first to the Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund.

Until such time as the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds are no longer outstanding, moneys on deposit in the Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund shall be applied in the following order of priority:

PLEDGED REVENUE FUND	
PRIORITY	FUND (1)
First Priority	Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Debt Service Fund for the payment of the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds,
Second Priority	Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Reserve Fund to establish and maintain a Required Reserve for the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds,
Third Priority	To pay any amounts due to any bond insurer of Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds for the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds not paid pursuant to the sections above,
Fourth Priority	To pay any amounts due to any issuer of a Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Reserve Fund Surety Bond not paid pursuant to the sections above,
Fifth Priority	Any other fund required by any resolution authorizing issuance of Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds,
Sixth Priority	Debt Service Fund for the payment of the Parity Revenue Obligations,
Seventh Priority	On a pro rata basis, to each debt service reserve fund created by any resolution authorizing the issuance of Parity Revenue Obligations, which contains less than the amount to be accumulated and/or maintained therein, as provided in such resolutions;
Eighth Priority	To pay any amounts due to any bond insurer of Parity Revenue Obligations for the Parity Revenue Obligations not paid pursuant to the sections above,
Nineth Priority	To pay any amounts due to any issuer of a Reserve Fund Surety Bond not paid pursuant to the sections above,
Tenth Priority	Any other fund required by any resolution authorizing issuance of Parity Revenue Obligations,
Eleventh Priority	Any other fund or account held at any place or places, or to any payee, required by any other resolution of the Board which authorized the issuance of obligations or the creation of debt of the Corporation having a lien on the Pledged Revenues subordinate to the lien created herein on behalf of the Parity Revenue Obligations, and
Twelfth Priority	To the Capital Improvement Fund to be used for paying costs of authorized projects the payment of which are not otherwise provided from the proceeds of Parity Revenue Obligations, and for any other lawful purposes permitted under applicable law. The Capital Improvement Fund at all times shall be free of any lien or pledge created by the Resolution and the resolution or resolutions authorizing the issuance Additional Parity Revenue Obligations.

<sup>(1)</sup> All funds are held by the Corporation's Depository Bank.

At such time as there are no Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds outstanding, moneys on deposit in the Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund shall be applied in the following order of priority:

	PLEDGED REVENUE FUND
PRIORITY	FUND (1)
First Priority	Debt Service Fund for the payment of the Parity Revenue Obligations,
Second Priority	On a pro rata basis, to each debt service reserve fund created by any resolution authorizing the issuance of Parity Revenue Obligations, which contains less than the amount to be accumulated and/or maintained therein, as provided in such resolutions;
Third Priority	To pay any amounts due to any bond insurer of Parity Revenue Obligations for the Parity Revenue Obligations not paid pursuant to the sections above,
Fourth Priority	To pay any amounts due to any issuer of a Reserve Fund Surety Bond not paid pursuant to the sections above,
Fifth Priority	Any other fund required by any resolution authorizing issuance of Parity Revenue Obligations,

Sixth Priority Any other fund or account held at any place or places, or to any payee, required by any other

resolution of the Board which authorized the issuance of obligations or the creation of debt of the Corporation having a lien on the Pledged Revenues subordinate to the lien created herein on behalf

of the Parity Revenue Obligations, and

Seventh Priority To the Capital Improvement Fund to be used for paying costs of authorized projects the payment

of which are not otherwise provided from the proceeds of Parity Revenue Obligations, and for any other lawful purposes permitted under applicable law. The Capital Improvement Fund at all times shall be free of any lien or pledge created by the Resolution and the resolution or resolutions

authorizing the issuance Additional Parity Revenue Obligations.

See "Selected Provisions of the Resolution" herein for additional information relating to the flow of funds.

RESERVE FUND REQUIREMENT... In the Resolution, the Board of Directors has ordered to be created, solely for the benefit of the Bonds, the Bonds Reserve Fund. The Resolution provides that the Corporation may create and establish a debt service reserve fund pursuant to the provisions of any resolution or other instrument authorizing the issuance of Parity Revenue Obligations for the purpose of securing that particular issue or series of Parity Revenue Obligations or any specific group of issues or series of Parity Revenue Obligations, and the amounts once deposited or credited to said debt service reserve funds shall no longer constitute Pledged Revenues and shall be held solely for the benefit of the owners of the particular Parity Revenue Obligations for which such debt service reserve fund was established.

Amounts on deposit in the Bonds Reserve Fund shall be used for (i) the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, when and to the extent other funds available for such purposes are insufficient, (ii) to make payments due under a Reserve Fund Surety Bond and (iii) with respect to funds and investments on deposit and credited to the Bonds Reserve Fund, to retire the last Stated Maturity or Stated Maturities of or interest on the Bonds. The Bonds Reserve Fund shall be maintained in an amount equal to the Required Reserve for such series of Bonds, which amount shall be equal to the maximum annual debt service requirements of the then outstanding Bonds calculated on the date such Bonds are issued and recalculated each October 1 thereafter.

If the Bonds Reserve Fund at any time contains less than the Required Reserve, the Corporation has agreed to cure the deficiency in each such Reserve Fund by making monthly deposits and credits to such Reserve Fund in amounts equal to not less than 1/60th of the Required Reserve; provided, however, that no such deposits shall be made into the Reserve Fund during any six month period beginning on February 1 and August 1 until there has been deposited into the Debt Service Fund the full amount required to be deposited therein by the next following February 1 and August 1, as the case may be. The Resolution further provides that, subject only to the prior deposits and credits to be made for the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds and to the Debt Service Fund, the Pledged Revenues shall be applied and appropriated and used to establish and maintain the Required Reserve, including by paying payments under a Reserve Fund Surety Bond when due, and any reserve established for the benefit of any issue or series of Parity Revenue Obligations and to cure any deficiency in such amounts as required by the terms of the Resolution and any other resolution pertaining to the issuance of Parity Revenue Obligations. Reimbursements to the provider, if any, of a Reserve Fund Surety Bond shall constitute the making up of a deficiency in the Reserve Fund to the extent that such reimbursements result in the reinstatement, in whole or in part, as the case may be, of the amount of the Reserve Fund Surety Bond.

The Corporation may at any time deposit, supplement, replace or substitute a Reserve Fund Surety Bond (defined in the Resolution as any surety bond or insurance policy having a rating in the two highest generic rating categories by Moody's Investors Service, Inc., Standard & Poor's Ratings Services, a Standard & Poor's Financial Services LLC business, or Fitch Ratings, Inc., issued to the Corporation for the benefit of the Owners of the Bonds to satisfy any part of the Required Reserve) for cash or investments on deposit in the Reserve Fund or in substitution for or replacement of any existing Reserve Fund Surety Bond. If the Corporation is required to make a withdrawal from either of the r Reserve Fund for any of the purposes described above, the Corporation shall make such withdrawal first from available moneys or investments then on deposit in the Reserve Fund, and next from a drawing under any Reserve Fund Surety Bond to the extent of such deficiency. For a further description of the respective Reserve Funds, see "Selected Provisions of the Resolution."

BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY SYSTEM . . . This section describes how ownership of the Bonds is to be transferred and how the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds are to be paid to and credited by The Depository Trust Company ("DTC"), New York, New York, while the Bonds are registered in its nominee name. The information in this section concerning DTC and the Book-Entry-Only System has been provided by DTC for use in disclosure documents such as this Official Statement. The Corporation and the Underwriter believes the source of such information to be reliable, but take no responsibility for the accuracy or completeness thereof.

The Corporation and the Underwriter cannot and do not give any assurance that (1) DTC will distribute payments of debt service on the Bonds, or redemption, or other notices, to DTC Participants, (2) DTC Participants or others will distribute debt service payments paid to DTC or its nominee (as the registered owner of the Bonds), or redemption, or other notices, to the Beneficial Owners, or that they will do so on a timely basis, or (3) DTC will serve and act in the manner described in this Official Statement. The current rules applicable to DTC are on file with the Securities and Exchange Commission, and the current procedures of DTC to be followed in dealing with DTC Participants are on file with DTC.

DTC will act as securities depository for the Bonds. The Bonds will be issued as fully-registered securities registered in the name of Cede & Co. (DTC's partnership nominee) or such other name as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. One fully-registered security certificate will be issued for each maturity of the Bonds, each in the aggregate principal amount of such maturity, and will be deposited with DTC.

DTC, the world's largest depository, is a limited-purpose trust company organized under the New York Banking Law, a "banking organization" within the meaning of the New York Banking Law, a member of the Federal Reserve System, a "clearing corporation" within the meaning of the New York Uniform Commercial Code, and a "clearing agency" registered pursuant to the provisions of Section 17A of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. DTC holds and provides asset servicing for over 3.5 million issues of U.S. and non-U.S. equity issues, corporate and municipal debt issues, and money market instruments (from over 100 countries) that DTC's participants ("Direct Participants") deposit with DTC. DTC also facilitates the post-trade settlement among Direct Participants of sales and other securities transactions in deposited securities, through electronic computerized book-entry transfers and pledges between Direct Participants' accounts. This eliminates the need for physical movement of securities certificates. Direct Participants include both U.S. and non-U.S. securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, clearing corporations, and certain other organizations. DTC is a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Depository Trust & Clearing Corporation ("DTCC"). DTCC is the holding company for DTC, National Securities Clearing Corporation and Fixed Income Clearing Corporation, all of which are registered clearing agencies. DTCC is owned by the users of its regulated subsidiaries. Access to the DTC system is also available to others such as both U.S. and non-U.S. securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, and clearing companies that clear through or maintain a custodial relationship with a Direct Participant, either directly or indirectly ("Indirect Participants"). DTC has a Standard & Poor's rating of AA+. The DTC Rules applicable to its Participants are on file with the Securities and Exchange Commission. More information about DTC can be found at www.dtcc.com and www.dtc.org.

Purchases of Bonds under the DTC system must be made by or through Direct Participants, which will receive a credit for the Bonds on DTC's records. The ownership interest of each actual purchaser of each Bond ("Beneficial Owner") is in turn to be recorded on the Direct and Indirect Participants' records. Beneficial Owners will not receive written confirmation from DTC of their purchase. Beneficial Owners are, however, expected to receive written confirmations providing details of the transaction, as well as periodic statements of their holdings, from the Direct or Indirect Participant through which the Beneficial Owner entered into the transaction. Transfers of ownership interests in the Bonds are to be accomplished by entries made on the books of Direct and Indirect Participants acting on behalf of Beneficial Owners. Beneficial Owners will not receive certificates representing their ownership interests in Bonds, except in the event that use of the book-entry-only system for the Bonds is discontinued.

To facilitate subsequent transfers, all Bonds deposited by Direct Participants with DTC are registered in the name of DTC's partnership nominee, Cede & Co., or such other name as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. The deposit of Bonds with DTC and their registration in the name of Cede & Co. or such other DTC nominee do not effect any change in beneficial ownership. DTC has no knowledge of the actual Beneficial Owners of the Bonds; DTC's records reflect only the identity of the Direct Participants to whose accounts such Bonds are credited, which may or may not be the Beneficial Owners. The Direct and Indirect Participants will remain responsible for keeping account of their holdings on behalf of their customers.

Conveyance of notices and other communications by DTC to Direct Participants, by Direct Participants to Indirect Participants, and by Direct Participants and Indirect Participants to Beneficial Owners will be governed by arrangements among them, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Beneficial Owners of Bonds may wish to take certain steps to augment the transmission to them of notices of significant events with respect to the Bonds, such as redemptions, tenders, defaults, and proposed amendments to the Bond documents. For example, Beneficial Owners of Bonds may wish to ascertain that the nominee holding the Bonds for their benefit has agreed to obtain and transmit notices to Beneficial Owners. In the alternative, Beneficial Owners may wish to provide their names and addresses to the Paying Agent/Registrar and request that copies of the notices be provided directly to them.

Redemption notices for the Bonds shall be sent to DTC. If less than all of the Bonds within a maturity are being redeemed, DTC's practice is to determine by lot the amount of the interest of each Direct Participant in such maturity and series to be redeemed.

Neither DTC nor Cede & Co. (nor any other DTC nominee) will consent or vote with respect to Bonds unless authorized by a Direct Participant in accordance with DTC's Procedures. Under its usual procedures, DTC mails an Omnibus Proxy to the Corporation as soon as possible after the record date. The Omnibus Proxy assigns Cede & Co.'s consenting or voting rights to those Direct Participants to whose accounts Bonds are credited on the record date (identified in a listing attached to the Omnibus Proxy).

Redemption proceeds and principal and interest payments on the Bonds will be made to Cede & Co., or such other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. DTC's practice is to credit Direct Participants' accounts upon DTC's receipt of funds and corresponding detail information from the Corporation or the Paying Agent/Registrar of each series, on the payable date in accordance with their respective holdings shown on DTC's records. Payments by Participants to Beneficial Owners will be governed by standing instructions and customary practices, as is the case with securities held for the accounts of customers in bearer form or registered in "street name," and will be the responsibility of such Participant and not of DTC nor its nominee, the Paying Agent/Registrar of each series, or the Corporation, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Payment of redemption proceeds, principal and interest payments to Cede & Co. (or such other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC) is the responsibility of the Corporation or Paying Agent/Registrar of each series, disbursement of such payments to Direct Participants will be the responsibility of DTC, and disbursement of such payments to the Beneficial Owners will be the responsibility of Direct and Indirect Participants.

DTC may discontinue providing its services as depository with respect to the Bonds at any time by giving reasonable notice to the Corporation or the Paying Agent/Registrar. Under such circumstances, in the event that a successor depository is not obtained, Bonds are required to be printed and delivered.

The Corporation may decide to discontinue the use of the system of book-entry-only transfers through DTC (or a successor depository). In that event, Bonds will be printed and delivered.

Use of Certain Terms in Other Sections of this Official Statement ... In reading this Official Statement it should be understood that while the Bonds are in the Book-Entry-Only System, references in other sections of this Official Statement to registered owners should be read to include the person for which the Participant acquires an interest in the Bonds, but (i) all rights of ownership must be exercised through DTC and the Book-Entry-Only System, and (ii) except as described above, notices that are to be given to registered owners under the Resolution will be given only to DTC.

Information concerning DTC and the Book-Entry-Only System has been obtained from DTC and is not guaranteed as to accuracy or completeness, and is not to be construed as a representation by the Corporation, the Financial Advisor, or the Underwriter.

**Effect of Termination of Book-Entry-Only System** ... In the event that the Book-Entry-Only System for the Bonds is discontinued, printed certificates will be issued to the DTC Participants or the holder, and such Bonds will be subject to transfer, exchange and registration provisions as set forth in the Ordinance and summarized under "The Bonds - Transfer, Exchange and Registration" below.

PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR... The initial Paying Agent/Registrar is U.S. Bank National Association, Dallas, Texas. In the Resolution, the Corporation retains the right to replace the Paying Agent/Registrar. The Corporation covenants to maintain and provide a Paying Agent/Registrar at all times until the Bonds are duly paid and any successor Paying Agent/Registrar shall be a commercial bank or trust company organized under the laws of the State of Texas or other entity duly qualified and legally authorized to serve as and perform the duties and services of Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds. Upon any change in the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds, the Corporation agrees to promptly cause a written notice thereof to be sent to each registered owner of the Bonds by United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, which notice shall also give the address of the new Paying Agent/Registrar.

TRANSFER, EXCHANGE AND REGISTRATION... In the event the Book-Entry-Only System should be discontinued, printed certificates will be delivered to the owners of the Bonds and thereafter, the Bonds may be transferred and exchanged on the registration books of the Paying Agent/Registrar only upon presentation and surrender to the Paying Agent/Registrar and such transfer or exchange shall be without expense or service charge to the registered owner, except for any tax or other governmental charges required to be paid with respect to such registration, exchange and transfer. Bonds may be assigned by the execution of an assignment form on the Bonds or by other instrument of transfer and assignment acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar. Bonds will be delivered by the Paying Agent/Registrar, in lieu of the Bonds being transferred or exchanged, at the designated office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, or sent by United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, to the new registered owner or his designee. To the extent possible, new Bonds issued in an exchange or transfer of Bonds will be delivered to the registered owner or assignee of the registered owner in not more than three business days after the receipt of the Bonds to be canceled, and the written instrument of transfer or request for exchange duly executed by the registered owner or his duly authorized agent, in form satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar. New Bonds registered and delivered in an exchange or transfer shall be in any integral multiple of \$5,000 for any one maturity and for a like aggregate principal amount as the Bonds surrendered for exchange or transfer. See "Book-Entry-Only System" herein for a description of the system to be utilized initially in regard to ownership and transferability of the Bonds. Neither the Corporation nor the Paying Agent/Registrar shall be required to transfer or exchange any Bond called for redemption, in whole or in part, within 45 days of the date fixed for redemption; provided, however, such limitation of transfer shall not be applicable to an exchange by the registered owner of the uncalled balance of a Bond.

**RECORD DATE FOR INTEREST PAYMENT...** The record date ("Record Date") for the interest payable on the Bonds on any interest payment date means the close of business on the fifteenth day of the month next preceding such interest payment date.

In the event of a non-payment of interest on a scheduled payment date, and for 30 days thereafter, a new record date for such interest payment (a "Special Record Date") will be established by the Paying Agent/Registrar, if and when funds for the payment of such interest have been received from the Corporation. Notice of the Special Record Date and of the scheduled payment date of the past due interest ("Special Payment Date", which shall be 15 days after the Special Record Date) shall be sent at least five business days prior to the Special Record Date by United States mail, first class postage prepaid, to the address of each Holder of a Bond appearing on the registration books of the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the last business day next preceding the date of mailing of such notice.

BONDHOLDERS' REMEDIES . . . The Resolution establishes the following as Events of Default with respect to the Bonds: (i) the failure to make payment of the principal of or interest on any of the Bonds when the same becomes due and payable; or (ii) default in the performance or observance of any other covenant, agreement or obligation of the Corporation, which default materially and adversely affects the rights of the Owners, including, but not limited to, their prospect or ability to be repaid in accordance with the Resolution, and the continuation thereof for a period of sixty days after notice of such default is given by any Owner to the Corporation. Upon any happening of any Event of Default and except as otherwise provided in the Resolution, any Owner or an authorized representative, thereof, including, but not limited to, a trustee or trustees therefor, may proceed against the Corporation for the purpose of protecting and enforcing the rights of the Owners under the Resolution, by mandamus or other suit, action or special proceeding in equity or at law, in any court of competent jurisdiction, for any relief permitted by law, including the specific performance of any covenant or agreement contained in the Resolution, or thereby to enjoin any act or thing that may be unlawful or in violation of any right of the Owners under the Resolution or any combination of such remedies. It is provided that all such proceedings shall be instituted and maintained for the equal benefit of all owners of the Bonds then outstanding. The Resolution allows, but does not provide for a trustee to enforce the covenants and obligations of the Corporation. In no event will registered owners have the right to have the maturity of the Bonds accelerated as a remedy. The enforcement of any such remedy may be difficult and time consuming and a registered owner could be required to enforce such remedy on a periodic basis. No assurance can be given that a mandamus or other legal action to enforce a default under the Resolution would be successful.

Furthermore, the Corporation is eligible to seek relief from its creditors under Chapter 9 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code ("Chapter 9"). Chapter 9 includes an automatic stay provision that would prohibit, without Bankruptcy Court approval, the prosecution of any other legal action by creditors or Bondholders of an entity which has sought protection under Chapter 9. Therefore, should the Corporation avail itself of Chapter 9 protection from creditors, the ability to enforce would be subject to the approval of the Bankruptcy Court (which could require that the action be heard in Bankruptcy Court instead of other federal or state court); and the Bankruptcy Code provides for broad discretionary powers of a Bankruptcy Court in administering any proceeding brought before it. The opinion of Bond Counsel will note that all opinions relative to the enforceability of the Resolution and the Bonds are qualified with respect to the customary rights of debtors relative to their creditors.

USE OF BOND PROCEEDS . . . Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds are expected to be expended as follows:

Sources:

Sources.	
Par Amount	\$ -
Reoffering Premium	
TOTAL SOURCES	\$ -
<u>Uses:</u>	
Deposit to Project Construction Fund	
Costs of Issuance	
Surety Fee for Debt Service Reserve Fund Surety Bond	
Deposit to Capitalized Interest (CIF) Fund	
Total Underwriter's Discount	
TOTAL USES	\$ -

#### BOND INSURANCE RISK FACTORS

**GENERAL** . . . The Corporation has submitted applications to municipal bond insurance companies to have the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds of each series insured by a municipal bond insurance policy. If the Corporation obtains a commitment from a bond insurance company (the "Insurer") to provide a municipal bond insurance policy relating to the Bonds of a series (the "Policy"), the final Official Statement shall disclose certain information relating to the Insurer and the Policy.

In the event of default of the payment of principal or interest with respect to the Bonds of such series when all or some becomes due, any owner of the Bonds shall have a claim under the applicable Policy for such payments. However, in the event of any acceleration of the due date of such principal by reason of mandatory or optional redemption, other than any advancement of maturity pursuant to a mandatory sinking fund payment, the payments are to be made in such amounts and at such times as such payments would have been due had there not been any such acceleration. The Policy may not insure against redemption premium, if any. The payment of principal and interest in connection with mandatory or optional redemption of the Bonds by the Corporation which is recovered by the Corporation from the Bond owner as a voidable preference under applicable bankruptcy law may be covered by the Policy, however, such payments may be made by the Insurer at such time and in such amounts as would have been due absent such prepayment by the Corporation unless the Insurer chooses to pay such amounts at an earlier date.

Default of payment of principal and interest will not obligate acceleration of the obligations of the Insurer without appropriate consent. The Insurer may require its consent to any remedies and the Insurer's consent may be required in connection with amendments to any applicable Bond documents.

In the event the Insurer is unable to make payment of principal and interest as such payments become due under the Policy, the Bonds will be payable solely from the moneys pledged pursuant to the applicable Bond documents. In the event the Insurer becomes obligated to make payments with respect to the Bonds, no assurance is given that such event will not adversely affect the market price of the Bonds or the marketability (liquidity) for the Bonds.

In the event the Corporation elects to purchase bond insurance, the long-term ratings on the Bonds will be dependent in part on the financial strength of the Insurer and its claims-paying ability. The Insurer's financial strength and claims-paying ability are predicated upon a number of factors which could change over time. No assurance is given that the long-term ratings of the Insurer and of the ratings on the Bonds insured by the Insurer will not be subject to downgrade, and such event could adversely affect the market price of the Bonds or the marketability (liquidity) for the Bonds. See the description under "Other Information - Ratings" herein.

The obligations of the Insurer are contractual obligations and in an event of default by the Insurer, the remedies available may be limited by applicable bankruptcy law or State law related to insolvency of insurance companies.

Neither the Corporation, the Financial Advisor nor the Underwriter have made independent investigations into the claims-paying ability of any potential Insurer and no assurance or representation regarding the financial strength or projected financial strength of any potential Insurer is given. Thus, when making an investment decision, potential investors should carefully consider the ability of the Corporation to pay principal of and interest on the Bonds and the claims-paying ability of the Insurer, particularly over the life of the Bonds.

CLAIMS-PAYING ABILITY AND FINANCIAL STRENGTH OF MUNICIPAL BOND INSURERS . . . Moody's Investor Services, Inc., Standard & Poor's Ratings Services, a Standard & Poor's Financial Services LLC business, and Fitch Ratings (the "Rating Agencies") have downgraded the claims-paying ability and financial strength of most providers of municipal bond insurance. Additional downgrades or negative changes in the rating outlook for all bond insurers is possible. In addition, certain events in the credit markets have had substantial negative effects on the bond insurance business. These developments could be viewed as having a material adverse effect on the claims-paying ability of such bond insurers, including any bond insurer of the Bonds.

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# DEBT INFORMATION

TABLE 1 – PRO-FORMA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS

Fiscal											
Year	P	reviously Issue	ed		Previously Issued	l.				Total	% of
Ending	First Lie	en Bonds Debt	Service	Subordina	nte Lien Bonds D	ebt Service		The Bonds <sup>(1)</sup>		Debt	Principal
9/30	Principal	Interest	Total	Principal	Interest	Total	Principal	Interest	Total	Service	Retired
2016	\$ 130,000	\$ 87,450	\$ 217,450	\$ 775,000	\$ 210,004	\$ 985,004	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,202,454	
2017	130,000	84,850	214,850	790,000	197,934	987,934	690,000	327,193	1,017,193	2,219,977	
2018	135,000	82,250	217,250	805,000	182,634	987,634	605,000	414,525	1,019,525	2,224,409	
2019	135,000	79,550	214,550	820,000	164,102	984,102	615,000	402,425	1,017,425	2,216,077	
2020	140,000	76,513	216,513	835,000	143,498	978,498	630,000	390,125	1,020,125	2,215,135	18.12%
2021	145,000	73,188	218,188	865,000	120,813	985,813	640,000	377,525	1,017,525	2,221,525	
2022	145,000	69,381	214,381	890,000	95,433	985,433	655,000	364,725	1,019,725	2,219,539	
2023	150,000	65,213	215,213	915,000	67,855	982,855	670,000	351,625	1,021,625	2,219,693	
2024	155,000	60,525	215,525	950,000	35,188	985,188	680,000	338,225	1,018,225	2,218,938	
2025	160,000	55,488	215,488	-	-	-	695,000	324,625	1,019,625	1,235,113	41.22%
2026	165,000	49,888	214,888	-	-	-	710,000	310,725	1,020,725	1,235,613	
2027	170,000	44,113	214,113	-	-	-	725,000	292,975	1,017,975	1,232,088	
2028	180,000	37,950	217,950	-	-	-	745,000	274,850	1,019,850	1,237,800	
2029	185,000	31,200	216,200	-	-	-	765,000	252,500	1,017,500	1,233,700	
2030	190,000	23,800	213,800	-	-	-	795,000	225,725	1,020,725	1,234,525	67.35%
2031	200,000	16,200	216,200	-	-	-	820,000	197,900	1,017,900	1,234,100	
2032	205,000	8,200	213,200	-	-	-	850,000	169,200	1,019,200	1,232,400	
2033	-	-	-	-	-	-	880,000	139,450	1,019,450	1,019,450	
2034	-	-	-	-	-	-	910,000	108,650	1,018,650	1,018,650	
2035	-	-	-	-	-	-	940,000	76,800	1,016,800	1,016,800	94.47%
2036							980,000	39,200	1,019,200	1,019,200	100.00%
	\$2,720,000	\$945,756	\$3,665,756	\$ 7,645,000	\$ 1,217,459	\$ 8,862,459	\$15,000,000	\$5,378,968	\$20,378,968	\$32,907,182	

<sup>(1)</sup> Average life of Bonds is 11.069 years. Interest calculated at an average rate of 3.239% for purposes of illustration. Preliminary, subject to change.

#### THE SALES TAX

SOURCE AND AUTHORIZATION... The Sales Tax is a 1/2 of 1% limited sales and use tax imposed on all taxable transactions within the City as approved at the Election. The Sales Tax is authorized to be levied and collected against the receipts from the sale at retail of taxable items within the City. The Sales Tax also is an excise tax on the use, storage or other consumption of taxable tangible personal property purchased, leased or rented from a retailer within the City. The City currently levies an additional sales and use tax for City purposes totaling 1% in accordance with State law and is restricted by current law. The imposition, computation, administration, governance, abolition and use of the Sales Tax is governed by the Texas Limited Sales, Excise, and Use Tax Act except to the extent that there is conflict with the Act, in which case the provisions of the Act control as to the Bonds, and by the Municipal Sales and Use Tax Act, and reference is made thereto for a more complete description of the Sales Tax.

In general, as applied to the Sales Tax, a taxable item includes any tangible personal property and certain taxable services. "Taxable services" include certain amusement services, cable television services, motor vehicle parking and storage services, the repair, maintenance and restoration of most tangible personal property, certain telecommunication services, credit reporting services, debt collection services, insurance services, information services, real property services, data processing services, real property repair and remodeling and security services. Certain items are exempted by State law from sales and use taxes, including items purchased for resale, food products (except food products which are sold for immediate consumption, e.g. by restaurants, lunch counters, etc.), health care supplies (including medicines, corrective lens and various therapeutic appliances and devices), agricultural items (if the item is to be used exclusively on a farm or ranch or in the production of agricultural products), timber for sale or agricultural aircraft operations, gas and electricity purchased for residential use (unless a city has taken steps to repeal the exemption), certain telecommunications services, newspapers and magazines. In addition, items which are taxed under other State laws are generally exempted from sales taxes. These items include certain natural resources, cement, motor vehicles and insurance premiums. Alcohol and tobacco products are taxed under both State alcohol and tobacco taxes as well as through the sales taxes. In addition, purchases made by various exempt organizations are not subject to the sales and use taxes. Such organizations include the federal and state governments, political subdivisions, Indian tribes, religious institutions and certain charitable organizations and non-profit corporations. Also, State law provides an exemption from sales taxes on items purchased under a contract in effect when the legislation authorizing such tax (or the increase in the rate thereof) is enacted, up to a maximum of three years.

In general, a sale of a taxable item is deemed to occur within the municipality, county or special district in which the sale is consummated. The tax levied on the use, storage or consumption of tangible personal property is considered to be consummated at the location where the item is first stored, used or consumed. Thus, the use is considered to be consummated in a municipality, and the tax is levied there if the item is shipped from outside the state to a point within the municipality.

In addition to the local sales and use taxes levied, as described above, the State levies and collects a 6 ¼% sales and use tax against essentially the same taxable items and transactions as the Sales Tax is levied. Under current State law, the maximum aggregate sales and use tax which may be levied within a given area by an authorized political subdivision within such area, including the State, is 8 ¼%. The current aggregate sales and use tax levied in the City is 8 ¼% of which 6 ¼% is levied by the State, 1% is levied by the City, ½ of 1% is levied by the Mansfield Economic Development Corporation and ½ of 1% is levied as the Sales Tax for the benefit of the Corporation.

The Comptroller administers and enforces all sales tax laws and collects all sales and use taxes levied by the State, and levying counties, municipalities and other special districts having sales tax powers. Certain limited items are taxed for the benefit of the State under nonsales tax statutes, such as certain natural resources and other items described above, and are not subject to the sales tax base available to municipalities and counties, including the tax base against which the Sales Tax is levied. Municipalities may by local option determine to tax certain telecommunication services on the same basis as the State taxes such services (some aspects of telecommunication services, such as interstate telephone calls and broadcasts regulated by the FCC are not subject to either State or local taxation). The City has opted to repeal the local telecommunication services exemption. With respect to the taxation of the residential use of gas and electricity, the State is not authorized to collect a sales tax, while municipalities, on a local option basis, may tax such use. The City has opted to tax the residential use of gas and electricity.

In recent years, several changes in the State sales tax laws have contributed to the growth of local sales tax revenues. These changes have added additional goods and services to the list of taxable items. Other items have been subjected to sales tax on an interim basis or have been taxed pursuant to legislation which includes planned phase-outs of the tax, including sales tax for tangible personal property used in manufacturing, processing, or fabrication operations with a useful life of at least six months that became totally exempt from sales tax in 1995. Subject to the right of the governing body of the City to repeal the sales tax holiday, during a three day period beginning the Friday before eight days prior to the earliest possible first day of school, articles of clothing, footwear, qualifying backpacks and school supplies with a cost less than \$100 are exempt from the sales tax. The first \$25 of a monthly charge for Internet access is exempt from sales tax, as is 20% of the value of information services and data processing services. Sales tax is due on over-the-counter drugs and medicines labeled with a national FDA drug code.

With certain exceptions, sales and use taxes in the State are collected at the point of sale and are remitted to the Comptroller by the "taxpayer" who is, generally speaking, the business that collects the tax resulting from a taxable transaction. Taxpayers owing \$500 or more sales and use tax dollars in a calendar month submit their tax collections to the Comptroller on a monthly basis; taxpayers owing less than \$500 sales and use tax dollars in a calendar month but \$1,500 or more in a calendar quarter submit their tax

collections quarterly; and taxpayers owing less than \$1,500 in a calendar quarter submit their tax collections annually. Taxpayers are required to report and remit to the Comptroller by the 20th day of the month following the end of the reporting period. The reporting period for yearly filers ends each December 31; for quarterly filers, the reporting period ends at the end of each calendar quarter; and monthly filers report and remit by the 20th of each month for the previous month. The Comptroller is required by law to distribute funds to the receiving political subdivisions periodically and as promptly as feasible but, not less frequently than twice during each fiscal year of the State. Historically, and at the present time, the Comptroller distributes the funds monthly with the largest payments being made quarterly in February, May, August and November. In 1989, the Comptroller initiated a direct deposit program using electronic funds transfers to expedite the distribution of monthly allocation checks. If a political subdivision desires to participate in the electronic funds transfers, it may make application to the Comptroller. The City participates in this program. Otherwise, the Comptroller mails the monthly allocation check, which is typically received by the middle of the month following the month in which the taxpayer reports and remits payment on the tax.

The Comptroller is responsible for enforcing the collection of sales and use taxes in the State. Under State law, the Comptroller utilizes sales tax permits, sales tax bonds and audits to encourage timely payment of sales and use taxes. Each entity selling, renting, leasing or otherwise providing taxable goods or services is required to have a sales tax permit. Permits are required for each individual location of a taxpayer and are valid for only one year, requiring an annual renewal. As a general rule, every person who applies for a sales tax permit for the first time, or who becomes delinquent in paying the sales or use tax, is required to post a bond in an amount sufficient to protect against the failure to pay taxes. The Comptroller's audit procedures include auditing the largest 2% of the sales and use tax taxpayers (who report about 65% of all sales and use tax in the State annually), each every three or four years. Other taxpayers are selected at random or upon some other basis for audits. The Comptroller also engages in taxpayer education programs and mails a report to each taxpayer before the last day of the month, quarter or year that it covers.

Once a taxpayer becomes delinquent in the payment of a sales or use tax, the Comptroller may collect the delinquent tax by using one or more of the following methods; (i) collection by an automated collection center or local field office, (ii) estimating the taxpayers' liability based on the highest amount due in the previous 12 months and billing them for it, (iii) filing liens and requiring a new or increased payment bond, (iv) utilizing forced collection procedures such as seizing assets of the taxpayer (e.g., a checking account) or freezing assets of the taxpayer that are in the custody of third parties, (v) removing a taxpayer's sales and use tax permit, and (vi) certifying the account to the Attorney General's Office to file suit for collection. A municipality may not sue for delinquent taxes unless it joins the Attorney General as a plaintiff or unless it first receives the permission of the Attorney General and the Comptroller.

The Comptroller retains 2% of the tax receipts for collection of the tax; additionally, under State law, a taxpayer may deduct and withhold 1/2% of the amount of taxes due on a timely return as reimbursement for the cost of collecting the sales and use taxes. In addition, a taxpayer who prepays its tax liability on the basis of a reasonable estimate of the tax liability for a month or quarter in which a prepayment is made, may deduct and withhold 1 1/4% of the amount of the prepayment in addition to the 1/2% allowed for the cost of collecting the sales and use tax.

**INVESTOR CONSIDERATIONS.**.. The primary source of security for the Bonds will be certain receipts of the Sales Tax received by the City for the benefit of the Corporation. The amount of revenues from the Sales Tax is closely related to the amount of economic activity in the City. Sales and use tax receipts, unlike other taxes levied by municipalities, immediately reflect changes in the economic conditions of a municipality.

Increases in Internet sales may result in a decrease in Sales Tax revenue to the Corporation. The emergence of Internet sales and services and issues related to taxation of such sales and services have been the subject of review and study at the state and national level. In October, 1998, the United States Congress enacted the Internet Tax Freedom Act which provided a three year moratorium on certain aspects of taxation of the Internet (existing taxes imposed by Texas were exempted from the moratorium), and, in late 2001, the moratorium was extended by Congress through November 1, 2003. In 2004, Congress extended the moratorium again until November 1, 2007. On November 1, 2007 the President signed into law a continuation of the moratorium passed by Congress that extends the moratorium until November 1, 2014. On June 9, 2015, the United States House of Representatives approved H.R. 235, the Permanent Internet Tax Freedom Act (PITFA), which would make the moratorium permanent, the bill was sent to the United States Senate, where it was referred to the Committee on Finance. Legislative changes relating to the taxation of Internet sales and services, and any effect of such changes on the Sales Tax received by the Corporation, cannot be predicted at this time.

Historically, the Comptroller has remitted sales and use tax allocation checks to municipalities on a monthly basis, but State law currently requires that such allocation be made at least twice annually and such procedures could change in the future. Additionally, the taxable items and services subject to State and local sales and use taxes are subject to legislative action, and have been changed in recent years by the State Legislature. State law provides that the Sales Tax cannot be levied against any taxable item or service unless such item or service is also subject to the State sales and use tax.

In recent years the State Legislature has enacted laws permitting the State, together with its political subdivisions, to levy sales and use taxes of up to 8 1/4%, which is among the highest sales tax rates in the nation (although the State has no personal or corporate income tax), and the current total sales and use tax rate within the City's boundaries is 8 ¼ % (including State, City and Mansfield Economic Development Corporation taxes as well as the Sales Tax). The rate of the sales and use taxes authorized in the State could be further increased by the State Legislature and the Corporation has no way of predicting any such increase or the effect that would

have on the Sales Tax which secures the Bonds. State leaders have appointed committees to study methods of achieving greater tax equity within the State's tax system. Any changes which may be enacted by the State Legislature could affect the tax base against which the Sales Tax is levied; and the City (and hence the Corporation as the beneficiary of the City's action), except in certain limited instances described below, has no control over the components of the tax base. Neither the City nor the Corporation currently has statutory authority to increase or decrease the maximum authorized rate of the Sales Tax.

Tax receipts received by the Corporation are expected to be subject to seasonal variations and to variations caused by the State laws and administrative practices governing the remittance of sales and use tax receipts which authorize different taxpayers to remit the tax receipts at different times throughout the year.

The Sales Tax is collected by the Comptroller and remitted to the City along with other City sales and use tax receipts. The City allocates a portion of the receipts to the Corporation which represents the 1/2 of 1% tax rate of the Sales Tax. Generally, sales and use taxes in the State are collected at the point of a taxable transaction and remitted by the taxpayer to the Comptroller. The Comptroller has the primary responsibility for enforcing sales and use tax laws and collecting delinquent taxes. The collection efforts of the Comptroller are subject to applicable federal bankruptcy code provisions with respect to the protection of debtors.

Changes in the tax base against which a sales and use tax is assessed, as well as changes in the rate of such taxes, make projections of future tax revenue collections very uncertain. No independent projections have been made with respect to the revenues available to pay debt service on the Bonds.

TABLE 2 - HISTORICAL CITY RECEIPTS OF 1/2% SALES TAX

Month	1/2% Sales Tax	1/2% Sales Tax	1/2% Sales Tax	1/2% Sales Tax	1/2% Sales Tax	
of	Collections	ollections Collections Collections		Collections	Collections	
Receipt	Fiscal 2015/16	Fiscal 2014/15	Fiscal 2013/14	Fiscal 2012/13	Fiscal 2011/12	
October	\$ 476,768	\$ 447,096	\$ 399,991	\$ 381,405	\$ 364,912	
November	381,567	365,646	317,936	319,784	266,154	
December	376,756	368,101	339,868	285,916	286,562	
January	575,958	540,885	504,331	429,982	430,183	
February	401,827	339,095	303,903	283,179	264,791	
March	343,561	311,562	306,823	290,366	281,572	
April	501,919	469,795	445,468	393,611	392,620	
May	376,065	374,554	378,424	292,236	293,241	
June	395,811	356,382	354,488	317,045	304,162	
July		491,837	445,819	409,142	383,707	
August		390,176	363,033	331,310	316,417	
September		387,670	359,488	320,183	305,538	
Totals	\$ 3,830,232	\$ 4,842,799	\$ 4,519,573	\$ 4,054,158	\$ 3,889,860	

Table 3 - Calculation of Coverage for the Issuance of Additional  $B \mathsf{onds}^{(1)}$ 

Sales Tax Collection for Fiscal Year Ended 9/30/15	\$ 4,842,799
Maximum Annual Debt Service Fiscal Year 2018.	\$ 2,224,409
Coverage of Maximum Requirements.	2.18x
Average Annual Debt Service 2016-2036.	\$ 1,567,009
Coverage of Average Requirements	3.09x

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds and the Bonds. Preliminary, subject to change.

TABLE 4 - HISTORICAL CORPORATION REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Years Ended September 30, 2014 2013 2011 2015 2012 Revenues: Taxes, Penalties, and Interest \$ 4,854,487 \$ 4.530,982 \$ 4.065,299 \$ 3,899,868 \$ 3,631,255 Gas Royalty Income 1,571 2,793 3,010 37,566 158,711 4,051 Interest Income 9,214 3,255 435 3,344 Contributions 1,408,863 1,408,862 Miscellaneous 1,900 6,074 175 64,887 1,164 **Total Revenues** 6,270,165 5,952,762 \$ 4,077,698 \$ 4,005,576 \$ 3,791,565 **Expenditures:** Administration 800,278 766,063 819,779 735,628 \$ 830,051 8,973,840 1,774,257 **Projects** 3,467,286 3,396,140 1,513,631 Debt Service, and Related Costs 1,655,408 1,322,059 1,320,775 1,268,443 1,102,169 Capital Outlay 5,536,694 5,922,972 \$11,061,962 3,778,328 \$ 3,445,851 **Total Expenditures** Excess (Deficiency) of Revenue Over Expenditures 347,193 (5,109,200)(1,458,996)227.248 345,714 \$ \$ Other Financing Sources (Uses) 446,328 \$ \$ 3,057,677 \$ 62,958 433,000 Gain on Sale of Capital Assets 446,328 433,000 3.057.677 62,958 Total Other Financing Sources (Uses) Beginning Fund Balance<sup>(1)</sup> 11,871,306 12,897,302 9,203,705 6,762,106 9,612,377 Ending Fund Balance<sup>(1)</sup> 7,555,627 6,762,106 \$11,871,306 \$12,897,302 \$ 9,612,377 \$

#### OTHER ACTIVITY OF THE CORPORATION

The Corporation was established to promote, encourage and incentivize economic development within the City. Since its inception, the Corporation has promoted industrial and commercial development through incentive agreements that are designed to encourage existing business expansion and new business growth within the City. Since inception, the Corporation has assisted over 135 companies in making Mansfield their home by providing over \$20.2 million in economic assistance. In return, these companies have made cumulative capital investments of over \$530 million and created over 3,500 jobs within the City.

In continuance of the City's economic development program, the Corporation has made additional commitments to incentivize industry over the next several years. These commitments are generally contingent upon the industry's capital investments and creation of new jobs or other criteria determined by the Corporation. The arrangements vary in amounts and allow for reimbursements for capital costs or expansion costs incurred by these industries. These commitments require stringent performance commitments by the respective industries to qualify for the incentives. To date the Corporation has made commitments to be administered over the next several years in the amounts of \$4.6 million in year 2017, \$3.3 million in year 2018, \$1.5 million in year 2020, \$0.8 million in year 2021 and \$0.7 million in 2022. These commitments and amounts may change from year to year depending upon the performance of the industries, and their ability to meet the performance standards as established by the Corporation. In the event the Corporation deems the industries performance insufficient, the Corporation can restructure, extend, void or recover the commitments.

The commitments of the Corporation described in the two preceding paragraphs are not secured by a pledge of or lien on Pledged Revenues securing the New Lien Bonds, or any security.

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#### SELECTED PROVISIONS OF THE RESOLUTION

The following are certain provisions of the Resolution. These provisions are not to be considered a full statement of the terms of the Resolution. Accordingly, these selected provisions are qualified in their entirety by reference to the Resolution and are subject to the full text thereof.

#### **Definitions**

"Additional Parity Revenue Obligations" means the additional sales tax revenue bonds the Corporation reserves the right to issue on a parity with the Bonds.

"Authorized Officer" means the President, Vice President, or Secretary of the Corporation or any other officer or employee of the Corporation, or any other person authorized to perform specific acts or duties by the Board or its bylaws.

"Board" means the Board of Directors of the Corporation.

"Closing Date" means the date of the initial delivery of and payment for the Bonds.

"Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, including applicable regulations, published rulings and court decisions relating thereto.

"Comptroller" means the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas and any successor officer or official that may be charged by law with the duty of collecting Gross Sales Tax Revenues for the account of, and remitting the same to, the City for the account of the Corporation.

"Corporation Order" means a written order signed in the name of the Corporation by an Authorized Officer and delivered to the Paying Agent, or another party hereunder.

"Costs of the Projects" means all items of costs of or attributable to the Projects and defined as "Costs" in the Act.

"Designated Payment/Transfer Office" means (i) with respect to the initial Paying Agent/Registrar named herein, its corporate trust office in Dallas, Texas, and (ii) with respect to any successor Paying Agent/Registrar, the office of such successor designated and located as may be agreed upon by the Corporation and such successor.

"Event of Default" means any Event of Default as defined in the Resolution.

"Fiscal Year" means October 1 through September 30.

"Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund" means the special fund so designated in the Resolution.

"Gross Sales Tax Revenues" means all of the revenues due or owing to, or collected or received by or on behalf of the Corporation, whether by the City or otherwise, pursuant to the Sales Tax Collection Resolution or the Resolution, or the resolutions authorizing the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds, or any Additional Parity Revenue Obligations, from or by reason of the levy of the Sales Tax, less any amounts due or owing to the Comptroller as charges for collection or retentions by the Comptroller for refunds and to redeem dishonored checks and drafts, to the extent such charges and retention are authorized or required by law.

"Interest Payment Date" means the date or dates upon which interest on the Bonds is scheduled to be paid until the maturity of the Bonds, such dates being February 1 and August 1 of each year commencing August 1, 2017.

"Bond" means any of the Bonds.

"Bonds" means the Corporation's bonds entitled "Mansfield Economic Development Corporation Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, New Series 2016" authorized to be issued by the Resolution.

"Debt Service Fund" means the debt service fund established by the Resolution.

"Reserve Fund" means the reserve funds established by the Resolution.

"Reserve Fund Obligations" means cash or investments securities of any of the type or types permitted under the Resolution.

"Reserve Fund Surety Bond" means any surety bond or insurance policy having a rating in the two highest generic rating categories by Moody's Investors Service, Inc., Standard & Poor's Ratings Services, a Standard & Poor's Financial Services LLC business, or Fitch Ratings, Inc., issued to the Corporation for the benefit of the Owners of the Bonds to satisfy any part of the Required Reserve as provided in the Resolution.

"Resolution" means, the Series 2016 Resolution and any resolutions authorizing Additional Parity Revenue Obligations.

"Owner" means the person who is the registered owner of a Bond or Bonds, as shown in the Register.

"Parity Revenue Obligations" means the Bonds and any Additional Parity Revenue Obligations.

"Paying Agent/Registrar" means U.S Bank National Association, any successor thereto or an entity which is appointed as and assumes the duties of paying agent/registrar as provided in the Resolution.

"Pledged Funds" means collectively (a) amounts on deposit in the Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund, (b) amounts on deposit in the Debt Service Fund, (c) amounts on deposit in the Reserve Fund, together with any investments or earnings belonging to said funds, and (d) any additional revenues, other moneys or funds of the Corporation which heretofore have been or hereafter may be expressly and specifically pledged to the payment of the Parity Revenue Obligations.

"Pledged Revenues" means (a) Gross Sales Tax Revenues from time to time deposited or owing to the Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund, and (b) such other money, income, revenues or other property which the Corporation may expressly and specifically pledge to the payment of Parity Revenue Obligations.

"Previously Issued Senior Lien Bond Resolution" means, collectively, the Resolutions authorizing the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds.

"Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds" means the outstanding and unpaid revenue bonds of the Corporation designated as following: (1) Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2012, dated as of December 1, 2011; (2) Sales Tax Revenue Refunding Bonds, New Series 2015, dated as of December 1, 2014; and (3) Sales Tax Revenue Refunding Bonds, Taxable New Series 2015, dated December 1, 2014.

"Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Debt Service Fund" means the "Debt Service Fund" created and confirmed in the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bond Resolution.

"Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Reserve Fund" means the "Reserve Fund" created and confirmed in the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bond Resolution for the benefit of the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds.

"Projects" means all properties, including land, buildings, and equipment of the types added to the definition of "projects" by the Act that are approved by the Board as necessary and appropriate to fulfill and carry out the purposes of the Corporation.

"Sales Tax" means the one-half of one percent local sales and use tax authorized under the Act approved by the voters of the City on January 18, 1997, and heretofore authorized and levied by the City within its existing boundaries, and hereafter required to be levied and collected within any expanded areas included within the City pursuant to the Act, together with any increases in the rate thereof if provided and authorized by applicable law.

"Sales Tax Collection Resolution" means that certain resolution adopted concurrently by the Board and the governing body of the City on the same date, bearing that name.

<u>Confirmation and Levy of Sales Tax</u>. (a) In the Resolution, the Corporation hereby confirms the earlier levy by the City of the Sales Tax at the rate voted at the election held by and within the City on January 18, 1997, and the Corporation hereby warrants and represents that the City has duly and lawfully ordered the imposition and collection of the Sales Tax upon all sales, uses and transactions as are permitted by and described in the Act throughout the boundaries of the City as such boundaries existed on the date of said election and as they may be expanded from time to time.

- (b) For so long as any Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds or Parity Revenue Obligations are outstanding, the Corporation covenants, agrees and warrants to take and pursue all action permissible under applicable law to cause the Sales Tax, at said rate, or at a higher rate if permitted by applicable law, to be levied and collected continuously, in the manner and to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, and to cause no reduction, abatement or exemption in the Sales Tax or rate of tax below the rate stated, confirmed and ordered in subsection (a) of this Section to be ordered or permitted so long as any Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds or Parity Revenue Obligations shall remain outstanding.
- (c) If the City shall be authorized hereafter by applicable law to apply, impose and levy the Sales Tax on any taxable items or transactions that are not subject to the Sales Tax on the date of the adoption hereof, the Corporation, to the extent it legally may do so, hereby covenants and agrees to use its best efforts to cause the City to take such action as may be required by applicable law to subject such taxable items or transactions to the Sales Tax.
- (d) The Corporation agrees to take and pursue all action permissible under applicable law to cause the Sales Tax to be collected and remitted and deposited as herein required and as required by the Act, at the earliest and most frequent times permitted by applicable law.
- (e) The Corporation agrees and covenants at all times, and to use its best efforts to cause the City, to comply with the Sales Tax Collection Resolution.
- <u>Pledge</u>. (a) In the Resolution, the Corporation irrevocably pledges (i) the Pledged Revenues, and (ii) the Pledged Funds (A) to the payment of the principal of, and the interest and any premiums on, all Parity Revenue Obligations which are or may be outstanding from time to lime, and (B) to the establishment and maintenance of the Reserve Fund.
- (b) The provisions, covenants, pledge and lien on and against the Pledged Revenues are established and shall be for the equal benefit, protection and security of the Owners of the Parity Revenue Obligations without distinction as to priority and rights.

(c) The Parity Revenue Obligations, including interest payable thereon, shall constitute special obligations of the Corporation, payable solely from and secured by an irrevocable lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues and Pledged Funds, and not from any other revenues, properties or income of the Corporation, such lien and pledge, however, being in all things junior and subordinate to the lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues and Pledged Funds made for the security and payment of the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds and to the deposits required by the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bond Resolution to be made to the various funds and accounts as security for the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds. Provided further, however, at such time as all of the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds are no longer outstanding, the Parity Revenue Obligations shall be equally and ratably secured by and payable from an irrevocable first lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues. Parity Revenue Obligations shall not constitute debts or obligations of the State or of the City, and the Owners of the Parity Revenue Obligations shall never have the right to demand payment out of any funds raised or to be raised by ad valorem taxation. The Parity Revenue Obligations do not give rise to a claim for payment against the City except as to Sales Tax Revenues held by the City and required by the Act to be paid over to the Corporation.

<u>Resolution as Security Agreement.</u> (a) An executed copy of the Resolution shall constitute a security agreement pursuant to applicable law, with the Owners as the secured parties. The lien, pledge, and security interest of the Owners created in the Resolution shall become effective immediately upon the Closing Date of the Bonds, and the same shall be continuously effective for so long as any Bonds are outstanding.

(b) A fully executed copy of the Resolution and the proceedings authorizing it shall be filed as a security agreement among the permanent records of the Corporation. Such records shall be open for inspection to any member of the general public and to any person proposing to do or doing business with, or asserting claims against, the Corporation, at all times during regular business hours.

#### Application of Chapter 1208, Government Code.

(a) Chapter 1208, Government Code, applies to the issuance of the Bonds and the pledge of the revenues granted by the Corporation under the Resolution, and such pledge is therefore valid, effective and perfected. If Texas law is amended at any time while the Bonds are outstanding and unpaid such that the pledge of the revenues granted by the Corporation under the Resolution are to be subject to the filing requirements of Chapter 9, Business & Commerce Code, then in order to preserve to the registered owners of the Bonds the perfection of the security interest in said pledge, the Corporation agrees to take such measures as it determines are reasonable and necessary under Texas law to comply with the applicable provisions of Chapter 9, Business & Commerce Code and enable a filing to perfect the security interest in said pledge to occur.

#### Creation and Confirmation of Funds.

- (a) The Corporation hereby creates, establishes and confirms the following funds to be held at the Corporation's depository bank:
  - (i) Mansfield Parks Facilities Development Corporation Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Debt Service Fund;
  - (ii) Mansfield Parks Facilities Development Corporation Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Reserve Fund;
    - (iii) Mansfield Parks Facilities Development Corporation Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund;
    - (iv) Mansfield Parks Facilities Development Corporation Debt Service Fund;
  - (v) Mansfield Parks Facilities Development Corporation Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Project Development Fund;
    - (vi) Mansfield Parks Facilities Development Corporation Bonds Project Development Fund;
    - (vii) Mansfield Parks Facilities Development Corporation Capital Improvement Fund.
- (b) The Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Debt Service Fund shall be maintained for the benefit of the Owners of the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds. Money on deposit in the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Debt Service Fund shall be used to pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds when and as the same shall become due and payable.
- (c) The Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Reserve Fund shall be maintained for the benefit of the Owners of the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds. Money on deposit in the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Reserve Fund shall be used to pay principal of, premium of, if any, and interest on Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds becoming due and payable when there is not sufficient money available in the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Debt Service Fund for such purpose.

Money on deposit in the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Reserve Fund may be applied to the acquisition of a Surety Bond as authorized pursuant to the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bond Resolution.

- (d) Moneys on deposit in the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Project Development Fund shall be used for paying costs of Corporation Projects for which Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds were issued.
- (e) Moneys on deposit in the Bonds Project Development Fund shall be used for paying costs of Projects for which Parity Revenue Obligations from time to time are issued.
- (f) The Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund, which may also be designated as the "Mansfield Parks Facilities Development Corporation Fund," is hereby established as a special fund comprised of the Gross Sales Tax Revenues, together with all other revenues as from time to time may be determined for deposit therein by the Corporation, and shall be maintained at the Corporation's depository bank for the benefit of the Owners of the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds and the Parity Revenue Obligations, subject to the further provisions of the Resolution.
- (g) The Debt Service Fund shall be maintained for the benefit of the Owners of the Parity Revenue Obligations. Money deposited in the Debt Service Fund shall be used to pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Parity Revenue Obligations when and as the same shall become due and payable.
- (h) The Reserve Fund shall be maintained for the benefit of the Owners of the Bonds and not any other Parity Revenue Obligations. Money deposited in the Reserve Fund shall be used to pay principal of and/or interest on the Bonds becoming due and payable when there is not sufficient money available in the Debt Service Fund for such purpose. Money deposited in the Reserve Fund shall be used to pay principal of and/or interest on the Bonds becoming due and payable when there is not sufficient money available in the Debt Service Fund for such purpose. Money on deposit in the Reserve Fund may be applied to the acquisition of a Reserve Fund Surety Bond.
- (i) Money from time to time on deposit in the Capital Improvement Fund shall be used for paying costs of authorized Projects the payment of which are not otherwise provided from the proceeds of Parity Revenue Obligations, and for any other lawful purposes permitted under applicable law. The Capital Improvement Fund at all times shall be free of any lien or pledge created by the Resolution and the resolution or resolutions authorizing the issuance Additional Parity Revenue Obligations.

# Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund.

- (a) All Pledged Revenues shall be deposited and transferred as received to the Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund.
- (b) Until such time as the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds are no longer outstanding, moneys deposited in the Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund shall be pledged and appropriated to the following uses, in the order of priority shown:
  - (i) <u>First</u>, to the payment, without priority, of all amounts required to be deposited in the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Debt Service Fund established by the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Resolution established for the payment of Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds;
  - (ii) <u>Second</u>, to the payment of all amounts required to be deposited in the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Reserve Fund pursuant to the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds Resolution;
  - (iii) <u>Third</u>, to pay any amounts due to any bond insurer of Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds not paid pursuant to subsections (i) or (ii) above;
  - (iv) <u>Fourth</u>, to pay any amounts due to any issuer of a Previously Issued Senior Lien Bond Reserve Fund Surety Bond not paid pursuant to subsections (ii) or (iii) above;
  - (v) <u>Fifth</u>, to any other fund or account required by any Previously Issued Senior Lien Bond Resolution authorizing Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds, the amounts required to be deposited therein;
  - (vi) <u>Sixth</u>, to the payment, without priority, of all amounts required to be deposited in the Debt Service Fund herein established for the payment of Parity Revenue Obligations;
  - (vii) <u>Seventh</u>, on a pro rata basis, to each debt service reserve fund created by any resolution authorizing the issuance of Parity Revenue Obligations, which contains less than the amount to be accumulated and/or maintained therein, as provided in such resolutions;

- (viii) <u>Eighth</u>, to pay any amounts due to any bond insurer of Parity Revenue Obligations not paid pursuant to subsections (vi) or (vii) above;
- (ix) Ninth, to pay any amounts due to any issuer of a Reserve Fund Surety Bond not paid pursuant to subsections (vii) of (viii) above;
- (x) <u>Tenth</u>, to any other fund or account required by any resolution authorizing Parity Revenue Obligations, the amounts required to be deposited therein;
- (xi) <u>Eleventh</u>, to any fund or account, or to any payee, required by any other resolution of the Board which authorizes the issuance of obligations or the creation of debt of the Corporation having a lien on the Pledged Revenues subordinate to the lien and pledge created herein with respect to the Parity Revenue Obligations;
  - (xii) Twelfth, to the Capital Improvement Fund.
- (c) At such time as there are no Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds outstanding, moneys deposited in the Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund shall be pledged and appropriated to the following uses, in the order of priority shown:
  - (i) <u>First</u>, to the payment, without priority, of all amounts required to be deposited in the Debt Service Fund herein established for the payment of Parity Revenue Obligations;
  - (ii) <u>Second</u>, on a pro rata basis, to each debt service reserve fund created by any resolution authorizing the issuance of Parity Revenue Obligations, which contains less than the amount to be accumulated and/or maintained therein, as provided in such resolutions;
  - (iii) Third, to pay any amounts due to any bond insurer of Parity Revenue Obligations not paid pursuant to subsections (i) or (ii) above;
  - (iv) <u>Fourth</u>, to pay any amounts due to any issuer of a Reserve Fund Surety Bond not paid pursuant to subsections (ii) or (iii) above;
  - (v) <u>Fifth</u>, to any other fund or account required by any resolution authorizing Parity Revenue Obligations, the amounts required to be deposited therein;
  - (vi) <u>Sixth</u>, to any fund or account, or to any payee, required by any other resolution of the Board which authorizes the issuance of obligations or the creation of debt of the Corporation having a lien on the Pledged Revenues subordinate to the lien and pledge created herein with respect to the Parity Revenue Obligations;
    - (vii) <u>Seventh</u>, to the Capital Improvement Fund.

# Debt Service Fund

- (a) The Corporation hereby covenants and agrees to make deposits to the Debt Service Fund from moneys in the Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund, in substantially equal monthly, bi-monthly, quarterly or semi-annual installments as such money is received, to pay the principal of and interest on the Parity Revenue Obligations as follows:
  - (i) Such amounts, on deposit and received following the Closing Date, as will be sufficient, together with other amounts, if any, then on hand in the Debt Service Fund and available for such purpose, to pay the interest scheduled to accrue and become due and payable with respect to the Parity Revenue Obligations on the next succeeding Interest Payment Date;
  - (ii) Such amounts, on deposit and received following the Closing Date, as will be sufficient, together with other amounts, if any, on hand in the Debt Service Fund and available for such purpose, to pay the principal scheduled to mature and come due on the Parity Revenue Obligations on the next succeeding Interest Payment Date on which principal of the Bonds is to be payable.
- (b) The deposits to the Debt Service Fund for the payment of principal of and interest on the Parity Revenue Obligations shall continue to be made as hereinabove provided until such time as (i) the total amount on deposit in the Debt Service Fund and Reserve Fund is equal to the amount required to pay all outstanding obligations (principal and/or interest) for which said Fund was created and established to pay or (ii) the Parity Revenue Obligations are no longer outstanding, i.e., fully paid as to principal and interest on all of the Parity Revenue Obligations have been refunded.

(c) Any proceeds of the Bonds not required for the purposes for which the Bonds are issued shall be deposited to the Debt Service Fund.

#### Reserve Fund.

- (a) There is hereby created and ordered held at a depository bank of the Corporation, for the benefit of the Bonds, the Reserve Fund. As provided in the Resolution, the Corporation shall deposit and credit to the Reserve Fund amounts required to maintain the balance in the Reserve Fund in an amount equal to the maximum annual debt service requirements of the Bonds (the "Required Reserve"). The maximum annual debt service requirements of the Bonds shall be calculated by the Corporation on the date of issuance of the Bonds and on each October 1 thereafter, and the Required Reserve to be maintained in the Reserve Fund after each such calculation shall be the amount determined by such calculation.
- (b) All funds, investments and Reserve Fund Surety Bonds on deposit and credited to the Reserve Fund shall be used solely for (i) the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, when and to the extent other funds available for such purposes are insufficient, (ii) to make payments due under a Reserve Fund Surety Bond and (iii) with respect to funds and investments on deposit and credited to the Reserve Fund other than Reserve Fund Surety Bonds, to retire the last maturity of or interest on the Bonds.
- When and for so long as the cash, investments and Reserve Fund Surety Bonds in the Reserve Fund equal the Required Reserve, no deposits need be made to the credit of the Reserve Fund. If the Reserve Fund at any time contains less than the Required Reserve, the Corporation covenants and agrees that the Corporation shall cure the deficiency in the Reserve Fund by making deposits to such Fund from the Pledged Revenues in accordance with the Resolution by monthly deposits and credits in amounts equal to not less than 1/60th of the Required Reserve with any such deficiency payments being made on or before the last day of each month until the Required Reserve has been fully restored; provided, however, that no such deposits shall be made into the Reserve Fund during any six-month period beginning on February 1 and August 1 until there has been deposited into the Debt Service Fund the full amount required to be deposited therein by the next following February 1 and August 1, as the case may be. In addition, in the event that a portion of the Required Reserve is represented by a Reserve Fund Surety Bond, the Required Reserve and deposits to the Reserve Fund shall take into account such value of the Reserve Fund Surety Bond. The Corporation further covenants and agrees that, subject only to the prior deposits and credits for the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds and to be made to the Debt Service Fund, the Pledged Revenues shall be applied, appropriated and used to establish and maintain the Required Reserve, including by paying payments under a Reserve Fund Surety Bond when due, and any reserve established for the benefit of any issue or series of Additional Parity Revenue Obligations and to cure any deficiency in such amounts as required by the terms of this Resolution and any other Resolution pertaining to the issuance of Additional Parity Revenue Obligations. Reimbursements to any provider of a Reserve Fund Surety Bond shall constitute the curing of a deficiency in the Reserve Fund to the extent that such reimbursements result in the reinstatement, in whole or in part, as the case may be, of the amount of the Reserve Fund Surety Bond to the Required Reserve.
- (d) Earnings and income derived from the investment of amounts held for the credit of the Reserve Fund shall be retained in the Reserve Fund until the Reserve Fund contains the Required Reserve. During such time as the Reserve Fund contains the Required Reserve or any cash or investment is replaced with a Reserve Fund Surety Bond pursuant to subsection (e) below, the Corporation may, at its option, withdraw funds that are in excess of the Required Reserve and deposit such surplus in the Gross Sales Tax Revenue Fund; provided that the face amount of any Reserve Fund Surety Bond may be reduced at the option of the Corporation in lieu of such withdrawal of excess funds. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any surplus funds in excess of the Required Reserve that consist of gross proceeds of the Bonds or interest thereon shall be used for purposes for which the Bonds were issued or deposited to the Debt Service Fund.
- (e) The Corporation may, at any time, deposit, supplement, replace or substitute a Reserve Fund Surety Bond for cash or investments on deposit in the Reserve Fund or in substitution for or replacement of any existing Reserve Fund Surety Bond.
- (f) If the Corporation is required to make a withdrawal from the Reserve Fund for any of the purposes described in this Section, the Corporation shall promptly notify the issuer of such Reserve Fund Surety Bond of the necessity for a withdrawal from the Reserve Fund for any such purposes, and shall make such withdrawal first from available moneys or permitted investments then on deposit in the Reserve Fund, and next from a drawing under any Reserve Fund Surety Bond to the extent of any deficiency.
- (g) In the event there is a draw upon the Reserve Fund Surety Bond, the Corporation shall reimburse the provider of such Reserve Fund Surety Bond for such draw, in accordance with the terms of any agreement pursuant to which the Reserve Fund Surety Bond is used, from Pledged Revenues; however, such reimbursement from Pledged Revenues shall be in accordance with the provisions of the Resolution and shall be subordinate and junior in right of payment to the payment of principal of and premium, if any, and interest on the then Outstanding Parity Revenue Obligations.

- (h) The Corporation may create and establish a debt service reserve fund pursuant to any resolution or resolutions authorizing the issuance of Parity Revenue Obligations for the purpose of security that series of Parity Revenue Obligations or any specific series of Parity Revenue Obligations; the amounts once deposited or credited to said debt service reserve funds shall no longer constitute Pledged Revenues and shall be held solely for the benefit of the owners of the series of Parity Revenue Obligations for which such debt service reserve fund was established. Each such debt service reserve fund shall be designated in such manner as is necessary to identify the Parity Revenue Obligations it secures and to distinguish such debt service reserve fund from the debt service reserve funds created for the benefit of other Parity Revenue Obligations.
- (i) In connection with the issuance of the Bonds Reserve Fund shall be funded with a Reserve Fund Surety Bond.

<u>Deficiencies in Funds</u>. If the Corporation shall, for any reason, fail to pay into the Debt Service Fund or Reserve Fund the full amounts above stipulated, amounts equivalent to such deficiencies shall be set apart and paid into said funds from the first available revenues of the Corporation and such payments shall be in addition to the amounts hereinabove provided to be otherwise paid into said funds.

<u>Security of Funds</u>. All moneys on deposit in the funds referred to in the Resolution shall be secured in the manner and to the fullest extent required by the laws of the State of Texas for the security of funds of the City, and moneys on deposit in such funds shall be used only for the purposes permitted by the Resolution.

<u>Investments</u>. (a) Money in the funds established by the Resolution, or any resolution authorizing the issuance of any Additional Parity Revenue Obligations, at the option of the Corporation, may be invested in such securities or obligations as permitted under the laws of the State of Texas applicable to the City.

(b) Any securities or obligations in which money is so invested shall be sold and the proceeds of sale shall be timely applied to the making of all payments required to be made from the fund from which the investment was made.

<u>Investment Income</u>. Interest and income derived from investment of any fund created by the Resolutions shall be credited to such fund.

<u>Issuance of Superior Lien Obligations Prohibited</u>. The Corporation hereby covenants that so long as any principal or interest pertaining to any Parity Revenue Obligations remain outstanding and unpaid, it will not authorize or issue obligations secured by a lien on or pledge of the Pledged Revenues superior to the lien ascribed to the Parity Revenue Obligations.

#### Issuance of Additional Parity Obligations Authorized.

In addition to the right to issue obligations of inferior lien, the Corporation reserves the right to issue Additional Parity Revenue Obligations which, when duly authorized and issued in compliance with law and the terms and conditions hereinafter appearing, shall be on a parity with the Bonds herein authorized and the Parity Revenue Obligations, payable from and equally and ratably secured by a lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues and Pledged Funds; and the Parity Revenue Obligations and Additional Parity Revenue Obligations shall in all respects be of equal dignity. The Additional Parity Revenue Obligations may be issued in one or more installments, provided, however, that none shall be issued unless and until the following conditions have been met:

- (a) The Corporation is not then in default as to any covenant, condition or obligation prescribed in a resolution authorizing the issuance of the outstanding Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds or the Parity Revenue Obligations.
- (b) Each of the funds created for the payment, security and benefit of the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds and the Parity Revenue Obligations contains the amount of money then required to be on deposit therein.
- (c) The Corporation has secured from a Certified Public Accountant a certificate or report reflecting that for the Fiscal Year next preceding the date of the proposed Additional Parity Revenue Obligations, or a consecutive twelve (12) month period out of the fifteen (15) month period next preceding the month in which the resolution authorizing the proposed Additional Parity Revenue Obligations is adopted, the Gross Sales Tax Revenues were equal to at least: (i) 1.35 times the combined maximum annual principal and interest requirements on all Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds and Parity Revenue Obligations to be outstanding after the issuance of the proposed Additional Parity Revenue Obligations; and (ii) 1.50 times the combined average annual principal and interest requirements on all Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds and Parity Revenue Obligations to be outstanding after the issuance of the proposed Additional Parity Revenue Obligations; provided, that, in the event of an increase in the rate of the Sales Tax that becomes effective prior to the date of the resolution authorizing the issuance of the Additional Parity Revenue Obligations, such certificate or report shall calculate the Gross Sales Tax Revenues for the calculation period as if such increased rate were in effect during such period.
- (d) The Additional Parity Revenue Obligations are made to mature on February 1 or August 1, either or both, of each year in which they are scheduled to mature.
- (e) The resolution authorizing the Additional Parity Revenue Obligations provides that: (i) the Debt Service Fund be augmented by amounts adequate to accumulate the sum required to pay the principal and interest on such obligations as the same shall become due; and (ii) the amount to be maintained in the Reserve Fund shall be increased to an amount not less than the Reserve Fund Requirement calculated to include the debt service of the proposed additional obligations; and (iii) any additional

amount required to be maintained in the Reserve Fund shall be deposited therein upon delivery of such Additional Parity Revenue Obligations or in not more than 60 months from such date.

(f) Parity Revenue Obligations may be refunded upon such terms and conditions as the Board may deem to be in the best interest of the Corporation; and if less than all such outstanding Parity Revenue Obligations are refunded, the proposed refunding obligations shall be considered as "Additional Parity Revenue Obligations" under the provisions of this Section, and the report or certificate required by paragraph (c) shall give effect to the issuance of the proposed refunding obligations and shall not give effect to the obligations being refunded.

#### No Further Issuance of Previously Issued Senior Lien Bonds.

The Corporation covenants not to issue any bonds superior in lien and pledge to the Parity Revenue Obligations, including specifically additional bonds or obligations authorized under the Previously Issued Senior Lien Bond Resolution.

<u>Pledged Funds and Pledged Revenues</u>. (a) The Corporation represents and warrants that it is and will be authorized by applicable law and by its articles of incorporation and bylaws to authorize and issue the Bonds, to adopt the Resolution and to pledge the Pledged Funds and Pledged Revenues in the manner and to the extent provided in the Resolution, and that the Pledged Funds and Pledged Revenues so pledged are and will be and remain free and clear of any pledge, lien, charge or encumbrance thereon or with respect thereto prior to, or of equal rank with, the pledge and lien created in or authorized by the Resolution except as expressly provided in the Resolution for Parity Revenue Obligations.

- (b) The Bonds and the provisions of the Resolution are and will be the valid and legally enforceable obligations of the Corporation in accordance with the terms of the Resolution, subject only to any applicable bankruptcy or insolvency laws or to any applicable law affecting creditors rights generally.
- (c) The Corporation shall at all times, to the extent permitted by applicable law, defend, preserve and protect the pledge of the Pledged Funds and Pledged Revenues and all the rights of the Owners under the Resolution and the resolutions authorizing the issuance of any Additional Parity Obligations, against all claims and demands of all persons whomsoever.
- (d) The Corporation will take, and use its best efforts to cause the City to take, all steps reasonably necessary and appropriate to collect all delinquencies in the collection of the Sales Tax to the fullest extent permitted by the Act and other applicable law.

Accounts Periodical Reports and Certificates. The Corporation shall keep or cause to be kept proper books of record and account (separate from all other records and accounts) in which complete and correct entries shall be made of its transactions relating to the funds and accounts established by the Resolution and which, together with all other books and papers of the Corporation, shall at all times be subject to the inspection of, the Owner or Owners of not less than 5% in principal amount of the Parity Revenue Obligations then outstanding or their representatives duly authorized in writing.

<u>General</u>. The Directors and Officers of the Corporation shall do and perform or cause to be done and performed all acts and things required to be done or performed by or on behalf of the Corporation under the provisions of the Resolution.

<u>Repeal of Power to Collect Sales Tax</u>. Any repeal or amendment of the right and power to levy, collect and apply the Sales Tax pursuant to the Act shall never be effective until all of the principal of and the interest on the Parity Revenue Obligations have been paid in full or they have been lawfully defeased.

<u>Payment of the Bonds</u>. While any of the Bonds are outstanding and unpaid, there shall be made available to the Paying Agent/Registrar, out of the Debt Service Fund, money sufficient to pay the interest on and the principal of the Bonds, as applicable, as will accrue or mature on each applicable Interest Payment Date.

Events of Default. Each of the following occurrences or events for the purpose of the Resolution is hereby declared to be an "Event of Default," to-wit:

- (a) the failure to make payment of the principal of or interest on any of the Bonds when the same becomes due and payable; or
- (b) default in the performance or observance of any other covenant, agreement or obligation of the Corporation, the failure to perform which materially, adversely affects the rights of the Owners, including but not limited to, their prospect or ability to be repaid in accordance with Resolution, and the continuation thereof for a period of 60 days after notice of such default is given by any Owner to the Corporation.

Remedies for Default. (a) Upon the happening of any Event of Default, then and in every case any Owner or an authorized representative thereof, including but not limited to, a trustee or trustees therefor, may proceed against the Corporation for the purpose of protecting and enforcing the rights of the Owners under the Resolution, by mandamus or other suit, action or special proceeding in equity or at law, in any court of competent jurisdiction, for any relief permitted by law, including the specific performance of any covenant or agreement contained herein, or thereby to enjoin any act or thing that may be unlawful or in violation of any right of the Owners hereunder or any combination of such remedies.

(b) It is provided that all such proceedings shall be instituted and maintained for the equal benefit of all Owners of Bonds then outstanding.

<u>Remedies Not Exclusive.</u> (a) No remedy herein conferred or reserved is intended to be exclusive of any other available remedy or remedies, but each and every such remedy shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy given hereunder or under the Bonds or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity; provided, however, that notwithstanding any other provision of the Resolution, the right to accelerate the debt evidenced by the Bonds shall not be available as a remedy under the Resolution.

(b) The exercise of any remedy herein conferred or reserved shall not be deemed a waiver of any other available remedy.

<u>Discharge</u>. The Corporation reserves the right to defease, discharge or refund the Bonds in any manner permitted by applicable law.

#### **INVESTMENTS**

The Corporation is a nonprofit corporation acting on behalf of the City and is subject to the provisions of the Public Funds Investment Act (V.T.C.A., Government Code, (Ch. 2256) with respect to the investment of its funds. The Corporation invests its investable funds in investments authorized by Texas law in accordance with investment policies approved by the Board of Directors of the Corporation. Both state law and the Corporation's investment policies are subject to change.

LEGAL INVESTMENTS . . . . Under Texas law, the Corporation is authorized to invest in (1) obligations of the United States or its agencies and instrumentalities, including letters of credit; (2) direct obligations of the State of Texas or its agencies and instrumentalities; (3) collateralized mortgage obligations directly issued by a federal agency or instrumentality of the United States, the underlying security for which is guaranteed by an agency or instrumentality of the United States; (4) other obligations, the principal and interest of which is guaranteed or insured by or backed by the full faith and credit of, the State of Texas or the United States or their respective agencies and instrumentalities including obligations that are fully guaranteed or insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or by the explicit full faith and credit of the United States; (5) obligations of states, agencies, counties, cities and other political subdivisions of any state rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than A or its equivalent; (6) bonds issued, assumed or guaranteed by the State of Israel; (7) certificates of deposit (i) issued by a depository institution that has its main office or a branch office in the State of Texas, that are guaranteed or insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or the National Credit Union Share Insurance Fund, or are secured as to principal by Bonds described in clauses (1) through (6) or in any other manner and amount provided by law for Corporation deposits, or (ii) where; (a) the funds are invested by the Corporation through (i) a broker that has its main office or branch office in this state and is selected from a list adopted by the Corporation; (ii) a depository institution that has a main office or branch office in this state and that is selected by the Corporation; (b) the depository institution selected by the Corporation arranges for the deposit of funds in one or more federally insured depository institutions, wherever located; (c) the certificates of deposit are insured by the United States or an instrumentality of the United States; and (d) the Corporation appoints the depository institution acts as a custodian for the Corporation with respect to the certificates of deposit an entity described by 2257.041(d) Government Code, or a clearing broker-dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission and operating pursuant to Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c3-3 (17 C.F.R., section 240.15c3-3); (8) fully collateralized repurchase agreements that have a defined termination date, are fully secured by a combination of cash and obligations described in clause (1), and are placed through a primary government securities dealer or a financial institution doing business in the State of Texas, (9) securities lending programs if (i) the securities loaned under the program are 100% collateralized, a loan made under the program allows for termination at any time and a loan made under the program is either secured by (a) obligations that are described in clauses (1) through (6) above, (b) irrevocable letters of credit issued by a state or national bank that is continuously rated by a nationally recognized investment rating firm at not less than "A" or its equivalent or (c) cash invested in obligations described in clauses (1) through (6) above, clauses (11) through (13) below, or an authorized investment pool; (ii) securities held as collateral under a loan are pledged to the Corporation, held in the Corporation's name and deposited at the time the investment is made with the Corporation or a third party designated by the Corporation; (iii) a loan made under the program is placed through either a primary government securities dealer or a financial institution doing business in the State of Texas; and (iv) the agreement to lend securities has a term of one year or less, (10) certain bankers' acceptances with the remaining term of 270 days or less, if the short-term obligations of the accepting bank or its parent are rated at least "A-1" or "P-1" or the equivalent by at least one nationally recognized credit rating agency, (11) commercial paper with a stated maturity of 270 days or less that is rated at least "A-1" or "P-1" or the equivalent by either (a) two nationally recognized credit rating agencies or (b) one nationally recognized credit rating agency if the paper is fully secured by an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a U.S. or state bank, (12) no-load money market mutual funds registered with and regulated by the Securities and Exchange Commission that have a dollar weighted average stated maturity of 90 days or less and include in their investment objectives the maintenance of a stable net asset value of \$1 for each share and (13) no-load mutual funds registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission that have an average weighted maturity of less than two years, invest exclusively in obligations described in this paragraph, and are continuously rated as to investment quality by at least one nationally recognized investment rating firm of not less than "AAA" or its equivalent. In addition, bond proceeds may be invested in guaranteed investment contracts that have a defined termination date and are secured by obligations, including letters of credit, of the United States or its agencies and instrumentalities in an amount at least equal to the amount of bond proceeds invested under such contract, other than the prohibited obligations described in the next succeeding paragraph.

The Corporation may invest in such obligations directly or through government investment pools that invest solely in such obligations provided that the pools are rated no lower than AAA or AAAm or an equivalent by at least one nationally recognized rating service. The Corporation is specifically prohibited from investing in: (1) obligations whose payment represents the coupon payments on the outstanding principal balance of the underlying mortgage-backed security collateral and pays no principal; (2) obligations whose payment represents the principal stream of cash flow from the underlying mortgage-backed security and bears no interest; (3) collateralized mortgage obligations that have a stated final maturity of greater than 10 years; and (4) collateralized mortgage obligations the interest rate of which is determined by an index that adjusts opposite to the changes in a market index.

INVESTMENT POLICIES . . . Under Texas law, the Corporation is required to invest its funds under written investment policies that primarily emphasize safety of principal and liquidity; that address investment diversification, yield, maturity, and the quality and capability of investment management; and that includes a list of authorized investments for Corporation funds, maximum allowable stated maturity of any individual investment; the maximum average dollar-weighted maturity allowed for pooled fund groups, methods to monitor the market price of investments acquired with public funds, a requirement for settlement of all transactions, except investment pool funds and mutual funds, on a delivery versus payment basis, and procedures to monitor rating changes in investments acquired with public funds and the liquidation of such investments consistent with the Public Funds Investment Act. All Corporation funds must be invested consistent with a formally adopted "Investment Strategy Statement" that specifically addresses each funds' investment. Each Investment Strategy Statement will describe its objectives concerning: (1) suitability of investment type, (2) preservation and safety of principal, (3) liquidity, (4) marketability of each investment, (5) diversification of the portfolio, and (6) yield.

Under Texas law, Corporation investments must be made "with judgment and care, under prevailing circumstances, that a person of prudence, discretion, and intelligence would exercise in the management of the person's own affairs, not for speculation, but for investment, considering the probable safety of capital and the probable income to be derived." At least quarterly the investment officers of the Corporation shall submit an investment report detailing: (1) the investment position of the Corporation, (2) that all investment officers jointly prepared and signed the report, (3) the beginning market value, the ending market value and the fully accrued interest for the reporting period of each pooled fund group, (4) the book value and market value of each separately listed asset at the end of the reporting period, (5) the maturity date of each separately invested asset, (6) the account or fund or pooled fund group for which each individual investment was acquired, and (7) the compliance of the investment portfolio as it relates to: (a) adopted investment strategy statements and (b) state law. No person may invest Corporation funds without express written authority from the Board of Directors.

ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS . . . Under State law, the Corporation is additionally required to: (1) annually review its adopted policies and strategies, (2) adopt a rule, order, ordinance or resolution stating that it has reviewed its investment policy and investment strategies and records any changes made to either its investment policy or investment strategy in the respective rule, order, ordinance or resolution, (3) require any investment officers with personal business relationships or relatives with firms seeking to sell securities to the entity to disclose the relationship and file a statement with the Texas Ethics Commission and the Corporation's Board of Directors; (4) require the qualified representative of firms offering to engage in an investment transaction with the Corporation to: (a) receive and review the Corporation's investment policy, (b) acknowledge that reasonable controls and procedures have been implemented to preclude investment transactions conducted between the Corporation and the business organization that are not authorized by the Corporation's investment policy (except to the extent that this authorization is dependent on an analysis of the makeup of the Corporation's entire portfolio or requires an interpretation of subjective investment standards), and (c) deliver a written statement in a form acceptable to the Corporation and the business organization attesting to these requirements; (5) perform an annual audit of the management controls on investments and adherence to the Corporation's investment policy; (6) provide specific investment training for the Corporation's designated Investment Officer; (7) restrict reverse repurchase agreements to not more than 90 days and restrict the investment of reverse repurchase agreement funds to no greater than the term of the reverse purchase agreement; (8) restrict the investment in non-money market mutual funds in the aggregate to no more than 15% of the Corporation's monthly average fund balance, excluding bond proceeds and reserves and other funds held for debt service; (9) require local government investment pools to conform to the new disclosure, rating, net asset value, yield calculation, and advisory board requirements, and (10) at least annually review, revise, and adopt a list of qualified brokers that are authorized to engage in investment transactions with the Corporation.

#### **TABLE 5- CURRENT INVESTMENTS**

As of June 30, 2016, the Corporation's investable funds were invested in the following categories:

			Percent of
Description of Investment	Tota	al Investment	Portfolio
TexSTAR	\$	3,933,445	100.00%
	\$	3,933,445	100.00%

#### TAX MATTERS

**TAX EXEMPTION...** In the opinion of Bracewell Giuliani LLP, Bond Counsel, under existing law, (i) interest on New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds is excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes and (ii) the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds are not "private activity bonds" under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), and , as such, interest on the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds is not subject to the alternative minimum tax on individuals and corporations, except as described below in the discussion regarding the adjusted current earnings adjustment for corporations.

The Code imposes a number of requirements that must be satisfied for interest on state or local New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds, such as the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds, to be excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes. These requirements include limitations on the use of bond proceeds and the source of repayment of bonds, limitations on the investment of bond proceeds prior to expenditure, a requirement that excess arbitrage earned on the investment of bond proceeds be paid periodically to the United States and a requirement that the issuer file an information report with the Internal Revenue Service. The Corporation has covenanted in the Resolution that it will comply with these requirements.

Bond Counsel's opinion will assume continuing compliance with the covenants of the Resolution pertaining to those sections of the Code that affect the exclusion from gross income of interest on the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds for federal income tax purposes and, in addition, will rely on representations by the Corporation, the Corporation's Financial Advisor and the Underwriters with respect to matters solely within the knowledge of the Corporation, the Corporation's Financial Advisor and the Underwriters, respectively, which Bond Counsel has not independently verified. Bond Counsel will further rely on the report (the "Report") of Grant Thornton, LLP, Certified Public Accounts, regarding the mathematical accuracy of certain computations. If the Corporation fails to comply with the covenants in the Resolution or if the foregoing representations or the Report are determined to be inaccurate or incomplete interest on the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds could become includable from the date of delivery of the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds, regardless of the date on which the event causing such inclusion occurs.

The Code also imposes a 20% alternative minimum tax on the "alternative minimum taxable income" of a corporation if the amount of such alternative minimum tax is greater than the amount of the corporation's regular income tax. Generally, the alternative minimum taxable income of a corporation (other than any S corporation, regulated investment company, REIT or REMIC), includes 75% of the amount by which its "adjusted current earnings" exceeds its other "alternative minimum taxable income." Because interest on tax-exempt obligations, such as the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds, is included in a corporation's "adjusted current earnings," ownership of the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds could subject a corporation to alternative minimum tax consequences.

Except as stated above, Bond Counsel will express no opinion as to any federal, state or local tax consequences resulting from the receipt or accrual of interest on, or acquisition, ownership or disposition of, the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds.

Bond Counsel's opinions are based on existing law, which is subject to change. Such opinions are further based on Bond Counsel's knowledge of facts as of the date thereof. Bond Counsel assumes no duty to update or supplement its opinions to reflect any facts or circumstances that may thereafter come to Bond Counsel's attention or to reflect any changes in any law that may thereafter occur or become effective. Moreover, Bond Counsel's opinions are not a guarantee of result and are not binding on the Internal Revenue Service (the "Service"); rather, such opinions represent Bond Counsel's legal judgment based upon its review of existing law and in reliance upon the representations and covenants referenced above that it deems relevant to such opinions. The Service has an ongoing audit program to determine compliance with rules that relate to whether interest on state or local bonds is includable in gross income for federal income tax purposes. No assurance can be given as to whether or not the Service will commence an audit of the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds. If an audit is commenced, in accordance with its current published procedures, the Service is likely to treat the Corporation as the taxpayer and the Owners may not have a right to participate in such audit. Public awareness of any future audit of the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds could adversely affect the value and liquidity of the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds regardless of the ultimate outcome of the audit.

#### ADDITIONAL FEDERAL INCOME TAX CONSIDERATIONS

COLLATERAL TAX CONSEQUENCES . . . Prospective purchasers of the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds should be aware that the ownership of tax-exempt obligations may result in collateral federal income tax consequences to financial institutions, life insurance and property and casualty insurance companies, certain S corporations with Subchapter C earnings and profits, individual recipients of Social Security or Railroad Retirement benefits, taxpayers who may be deemed to have incurred or continued indebtedness to purchase or carry tax exempt obligations, low and middle income taxpayers qualifying for the health insurance premium assistance credit and individuals otherwise qualifying for the earned income credit. In addition, certain foreign corporations doing business in the United States may be subject to the "branch profits tax" on their effectively connected earnings and profits, including tax-exempt interest such as interest on the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds. These categories of prospective purchasers should consult their own tax advisors as to the applicability of these consequences. Prospective purchasers of the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds should also be aware that, under the Code, taxpayers are required to report on their returns the amount of tax-exempt interest, such as interest on the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds, received or accrued during the year

Tax Accounting Treatment of Original Issue Premium . . . The issue price of all or a portion of the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds may exceed the stated redemption price payable at maturity of such New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds. Such New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds (the "Premium Bonds") are considered for federal income tax purposes to have "bond premium" equal to the amount of such excess. The basis of a Premium Bond in the hands of an initial owner is reduced by the amount of such excess that is amortized during the period such initial owner holds such Premium Bond in determining gain or loss for federal income tax purposes. This reduction in basis will increase the amount of any gain or decrease the amount of any loss recognized for federal income tax purposes on the sale or other taxable disposition of a Premium Bond by the initial owner. No corresponding deduction is allowed for federal income tax purposes for the reduction in basis resulting from amortizable bond premium. The amount of bond premium on a Premium Bond that is amortizable each year (or shorter period in the event of a sale or disposition of a Premium Bond) is determined using the yield to maturity on the Premium Bond based on the initial offering price of such Bond.

The federal income tax consequences of the purchase, ownership and redemption, sale or other disposition of Premium Bonds that are not purchased in the initial offering at the initial offering price may be determined according to rules that differ from those described above. All owners of Premium Bonds should consult their own tax advisors with respect to the determination for federal, state, and local income tax purposes of amortized bond premium upon the redemption, sale or other disposition of a Premium Bond and with respect to the federal, state, local, and foreign tax consequences of the purchase, ownership, and sale, redemption or other disposition of such Premium Bonds.

Tax Accounting Treatment of Original Issue Discount Bonds . . . The issue price of all or a portion of the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds may be less than the stated redemption price payable at maturity of such New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds (the "Original Issue Discount Bonds"). In such case, the difference between (i) the amount payable at the maturity of each Original Issue Discount Bond, and (ii) the initial offering price to the public of such Original Issue Discount Bond constitutes original issue discount with respect to such Original Issue Discount Bond in the hands of any owner who has purchased such Original Issue Discount Bond in the initial public offering of the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds. Generally, such initial owner is entitled to exclude from gross income (as defined in Section 61 of the Code) an amount of income with respect to such Original Issue Discount Bond equal to that portion of the amount of such original issue discount allocable to the period that such Original Issue Discount Bond continues to be owned by such owner. Because original issue discount is treated as interest for federal income tax purposes, the discussions regarding interest on the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds under the captions "Tax Matters – Tax Exemption" and "Tax Matters – New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds – Additional Federal Income Tax Considerations – Collateral Tax Consequences" generally apply, and should be considered in connection with the discussion in this portion of the Official Statement.

In the event of the redemption, sale or other taxable disposition of such Original Issue Discount Bond prior to stated maturity, however, the amount realized by such owner in excess of the basis of such Original Issue Discount Bond in the hands of such owner (adjusted upward by the portion of the original issue discount allocable to the period for which such Original Issue Discount Bond was held by such initial owner) is includable in gross income.

The foregoing discussion assumes that (a) the Underwriters have purchased the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds for contemporaneous sale to the public and (b) all of the Original Issue Discount Bonds have been initially offered, and a substantial amount of each maturity thereof has been sold, to the general public in arm's-length transactions for a price (and with no other consideration being included) not more than the initial offering prices thereof stated on the cover page of this Official Statement. Neither the Corporation nor Bond Counsel has made any investigation or offers any comfort that the Original Issue Discount Bonds will be offered and sold in accordance with such assumptions.

Under existing law, the original issue discount on each Original Issue Discount Bond accrues daily to the stated maturity thereof (in amounts calculated as described below for each six-month period ending on the date before the semiannual anniversary dates of the date of the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds and ratably within each such six-month period) and the accrued amount is added to an initial owner's basis for such Original Issue Discount Bond for purposes of determining the amount of gain or loss recognized by such owner upon the redemption, sale or other disposition thereof. The amount to be added to basis for each accrual period is equal to (a) the sum of the issue price and the amount of original issue discount accrued in prior periods multiplied by the yield to stated maturity (determined on the basis of compounding at the close of each accrual period and properly adjusted for the length of the accrual period) less (b) the amounts payable as current interest during such accrual period on such Bond.

The federal income tax consequences of the purchase, ownership, and redemption, sale or other disposition of Original Issue Discount Bonds which are not purchased in the initial offering at the initial offering price may be determined according to rules that differ from those described above. All owners of Original Issue Discount Bonds should consult their own tax advisors with respect to the determination for federal, state, and local income tax purposes of interest accrued upon redemption, sale or other disposition of such Original Issue Discount Bonds and with respect to the federal, state, local and foreign tax consequences of the purchase, ownership, redemption, sale or other disposition of such Original Issue Discount Bonds.

TAX LEGISLATIVE CHANGES . . . Current law may change so as to directly or indirectly reduce or eliminate the benefit of the exclusion of interest on the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes. Any proposed legislation, whether or not enacted, could also affect the value and liquidity of the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds. Prospective purchasers of the New Series Tax-Exempt Bonds should consult with their own tax advisors with respect to any proposed, pending or future legislation.

#### CONTINUING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION

In the Resolution, the Corporation has made the following agreements for the benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds. The Corporation is required to observe the agreements for so long as it remains obligated to advance funds to pay the Bonds. Under the agreements, the Corporation will be obligated to provide certain updated financial information and operating data annually, and timely notice of specified material events, to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board (the "MSRB"). This information will be available free of charge from the MSRB via the Electronic Municipal Market Access ("EMMA") system at www.emma.msrb.org <a href="http://www.emma.msrb.org/">http://www.emma.msrb.org/</a>>.

ANNUAL REPORTS . . . The Corporation will provide to the MSRB updated financial information and operating data annually. The information to be updated includes quantitative financial information and operating data with respect to the Corporation of the general type included in this Official Statement under the Tables numbered 1 through 5 and in Appendix B. The Corporation will update and provide this information in the numbered Tables within six months after the end of each fiscal year ending in or after 2016 and, if then available, audited financial statements of the City. If audited financial statements are not available when the information is provided, the Corporation will provide audited financial statements when and if they become available. If the audit of such financial statements is not complete within 12 months after any such fiscal year end, then the Corporation shall file unaudited financial statements within such 12-month period and audited financial statements for the applicable fiscal year, when and if the audit report on such statements becomes available. Any such financial statements will be prepared in accordance with the accounting principles described in Appendix B or such other accounting principles as the City may be required to employ from time to time pursuant to State law or regulation. The financial information and operating data to be provided may be set forth in full in one or more documents or may be included by specific reference to any document available to the public on the MSRB's Internet Web site or filed with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"), as permitted by SEC Rule 15c2-12 (the "Rule").

The Corporation's current fiscal year end is September 30. Accordingly, updated unaudited information included in the above-reference Tables must be provided by March 31 in each year, and audited financial statements for the preceding fiscal year (or unaudited financial statements if audited financial statements are not yet available) must be provided by September 30 of each year, unless the Corporation changes its fiscal year. If the Corporation changes its fiscal year, it will notify the MSRB of the change.

EVENT NOTICES . . . The Corporation shall notify the MSRB, in a timely manner not in excess of ten (10) business days after the occurrence of the event, of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds: (1) Principal and interest payment delinquencies; (2) Non-payment related defaults, if material; (3) Unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties; (4) Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties; (5) Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform; (6) Adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determinations of taxability. Notices of Proposed Issue (IRS Form 5701-TEB) or other material notices or determinations with respect to the tax status of the Bonds, or other material events affecting the tax status of the Bonds; (7) modifications to rights of holders of the Bonds, if material; (8) Bond calls, if material, and tender offers; (9) Defeasances; (10) Release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the Bonds, if material; (11) Rating changes; (12) Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the Corporation<sup>1</sup>; (13) The consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving the Corporation or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the Corporation, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms, if material; and (14) Appointment of a successor or additional Paying Agent/Registrar or change in the name of the Paying Agent/Registrar, if material. In addition, the Corporation will provide timely notice of any failure by the Corporation to provide annual financial information in accordance with their agreement described above under "Annual Reports.".

officers in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order confirming a plan of reorganization, arrangement, or liquidation by a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Corporation.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For the purposes of the event identified in (12), the event is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent, or similar officer for the Corporation in a proceeding under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Corporation, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governing body and officials or officers in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order

**AVAILABILITY OF INFORMATION** . . . All information and documentation filings required to be made by the Corporation in accordance with its undertaking made for the Bonds will be made with the MSRB in electronic format in accordance with MSRB guidelines. Access to such filings will be provided by the MSRB, without charge to the general public, at www.emma.msrb.org.

LIMITATIONS AND AMENDMENTS . . . The Corporation has agreed to update information and to provide notices of certain events only as described above. The Corporation has not agreed to provide other information that may be relevant or material to a complete presentation of its financial results of operations, condition, or prospects or agreed to update any information that is provided, except as described above. The Corporation makes no representation or warranty concerning such information or concerning its usefulness to a decision to invest in or sell Bonds at any future date. The Corporation disclaims any contractual or tort liability for damages resulting in whole or in part from any breach of its continuing disclosure agreement or from any statement made pursuant to its agreement, although holders of Bonds may seek a writ of mandamus to compel the Corporation to comply with its agreement.

The Corporation may amend its continuing disclosure agreements from time to time to adapt to changed circumstances that arise from a change in legal requirements, a change in law, or a change in the identity, nature, status, or type of operations of the Corporation, if (i) the agreement, as amended, would have permitted an underwriter to purchase or sell Bonds in the offering described herein in compliance with the Rule, taking into account any amendments or interpretations of the Rule to the date of such amendment, as well as such changed circumstances, and (ii) either (a) the holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the outstanding Bonds consent to the amendment or (b) any person unaffiliated with the Corporation (such as nationally recognized bond counsel) determines that the amendment will not materially impair the interests of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds. The Corporation may also amend or repeal the provisions of this continuing disclosure agreement if the SEC amends or repeals the applicable provisions of the SEC Rule 15c2-12 or a court of final jurisdiction enters judgment that such provisions of the SEC Rule 15c2-12 are invalid, but only if and to the extent that the provisions of this sentence would not prevent an underwriter from lawfully purchasing or selling Bonds in the primary offering of the Bonds. If the Corporation so amends the agreement, it has agreed to include with the next financial information and operating data provided in accordance with its agreement described above under "Annual Reports" an explanation, in narrative form, of the reasons for the amendment and of the impact of any change in the type of financial information and operating data so provided.

**COMPLIANCE WITH PRIOR UNDERTAKINGS...** During the last five years, the Corporation has complied in all material respects with all continuing disclosure agreements made by it in accordance with SEC Rule 15c2-12.

#### OTHER INFORMATION

#### RATINGS

The presently outstanding debt of the Corporation is rated "Aa3" by Moody's, "A+" by S&P and "AA-" by Fitch, without regard to credit enhancement. Applications have been made to Moody's, S&P and Fitch for contract ratings on the Bonds. An explanation of the significance of such ratings may be obtained from the company furnishing the rating. The ratings reflect only the respective views of such organizations and the Corporation makes no representation as to the appropriateness of the ratings. There is no assurance that such ratings will continue for any given period of time or that they will not be revised downward or withdrawn entirely by either of such rating companies, if in the judgment of either company, circumstances so warrant. Any such downward revision or withdrawal of such ratings, or any of them, may have an adverse effect on the market price of the Bonds.

#### LITIGATION

It is the opinion of Corporation Staff and the City Attorney that there is no pending or to their knowledge, threatened litigation or other proceeding against the Corporation that would have a material adverse financial impact upon the Corporation or its operations.

# REGISTRATION AND QUALIFICATION OF BONDS FOR SALE

The sale of the Bonds has not been registered under the Federal Securities Act of 1933, as amended, in reliance upon the exemption provided thereunder by Section 3(a)(2); and the Bonds have not been qualified under the Securities Act of Texas in reliance upon various exemptions contained therein; nor have the Bonds been qualified under the securities acts of any jurisdiction. The Corporation assumes no responsibility for qualification of the Bonds under the securities laws of any jurisdiction in which the Bonds may be sold, assigned, pledged, hypothecated or otherwise transferred. This disclaimer of responsibility for qualification for sale or other disposition of the Bonds shall not be construed as an interpretation of any kind with regard to the availability of any exemption from securities registration provisions.

#### LEGAL INVESTMENTS AND ELIGIBILITY TO SECURE PUBLIC FUNDS IN TEXAS

Section 1201.041 of the Public Security Procedures Act (Chapter 1201, Texas Government Code) provides that the Bonds are negotiable instruments, investment securities governed by Chapter 8, Texas Business and Commerce Code, and are legal and authorized investments for insurance companies, fiduciaries, and trustees, and for the sinking funds of municipalities or other political subdivisions or public agencies of the State of Texas. With respect to investment in the Bonds by municipalities or other political subdivisions or public agencies of the State of Texas, the Public Funds Investment Act, Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code, requires that the Bonds be assigned a rating of at least "A" or its equivalent as to investment quality by a national rating agency. See "Other Information - Ratings" herein. In addition, various provisions of the Texas Finance Code provide that, subject to a prudent investor standard, the Bonds are legal investments for state banks, savings banks, trust companies with capital of one million dollars or more, and savings and loan associations. The Bonds are eligible to secure deposits of any public funds of the State, its agencies, and its political subdivisions, and are legal security for those deposits to the extent of their market value. No review by the Corporation has been made of the laws in other states to determine whether the Bonds are legal investments for various institutions in those states.

#### LEGAL MATTERS

The Corporation will furnish to the Underwriter a complete transcript of proceedings had incident to the authorization and issuance of the Bonds, including the unqualified approving legal opinions of the Attorney General of Texas approving the Initial Bond and to the effect that the Bonds are valid and legally binding special obligations of the Corporation, and based upon examination of such transcript of proceedings, the approving legal opinion of Bond Counsel. The customary closing papers, including a certificate to the effect that no litigation of any nature has been filed or is then pending to restrain the issuance and delivery of the Bonds, or which would affect the provision made for their payment or security, or in any manner questioning the validity of said Bonds will also be furnished. Bond Counsel did not take part in the preparation of the Official Statement, and such firm has not assumed any responsibility with respect thereto or undertaken independently to verify any of the information contained therein, except that, in its capacity as Bond Counsel, such firm has reviewed the information describing the Bonds under the captions, "The Bonds" (except the subcaptions "Book-Entry-Only System," "Bondholders' Remedies" and "Use of Bond Proceeds"), "Selected Provisions of the Resolution," "Tax Matters," "Continuing Disclosure of Information" (except the subcaption "Compliance with Prior Undertakings") and the subcaptions "Legal Investments and Eligibility to Secure Public Funds in Texas," "Registration and Qualification of Bonds for Sale" and "Legal Matters" (except the last two sentences of the first paragraph) under the caption "Other Information" and such firm is of the opinion that the information relating to the Bonds and legal issues contained under such captions and subcaptions is a fair and accurate description of the laws and legal issues addressed therein, and, with respect to the Bonds, such information conforms to the Resolution. The legal fee to be paid Bond Counsel for services rendered in connection with the issuance of the Bonds is contingent on the sale and delivery of the Bonds. The legal opinion may accompany the Bonds deposited with DTC or may be printed on the Bonds in the event of the discontinuance of the Book-Entry-Only System. Certain legal matters will be passed upon for the Underwriter by McCall, Parkhurst & Horton L.L.P., Dallas, Texas, Counsel to the Underwriter. The fees of Underwriter's Counsel are contingent upon the delivery of the Bonds.

The various legal opinions to be delivered concurrently with the delivery of the Bonds express the professional judgment of the attorneys rendering the opinions as to the legal issues explicitly addressed therein. In rendering a legal opinion, the attorney does not become an insurer or guarantor of the expression of professional judgment, of the transaction opined upon, or of the future performance of the parties to the transaction. Nor does the rendering of an opinion guarantee the outcome of any legal dispute that may arise out of the transaction.

#### FINANCIAL ADVISOR

FirstSouthwest, a Division of Hilltop Securities Inc. ("FirstSouthwest") is employed as Financial Advisor to the Corporation in connection with the issuance of the Bonds. The Financial Advisor's fee for services rendered with respect to the sale of the Bonds is contingent upon the issuance and delivery of the Bonds. FirstSouthwest, in its capacity as Financial Advisor, does not assume any responsibility for the information, covenants and representations contained in any of the legal documents with respect to the federal income tax status of the Bonds, or the possible impact of any present, pending or future actions taken by any legislative or judicial bodies. In the normal course of business, the Financial Advisor may also from time to time sell investment securities to the Corporation for the investment of bond proceeds or other funds of the Corporation upon the request of the Corporation.

The Financial Advisor to the Corporation has provided the following sentence for inclusion in this Official Statement. The Financial Advisor has reviewed the information in this Official Statement in accordance with, and as part of, its responsibilities to the Corporation and, as applicable, to investors under the federal securities laws as applied to the facts and circumstances of this transaction, but the Financial Advisor does not guarantee the accuracy or completeness of such information.

#### UNDERWRITING

The Underwriter had agreed, subject to certain conditions, to purchase the Bonds from the Corporation, at an underwriting discount of \$\_\_\_\_\_\_. The Underwriter will be obligated to purchase all of the Bonds if any Bonds are purchased. The Bonds to be offered to the public may be offered and sold to certain dealers (including the Underwriter and other dealers depositing Bonds into investment trusts) at prices lower than the public offering prices of such Bonds, and such public offering prices may be changed, from time to time, by the Underwriter.

The Underwriter had provided the following sentence for inclusion in this Official Statement. The Underwriter had reviewed the information in this Official Statement in accordance with, and as part of, their responsibility to investors under the federal securities laws as applied to the facts and circumstances of this transaction, but the Underwriter does not guarantee the accuracy or completeness of such information.

RBC Capital Markets, LLC ("RBCCM") has provided the following information for inclusion in this Official Statement. RBCCM and its respective affiliates are full-service financial institutions engaged in various activities that may include securities trading, commercial and investment banking, municipal advisory, brokerage, and asset management. In the ordinary course of business, RBCCM and its respective affiliates may actively trade debt and, if applicable, equity securities (or related derivative securities) and provide financial instruments (which may include bank loans, credit support or interest rate swaps). RBCCM and its respective affiliates may engage in transactions for their own accounts involving the securities and instruments made the subject of this securities offering or other offerings of the Corporation. RBCCM and its respective affiliates may also communicate independent investment recommendations, market color or trading ideas and publish independent research views in respect of this securities offering or other offerings of the Corporation. RBCCM and its respective affiliates may make a market in credit default swaps with respect to municipal securities in the future.

#### FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS DISCLAIMER

The statements contained in this Official Statement, and in any other information provided by the Corporation, that are not purely historical, are forward-looking statements, including statements regarding the Corporation's expectations, hopes, intentions, or strategies regarding the future. Readers should not place undue reliance on forward-looking statements. All forward-looking statements included in this Official Statement are based on information available to the Corporation on the date hereof, and the Corporation assumes no obligation to update any such forward-looking statements. The Corporation's actual results could differ materially from those discussed in such forward-looking statements.

The forward-looking statements included herein are necessarily based on various assumptions and estimates and are inherently subject to various risks and uncertainties, including risks and uncertainties relating to the possible invalidity of the underlying assumptions and estimates and possible changes or developments in social, economic, business, industry, market, legal, and regulatory circumstances and conditions and actions taken or omitted to be taken by third parties, including customers, suppliers, business partners and competitors, and legislative, judicial, and other governmental authorities and officials. Assumptions related to the foregoing involve judgments with respect to, among other things, future economic, competitive, and market conditions and future business decisions, all of which are difficult or impossible to predict accurately and many of which are beyond the control of the Corporation. Any of such assumptions could be inaccurate and, therefore, there can be no assurance that the forward-looking statements included in this Official Statement will prove to be accurate.

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#### MISCELLANEOUS

KPMG LLP, the City's independent auditor has not been engaged to perform and has not performed, since the date of its report included herein, any procedures on the financial statements addressed in this report. KPMG LLP also has not performed any procedures relating to this official statement.

The financial data and other information contained herein have been obtained from the Corporation's records, the City's audited financial statements and other sources which are believed to be reliable. There is no guarantee that any of the assumptions or estimates contained herein will be realized. All of the summaries of the statutes, documents and resolutions contained in this Official Statement are made subject to all of the provisions of such statutes, documents and resolutions. These summaries do not purport to be complete statements of such provisions and reference is made to such documents for further information. Reference is made to original documents in all respects.

Board President Mansfield Park Facilities Development Corporation

ATTEST:

Board Secretary Mansfield Park Facilities Development Corporation

# APPENDIX A

GENERAL INFORMATION REGARDING THE CITY OF MANSFIELD, TEXAS

**THE CITY...** The City of Mansfield encompasses 38.6 square miles and is located in the southeastern portion of Tarrant County with small areas of the City extending into Johnson and Ellis Counties. The City is bounded by the cities of Arlington on the north, Grand Prairie on the east and Fort Worth on the west. Farm Road 157 is a direct route between the City and Arlington. U.S. Highway 287 passes directly through the City from east to west. Dallas is approximately 25 miles to the northeast via U.S. Highway 287 and U.S. Highway 67 or I-20. Downtown Fort Worth is approximately 20 miles to the northwest via U.S. Highway 287 and I-20. Highway 360 provides direct connection to the cities of Arlington and Grand Prairie and to the Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport.

**POPULATION...** The City's 2010 Census population was 56,368, increasing 101.09% since 2000. The City Planning Department estimates the 2016 population at 64,688 reflecting a 125.64% increase since 2000.

**INDUSTRY...** The City of Mansfield has five major industrial parks with over 150 businesses and a significant amount of developable land remaining. There are significant water and transportation resources available for future development.

In 1997, the voters passed a half cent sales tax for economic development and the Mansfield Economic Development Corporation was formed to administer the City's economic development program.

Since its inception the Mansfield Economic Development Corporation has assisted over 125 companies in making Mansfield their home by providing over \$15.8 million in economic assistance. These companies have made cumulative capital investments of over \$420 million and created over 3,000 jobs in the City.

Since 2010, the Mansfield Economic Development Corporation has assisted 21 companies with increasing their presence in Mansfield; six expansions and 15 new developments. The new developments include Klein Tools, a company that manufactures high quality hand tools who is creating almost 600 jobs and \$76 million in capital investment, Texas Refinery, who specializes in blending industrial lubricants and is making a \$20 million capital investment and New Tech Systems who manufactures equipment for the oil and gas industry and who will create 60 high quality jobs. MEDC also assisted in the construction of a new mixed use multi-family and retail development known as Villas De Luca, which will have 173 luxury apartment units and 25,500 sq. ft. of retail space, and Kroger Marketplace, a new 125,000 sq. ft. concept that combined an expanded offering of groceries with jewelry, soft goods and furniture.

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# HISTORICAL EMPLOYMENT DATA (ANNUAL AVERAGE DATA) $^{(1)}$

City of Mansfield	2016 <sup>(1)</sup>	2015	2014	2013	2012
Labor Force	33,055	32,766	32,790	32,299	31,374
Employed	32,029	31,639	31,398	30,647	29,630
Unemployed	1,025	1,127	1,392	1,652	1,744
% Unemployment	3.1%	3.4%	4.2%	5.1%	5.6%
Tarrant County	2016 <sup>(1)</sup>	2015	2014	2013	2012
Tarrant County  Labor Force	2016 <sup>(1)</sup> 1,000,926	2015 992,766	2014 998,520	2013 985,073	2012 966,855
Labor Force	1,000,926	992,766	998,520	985,073	966,855

Source: Texas Employment Commission.
 Through May 2016.

**SERVICES . . .** The City is served by hospitals within the City and the immediate area including Mansfield Methodist Hospital, Columbia HCA, Arlington Memorial Hospital, Huguley Hospital, Harris Hospital and John Peter Smith Hospital.

The City addresses the needs of its citizens by offering many varied services to its residents. The police and fire departments employ 124 and 83 persons, respectively. Emergency ambulance service is also offered. Park and recreation facilities include 13 City parks consisting of 802 acres, 10 playgrounds, 30 athletic fields and over two miles of running trails. The City also has one public library with approximately 65,527 volumes.

Electric, gas, telephone and cable television services are provided by Texas Utilities, Atmos Energy, AT&T and Charter Communications, respectively.

Several banks serve the City: Frost Bank, American National Bank, Southwest Bank, Bank of America, Mansfield Community Bank, JPMorgan Chase Bank, BBVA Compass Bank, Regions Bank and Wells Fargo Bank.

**TRANSPORTATION...** The City is traversed from east to west by U.S. Highway 287. U.S. Highway 360 traverses the City from north to south. The City has easy access to Interstate Highway 20 and Interstate 30. Railroad freight service is provided by Southern Pacific Railroad. The City is located approximately 30 miles south of the Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport.

**EDUCATION...** The City is served by the Mansfield Independent School District which consists of 22 elementary schools with grades pre-kindergarten through 4; six intermediate schools with grades 5 and 6; six middle schools for grades 7 and 8; five high schools, with grades 9 through 12; one charter & technology academy and one alternative school campus. Current enrollment for the District is approximately 32,732. The District employs a total of 3,819 personnel, of which 1,963 are classroom teachers or administrators. The District maintains pupil-teacher ratios of 22:1 for elementary, a 27:1 ratio for intermediate, and a 28:1 ratio for secondary education and one career tech center.

Colleges within close proximity to the City include Tarrant and Dallas County Community Colleges, Southern Methodist University, University of Dallas, University of North Texas, Texas Wesleyan, Texas Women's University, University of Texas at Arlington and Texas Christian University.

#### **BUILDING PERMITS BY CATEGORY**

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9/30	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Grand Total
2012	45	\$ 34,193,161	195	\$ 44,263,442	\$ 78,456,603
2013	46	96,289,168	205	59,260,578	155,549,746
2014	32	57,544,230	214	108,332,311	165,876,541
2015	63	102,367,778	314	147,302,936	249,670,714
2016 (1)	39	52,473,308	270	124,735,465	177,208,773

<sup>(1)</sup> As of June 2016.

Estimate of Platted Residential Lots Available for Development

	Number		Total
	of Lots	Years To	Projected
Development	Remaining	Build Out	Population
Allen Estates	2	1.0	6
Bankston Meadows	2	1.0	6
Bower Ranch Ph 1	17	1.5	52
Cardinal Park Estates	18	1.5	55
Colby Crossing	1	0.5	3
Five Oaks Crossing Ph 1	16	2.0	49
Garden Heights Phs 1 - 3.5	1	1.0	3
Hunter Oaks Estates Phs 1-4	2	1.0	6
King's Mill, Ph 1 - 3	3	1.0	9
Knightsbridge	6	1.5	18
Ladera Ph 1	68	2.0	209
Lakes of Creekwood, Sec 1 - 3	4	1.0	12
Pemberley Estates, Ph 1	80	2.5	246
Remington Ranch, Ph 1 - 3	4	1.0	12
Southpointe, Phs 1A, Sec 1&2 and 1B	170	4.0	893
Spring Lake, Ph 2	17	1.5	52
Twin Creeks West	6	1.5	18
The Villages of Parkhill	27	3.5	83
Total	444		1,737

# Estimate of Preliminary Platted Residential Lots for Future

	Number of	Total
	Lots to be	Projected
Development	Developed	Population
Bower Ranch, Ph 2-4	174	536
Dove Chase	143	440
Five Oaks Creek	10	31
Five Oaks Crossing - Phase 2	77	176
Garden Heights Phs 4	58	403
Ladera (condominiums) Ph 2 & 3	118	374
Lone Star Heights	50	154
Lone Star Ranch, Ph 3	70	216
M3 Ranch Ph 1 Sec 1 & 2	387	1,192
Manchester Heights, Phs 1 & 2	45	139
Pemberely Estates	84	259
Seeton Estates	66	203
Somerset Addition, Phs 1 - 3	1,106	3,403
Southpointe, Ph 2	148	456
Spring Lake Estates, Ph 2	20	62
The Oak Reserve	171	527
The View at the Reserve	346	1,066
	3,073	7,982

Estimate of Platted Commercial and Industrial Acreage Available for Development

	Number	
Development	of Acres	Uses
Cannon Professional Plaza	4.860	Office
Creekside Plaza	2.260	Office
Enclave, The	3.350	Office
Heritage Industrial Park	71.250	Commercial/Industrial
Heritage Estates	15.250	Retail/Commercial
Hillcrest Addition	5.800	Commercial/Industrial
Hillcrest Business Park	12.630	Commercial/Industrial
Jacob Back Addition	4.530	Retail/Commercial
J.M. Thomas	1.360	Retail/Commercial
Knapp Sisters Business Park	3.290	Retail/Commercial
Lowe's Farm Market	2.180	Retail/Commercial
Mansfield 287 Addition	4.580	Retail/Commercial
Mansfield Debbie Lane Addition	1.270	Retail/Commercial
Mansfield Industrial Park East	2.860	Commercial/Industrial
Mansfield Marketplace	15.360	Retail/Commercial
Mansfield Town Center East	5.330	Retail/Commercial
Mansfield Town Center West	8.070	Retail/Commercial
McCaslin Business Park	4.860	Commercial/Industrial
R.T. Ray	5.550	Light Industrial
Sar Medical Plaza	4.430	Office
Sentry Industrial Park	16.290	Heavy Industrial
Tuscany at Walnut Creek	1.730	Office/Commercial
Village Off Broadway	11.560	Retail/Commercial
Walnut Creek Corner	3.360	Retail/Commercial
Walnut Creek Village	1.630	Retail/Commercial
Worldaire Addition	2.180	Light Industrial
Total	215.82	

# APPENDIX B

# EXCERPTS FROM THE

# CITY OF MANSFIELD, TEXAS

# ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

For the Year Ended September 30, 2015

The information contained in this Appendix consists of excerpts from the City of Mansfield, Texas Annual Financial Report for the Year Ended September 30, 2015, and is not intended to be a complete statement of the City's financial condition. Reference is made to the complete Report for further information.

# APPENDIX C

FORM OF BOND COUNSEL'S OPINION