PRELIMINARY OFFICIAL STATEMENT

Dated August 1, 2025

Rating: S&P: "AA" (See "OTHER INFORMATION -Rating" herein)

NEW ISSUE - Book-Entry-Only

(See "Continuing Disclosure of Information" herein)

In the opinion of McCall, Parkhurst & Horton L.L.P., Dallas, Texas ("Bond Counsel"), interest on the Certificates will be excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes under statutes, regulations, published rulings and court decisions on the date thereof, subject to the matters described under "Tax Matters" herein, including the alternative minimum tax on certain corporations.



\$26,325,000*
CITY OF MELISSA, TEXAS
(Collin County)
COMBINATION TAX AND LIMITED SURPLUS REVENUE
CERTIFICATES OF OBLIGATION, SERIES 2025

Dated Date: September 1, 2025 Due: February 15, as shown on page 2

Interest Accrues from Delivery Date

PAYMENT TERMS . . . Interest on the \$26,325,000* City of Melissa, Texas Combination Tax and Limited Surplus Revenue Certificates of Obligation, Series 2025 (the "Certificates") will accrue from the Delivery Date (defined below), will be payable February 15 and August 15 of each year until maturity or prior redemption, commencing February 15, 2026, and will be calculated on the basis of a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months. The definitive Certificates will be initially registered and delivered only to Cede & Co., the nominee of The Depository Trust Company New York, New York ("DTC") pursuant to the Book-Entry-Only System described herein. Beneficial ownership of the Certificates may be acquired in denominations of \$5,000 or integral multiples thereof. No physical delivery of the Certificates will be made to the owners thereof. Principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Certificates 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 Certificates. See "THE CERTIFICATES - Book-Entry-Only System" herein. The initial Paying Agent/Registrar for the Certificates is U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, Dallas, Texas (see "THE CERTIFICATES - Paying Agent/Registrar").

AUTHORITY FOR ISSUANCE... The Certificates are issued pursuant to the Constitution and general laws of the State of Texas, (the "State") particularly Subchapter C of Chapter 271, Texas Local Government Code (the Certificate of Obligation Act of 1971), as amended, Subchapter B of Chapter 1502, Texas Government Code, as amended, and an ordinance to be adopted by the City Council (the "Ordinance") on August 12, 2025 and constitute direct obligations of the City of Melissa, Texas (the "City"), payable from an annual ad valorem tax levied on all taxable property within the City, within the limits prescribed by law, and from a limited pledge (not to exceed \$1,000) of the surplus net revenues of the City's waterworks and sewer system as provided in the Ordinance (see "THE CERTIFICATES - Authority for Issuance").

PURPOSE . . . Proceeds from the sale of the Certificates will be used for (i) acquiring, constructing, renovating and equipping public safety facilities for the fire and police departments, including information technology, infrastructure and equipment; (ii) acquiring, constructing, installing and equipping additions, extensions and improvements to the City's waterworks and sewer system, including utility relocation; (iii) acquiring, constructing, renovating, and equipping administrative offices for the City; (iv) acquiring land and interests in land necessary for such projects; and (v) paying legal, fiscal, engineering and architectural fees in connection with these projects (see "PLAN OF FINANCING".)

MATURITY SCHEDULE - CERTIFICATES

See page 2

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

DELIVERY . . . It is expected that the Certificates will be available for delivery through the facilities of DTC on or about September 11, 2025 (the "Delivery Date").

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^{*} Preliminary, subject to change.

CITY OF MELISSA, TEXAS (Collin County) COMBINATION TAX AND LIMITED SURPLUS REVENUE CERTIFICATES OF OBLIGATION, SERIES 2025

MATURITY SCHEDULE*

CUSIP Prefix (1): 585483

	Maturity	Interest	Initial	CUSIP		Maturity	Interest	Initial	CUSIP
Amount	(2/15)	Rate	Yield	Suffix (1)	Amount	(2/15)	Rate	Yield	Suffix (1)
\$ 655,000	2026				\$1,045,000	2039			
600,000	2027				1,095,000	2040			
625,000	2028				1,145,000	2041			
655,000	2029				1,200,000	2042			
685,000	2030				1,250,000	2043			
720,000	2031				1,310,000	2044			
755,000	2032				1,375,000	2045			
790,000	2033				1,435,000	2046			
825,000	2034				1,505,000	2047			
865,000	2035				1,575,000	2048			
900,000	2036				1,650,000	2049			
950,000	2037				1,725,000	2050			
990,000	2038								

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REDEMPTION... The City reserves the right, at its option, to redeem Certificates having stated maturities on and after February 15, 2036, in whole or in part in principal amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, on February 15, 2035, or any date thereafter, at the par value thereof plus accrued interest to the date of redemption. Additionally, the Underwriters may select two or more consecutive maturities of the Certificates to be grouped together to form one or more "Term Certificates", and such Term Certificates would be subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption in accordance with the Ordinance (see "THE CERTIFICATES - Redemption").

^{*} Preliminary, subject to change.

For purposes of compliance with Rule 15c2-12 of the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Rule"), this document constitutes an Official Statement of the City with respect to the Certificates that has been "deemed final" by the City as of its date except for the omission of no more than the information permitted by the Rule.

This Official Statement, which includes the cover page 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 City or the Underwriters of the Certificates 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 City.

Certain information set forth herein has been obtained from the City 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 Municipal Advisor or the Underwriters. 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 City or other matters described herein since the date hereof. See "CONTINUING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION" for a description of the City's undertaking to provide certain information on a continuing basis.

None of the City, the Underwriters, or Municipal Advisor, or their agents or counsel make any representation or warranty with respect to the information contained in this Official Statement regarding The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC") or its book-entry-only system, as such information has been provided by DTC.

The Certificates are exempt from registration with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and consequently have not been registered therewith. The registration, qualification, or exemption of the Certificates in accordance with applicable securities law provisions of the jurisdiction in which the Certificates have been registered, qualified or exempted should not be regarded as a recommendation thereof.

THE CERTIFICATES HAVE NOT BEEN RECOMMENDED BY ANY FEDERAL OR STATE SECURITIES COMMISSION OR REGULATORY AUTHORITY. FURTHERMORE, THE FOREGOING AUTHORITIES HAVE NOT CONFIRMED THE ACCURACY OR DETERMINED THE ADEQUACY OF THIS OFFICIAL STATEMENT. ANY REPRESENTATION TO THE CONTRARY MAY BE A CRIMINAL OFFENSE.

References to web site addresses presented herein are for informational purposes only and may be in the form of a hyperlink solely for the reader's convenience. Unless specified otherwise, such web sites and the information or links contained therein are not incorporated into, and are not a part of, this offering document for any purposes.

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.

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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 Certificates 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 CITY	The City of Melissa, Texas (the "City"), is a political subdivision and home rule municipal corporation of the State of Texas (the "State"), duly organized and existing under the laws of the State, including the City's Home Rule Charter adopted November 8, 2011 and amended on November 7, 2023, and is located in Collin County, Texas. The City covers approximately 12 square miles (see "INTRODUCTION - Description of the City").
THE CERTIFICATES	The \$26,325,000* Combination Tax and Limited Surplus Revenue Certificates of Obligation, Series 2025 are to mature on February 15 in the years 2026 through 2050, inclusive (see "THE CERTIFICATES - Description of the Certificates").
PAYMENT OF INTEREST	Interest on the Certificates accrues from the Delivery Date, and is payable February 15, 2026, and each August 15 and February 15 thereafter until maturity or prior redemption (see "THE CERTIFICATES - Description of the Certificates" and "THE CERTIFICATES - Redemption").
	The Certificates are issued pursuant to the Constitution and general laws of the State, particularly Subchapter C of Chapter 271, Texas Local Government Code (the Certificate of Obligation Act of 1971), as amended, Subchapter B of Chapter 1502, Texas Government Code, as amended, and an ordinance (the "Ordinance") to be passed by the City Council of the City on August 12, 2025 (see "THE CERTIFICATES - Authority for Issuance").
SECURITY FOR THE CERTIFICATES	The Certificates constitute direct Certificates of the City, payable from a combination of (i) an annual ad valorem tax levied, within the limits prescribed by law, on all taxable property within the City, and (ii) a limited pledge (not to exceed \$1,000) of surplus net revenues of the City's waterworks and sewer system as provided in the Ordinance (see "THE CERTIFICATES - Security and Source of Payment").
REDEMPTION	The City reserves the right, at its option, to redeem the Certificates having stated maturities on and after February 15, 2036, in whole or in part in principal amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, on February 15, 2035, or any date thereafter, at the par value thereof plus accrued interest to the date of redemption. Additionally, the Underwriters may select two or more consecutive maturities of the Certificates to be grouped together to form one or more "Term Certificates", and such Term Certificates would be subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption in accordance with the Ordinance. (See "THE CERTIFICATES – Redemption.").
TAX EXEMPTION	In the opinion of McCall, Parkhurst & Horton L.L.P., Dallas, Texas ("Bond Counsel"), interest on the Certificates will be excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes under statutes, regulations, published rulings and court decisions on the date thereof, subject to the matters described under "TAX MATTERS" herein, including the alternative minimum tax on certain corporations.
USE OF PROCEEDS	Proceeds from the sale of the Certificates will be used for (i) acquiring, constructing, renovating and equipping public safety facilities for the fire and police departments, including information technology, infrastructure and equipment; (ii) acquiring, constructing, installing and equipping additions, extensions and improvements to the City's waterworks and sewer system, including utility relocation; (iii) acquiring, constructing, renovating, and equipping administrative offices for the City; (iv) acquiring land and interests in land necessary for such projects; and (v) paying legal, fiscal, engineering and architectural fees in connection with these projects (see "PLAN OF FINANCING".)

^{*} Preliminary, subject to change.

Rating"). The City also has outstanding tax supported debt rated by Moody's Investors

Service, Inc. ("Moody's").

BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY SYSTEM..... The definitive Certificates 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 Certificates may be acquired in denominations of \$5,000 or integral multiples thereof. No physical delivery of the Certificates will be made to the beneficial owners thereof. Principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Certificates 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 Certificates (see "THE CERTIFICATES - Book-Entry-Only System").

PAYMENT RECORD The City has never defaulted in payment of its general obligation tax debt.

PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR....... The initial Paying Agent/Registrar for the Certificates is U.S. Bank Trust Company, National

Association, Dallas, Texas.

SELECTED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

						Ratio Tax	
					Per	Supported	
Fiscal			Per Capita	Total	Capita	Debt	
Year	Estimated	Taxable	Taxable	Tax	Tax	to Taxable	% of
Ended	City	Assessed	Assessed	Supported	Supported	Assessed	Total Tax
9/30	Population (1)	Valuation (3)	Valuation	Debt (4)	Debt	Valuation	Collections
2021	16,983	\$1,424,696,611	\$ 83,890	\$106,845,000	\$ 6,291	7.50%	99.60%
2022	19,850	1,753,531,545	88,339	102,220,000	5,150	5.83%	100.00%
2023	20,359	2,471,802,727	121,411	139,405,000	6,847	5.64%	99.70%
2024	24,087	3,183,679,478	132,174	133,895,000	5,559	4.21%	98.90%
2025	25,000 (2)	4,050,676,524	162,027	154,645,000 ⁽⁵⁾	6,186	3.82%	98.40% ⁽⁶⁾

⁽¹⁾ Information provided by North Central Texas Council of Governments and City Officials.

⁽²⁾ Estimate provided by City staff.

⁽³⁾ Values include the incremental value allocated within the Tax Increment Financing Reinvestment Zone #1 (see "AD VALOREM PROPERTY TAXATION – Tax Increment Financing Zone").

⁽⁴⁾ Includes self-supporting debt.

⁽⁵⁾ Projected; includes the Certificates. Preliminary, subject to change.

⁽⁶⁾ Collections for part year only, through June 1, 2025.

CITY OFFICIALS, STAFF, AND CONSULTANTS

ELECTED OFFICIALS

ELECTED OFFICIALS		Т			
	City Council	Term Expires	(Occupation	
	Jay Northcut	May, 2028			-
	Mayor	May, 2020	i manetai Ke	presentative	
	Preston Taylor	May, 2027	Real Estate		
	Councilmember, Place 1				
	Rendell Hendrickson	May, 2028	Consultant		
	Councilmember, Place 2				
	Dana Conklin	May, 2027	Retired		
	Councilmember, Place 3				
	Joseph Armstrong	May, 2028	Entrepreneur	r	
	Councilmember, Place 4				
	Craig Ackerman	May, 2027	Telecom		
	Councilmember, Place 5				
	Sean Lehr	May, 2028	Account Exe	ecutive	
	Councilmember, Place 6	3,			
SELECTED ADMINISTR	ATIVE STAFF				
	N.			Length of	
	Name		osition	Service	
	Jason Little	City Ma	anager	18 Years	
	Gail Dansby		ve Director of strative Services	21 Years	
CONSULTANTS AND AI	Hope Cory	City See	cretary	3 Years	
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Auditors			•••••	Pai	tillo, Brown & Hill .LL.P. Waco, Texas
Bond Counsel				McCall, P	arkhurst & Horton L.L.P. Dallas, Texas
Municipal Advisors					Hilltop Securities Inc. Fort Worth, Texas
For additional informa	tion regarding the City, please	contact:			
	Jason Little	1	Nick Bulaich		
	City Manager		Hilltop Securities I	nc.	
	City of Melissa		777 Main Street, St		
	3411 Barker Avenue		Fort Worth, Texas		
	Melissa, Texas 75454	(817) 332-9710		

(972) 838-4535

OFFICIAL STATEMENT

RELATING TO

\$26,325,000* CITY OF MELISSA, TEXAS COMBINATION TAX AND LIMITED SURPLUS REVENUE CERTIFICATES OF OBLIGATION, SERIES 2025

INTRODUCTION

This Preliminary Official Statement, which includes the Appendices hereto, provides certain information regarding the issuance of \$26,325,000* City of Melissa, Texas, Combination Tax and Limited Surplus Revenue Certificates of Obligation, Series 2025 (the "Certificates"). Capitalized terms used in this Official Statement have the same meanings assigned to such terms in the ordinance to be adopted on the date of sale of the Certificates which authorized the issuance of the Certificates (the "Ordinance") excepts as otherwise indicated herein.

There follow in this Official Statement descriptions of the Certificates and certain information regarding the City 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 City's Municipal Advisor, Hilltop Securities Inc. ("Hilltop Securities"), Fort Worth, Texas.

DESCRIPTION OF THE CITY... The City is a political subdivision and home rule municipal corporation of the State, duly organized and existing under the laws of the State, including the City's Home Rule Charter adopted November 8, 2011 and amended on November 7, 2023. The City Council operates under the Council/Manager form of government where the Mayor and six Councilmembers are elected for staggered three-year terms. The City Council formulates operating policy for the City while the City Manager is the chief administrative officer. The 2010 Census population for the City was 4,695, while the estimated 2025 population is 25,000. The City covers approximately 12 square miles.

PLAN OF FINANCING

PURPOSE . . . Proceeds from the sale of the Certificates will be used for (i) acquiring, constructing, renovating and equipping public safety facilities for the fire and police departments, including information technology, infrastructure and equipment; (ii) acquiring, constructing, installing and equipping additions, extensions and improvements to the City's waterworks and sewer system, including utility relocation; (iii) acquiring, constructing, renovating, and equipping administrative offices for the City; (iv) acquiring land and interests in land necessary for such projects; and (v) paying legal, fiscal, engineering and architectural fees in connection with these projects.

SOURCES AND USES OF PROCEEDS . . . The proceeds from the sale of the Certificates will be applied approximately as follows:

Sources of Proceeds	The Cer	rtificates
Par Amount	\$	-
Net Reoffering Premium		
Total Sources of Funds	\$	-
		,
<u>Uses of Proceeds</u>		
Deposit to Construction Fund	\$	-
Cost of Issuance		-
Underwriters' Discount		-
Total Uses of Funds	\$	-

^{*} Preliminary, subject to change.

THE CERTIFICATES

DESCRIPTION OF THE CERTIFICATES... The Certificates are dated September 1, 2025 (the "Dated Date"), and mature on February 15 in each of the years and in the amounts shown on page 2 hereof. Interest will accrue from the Delivery Date, will be computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months, and will be payable on February 15 and August 15 of each year, commencing February 15, 2026, until maturity or prior redemption. The definitive Certificates 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 New York, New York ("DTC") pursuant to the Book-Entry-Only System described herein. **No physical delivery of the Certificates will be made to the owners thereof.** Principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Certificates 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 Certificates. See "BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY-SYSTEM" herein.

Interest on the Certificates shall be paid to the registered owners appearing on the registration books of the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the Record Date (hereinafter defined), and such interest shall be paid (i) by check sent United States Mail, first class postage prepaid to the address of the registered owner recorded in the registration books of the Paying Agent/Registrar or (ii) by such other method, acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar requested by, and at the risk and expense of, the registered owner. Principal of the Certificates will be paid to the registered owner at their stated maturity or upon earlier redemption upon presentation to the designated payment/transfer office of the Paying Agent/Registrar; provided, however, that so long as Cede & Co. (or other DTC nominee) is the registered owner of the Certificates, all payments will be made as described under "THE CERTIFICATES - Book-Entry-Only System" herein. If the date for any payment on the Certificates shall be a Saturday, a Sunday, a legal holiday or a day when banking institutions in the city where the designated payment/transfer office of the Paying Agent/Registrar is located are authorized to close, then the date for such payment shall be the next succeeding day which is not such a day, and payment on such date shall have the same force and effect as if made on the date payment was due.

AUTHORITY FOR ISSUANCE . . . The Certificates are being issued pursuant to the Constitution and general laws of the State, including particularly Subchapter C of Chapter 271, Texas Local Government Code, as amended, Subchapter B of Chapter 1502, Texas Government Code, as amended, and the Ordinance.

SECURITY AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT . . . The principal of and interest on the Certificates is payable from a direct and continuing ad valorem tax levied by the City, within the limits prescribed by law, upon all taxable property in the City as provided in the Ordinance. Additionally, the Certificates are payable from a limited pledge (not to exceed \$1,000) of the surplus revenues of the City's waterworks and sewer system, remaining after payment of all operation and maintenance expenses thereof, and all debt service, reserve, and other requirements in connection with all of the City's revenue bonds or other Certificates (now or hereafter outstanding), which are payable from all or any part of the net revenues of the City's waterworks and sewer system.

TAX RATE LIMITATION... All taxable property within the City is subject to the assessment, levy and collection by the City of a continuing, direct annual ad valorem tax sufficient to provide for the payment of principal of and interest on all ad valorem tax debt within the limits prescribed by law. Article XI, Section 5, of the Texas Constitution is applicable to the City, and provides for a maximum ad valorem tax rate of \$2.50 per \$100 Taxable Assessed Valuation for all City purposes. The Home Rule Charter of the City adopts the constitutionally authorized maximum tax rate of \$2.50 per \$100 Taxable Assessed Valuation. Administratively, the Attorney General of the State will permit allocation of \$1.50 of the \$2.50 maximum tax rate for all general obligation debt service, as calculated at the time of issuance and based on a 90% tax collection rate.

REDEMPTION... The City reserves the right, at its option, to redeem the Certificates having stated maturities on and after February 15, 2036, in whole or in part in principal amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, on February 15, 2035, or any date thereafter, at the par value thereof plus accrued interest to the date of redemption. Additionally, the Underwriters may select two or more consecutive maturities of the Certificates to be grouped together to form one or more "Term Certificates", and such Term Certificates would be subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption in accordance with the Ordinance.

If less than all of the Certificates are to be redeemed, the City may select the maturities of Certificates to be redeemed. If less than all the Certificates of any maturity are to be redeemed, the Paying Agent/Registrar (or DTC while the Certificates are in Book-Entry-Only form) shall determine by lot the Certificates, or portions thereof, within such maturity to be redeemed. If a Certificate (or any portion of the principal sum thereof) shall have been called for redemption and notice of such redemption shall have been given, such Certificate (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.

With respect to any optional redemption of the Certificates, unless certain prerequisites to such redemption required by the Ordinance have been met and money sufficient to pay the principal of and premium, if any, and interest on the Certificates to be redeemed will have been received by the Paying Agent/Registrar prior to the giving of such notice of redemption, such notice will state that said redemption may, at the option of the City, be conditional upon the satisfaction of such prerequisites and receipt of such money by the Paying Agent/Registrar on or prior to the date fixed for such redemption or upon any prerequisite set forth in such notice of redemption. If a conditional notice of redemption is given and such prerequisites to the redemption are not fulfilled, such notice will be of no force and effect, the City will not redeem such Certificates, and the Paying Agent/Registrar will give notice in the manner in which the notice of redemption was given, to the effect that such Certificates have not been redeemed.

NOTICE OF REDEMPTION... Not less than 30 days prior to a redemption date for the Certificates, the City shall cause a notice of redemption to be sent by United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, to the registered owners of the Certificates 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. ANY NOTICE SO MAILED SHALL BE CONCLUSIVELY PRESUMED TO HAVE BEEN DULY GIVEN WHETHER OR NOT THE REGISTERED OWNER RECEIVES SUCH NOTICE. If a Certificate (or any portion of its principal sum) shall have been duly called for redemption and any other condition to redemption satisfied, then upon the redemption date such Certificate (or the portion of its principal sum to be redeemed) shall become due and payable, and, if moneys for the payment of the redemption price and the interest accrued on the principal amount to be redeemed to the date of redemption are held for the purpose of such payment by the Paying Agent/Registrar, interest shall cease to accrue and be payable from and after the redemption date on the principal amount redeemed.

DEFEASANCE . . . The Ordinance provides for the defeasance of the Certificates when the payment of the principal of and premium, if any, on the Certificates, plus interest thereon to the due date thereof (whether such due date be by reason of maturity, redemption, or otherwise), is provided by irrevocably depositing with a paying agent or other authorized entity (1) money sufficient to make such payment or (2) Defeasance Securities (defined below), to mature as to principal and interest in such amounts and at such times to insure the availability, without reinvestment, of sufficient money to make such payment, and all necessary and proper fees, compensation and expenses of the paying agent for the Certificates, and thereafter the City will have no further responsibility with respect to amounts available to such paying agent (or other financial institution permitted by applicable law) for the payment of such defeased Certificates, including any insufficiency therein caused by the failure of such paying agent (or other financial institution permitted by applicable law) to receive payment when due on the Defeasance Securities. The Ordinance provides that "Defeasance Securities" means (a) direct, noncallable obligations of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America, and (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. The City has additionally reserved the right, subject to satisfying the requirements of (1) and (2) above, to substitute other Defeasance Securities for the Defeasance Securities originally deposited, to reinvest the uninvested moneys on deposit for such defeasance and to withdraw for the benefit of the City moneys in excess of the amount required for such defeasance.

Upon such deposit as described above, such Certificates shall no longer be regarded to be outstanding or unpaid. After firm banking and financial arrangements for the discharge and final payment or redemption of the Certificates have been made as described above, all rights of the City to initiate proceedings to take any action amending the terms of the Certificates are extinguished; provided, however, that the right to call the Certificates for redemption is not extinguished if the City: (i) in the proceedings providing for the firm banking and financial arrangements, expressly reserves the right to call the Certificates for redemption; (ii) gives notice of the reservation of that right to the owners of the Certificates 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.

BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY SYSTEM... This section describes how ownership of the Certificates is to be transferred and how the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Certificates are to be paid to and accredited by DTC while the Certificates 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 City and the Underwriters consider the source of such information to be reliable, but take no responsibility for the accuracy or completeness thereof.

The City and the Underwriters cannot and do not give any assurance that (1) DTC will distribute payments of debt service on the Certificates, 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 Certificates), 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, New York, New York, will act as securities depository for the Certificates. The Certificates 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 for each maturity will be issued for the Certificates in the aggregate principal amount thereof and will be deposited with DTC.

DTC, the world's largest securities 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 corporations that clear through or maintain a custodial relationship with a Direct Participant, either directly or indirectly ("Indirect Participants"). Direct Participants and Indirect Participants are referred to collectively as the "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.

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

To facilitate subsequent transfers, all Certificates 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 Certificates 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 Certificates; DTC's records reflect only the identity of the Direct Participant to whose account such Certificates are credited, which may or may not be a Beneficial Owner. The 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.

Redemption notices shall be sent to DTC. If less than all of the Certificates 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 to be redeemed.

Neither DTC nor Cede & Co. will consent or vote with respect to the Certificates unless authorized by a Direct Participant in accordance with DTC's MMI procedures. Under its usual procedures, DTC mails an Omnibus Proxy to the City 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 the Certificates are credited on the record date (identified in a listing attached to the Omnibus Proxy).

All payments on the Certificates 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 City or the Paying Agent/Registrar on payable dates 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 in 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, the Paying Agent/Registrar or the City, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Payment of redemption proceeds and principal and interest to DTC is the responsibility of the City or the Paying Agent/Registrar, disbursement of such payments to Direct Participants shall be the responsibility of DTC, and disbursement of such payments to the Beneficial Owners shall be the responsibility of Participants.

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

The City may decide to discontinue use of the system of book-entry transfers through DTC (or a successor securities depository). In that event, Certificates 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 Certificates 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 Certificates, 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 Ordinance 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 by, and is not to be construed as a representation by the City, the Municipal Advisor or the Underwriters of the Certificates.

Effect of Termination of Book-Entry-Only System. In the event the Book-Entry-Only System with respect to the Certificates is discontinued by DTC, or the use of the Book-Entry-Only System with respect to the Certificates is discontinued by the City, printed securities certificates will be issued to the holders of the affected Certificates, and the applicable Certificates will be subject to transfer, exchange, and registration provisions as set forth in the Ordinance, summarized under "THE CERTIFICATES - Transfer, Exchange, and Registration" below.

PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR . . . The initial Paying Agent/Registrar for the Certificates is U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, Dallas, Texas. In the Ordinance, the City retains the right to replace the Paying Agent/Registrar. The City covenants to maintain and provide a Paying Agent/Registrar at all times until the Certificates 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 Certificates. Upon any change in the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Certificates, the City agrees to promptly cause a written notice thereof to be sent to each registered owner of the Certificates affected by the changes by United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, which notice shall also give the address of the new Paying Agent/Registrar.

Interest on the Certificates shall be paid to the registered owners appearing on the registration books of the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the Record Date (hereinafter defined), and such interest shall be paid (i) by check sent United States mail, first class postage prepaid, to the address of the registered owner recorded in the registration books of the Paying Agent/Registrar or (ii) by such other method, acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar requested by, and at the risk and expense of, the registered owner. Principal of the Certificates will be paid to the registered owner at their stated maturity or earlier redemption upon presentation to the designated payment/transfer office of the Paying Agent/Registrar. If the date for the payment of the principal of or interest on the Certificates shall be a Saturday, Sunday, a legal holiday or a day when banking institutions in the city where the designated payment/transfer office of the Paying Agent/Registrar is located are authorized to close, then the date for such payment shall be the next succeeding day which is not such a day, and payment on such date shall have the same force and effect as if made on the date payment was due.

TRANSFER, EXCHANGE AND REGISTRATION ... In the event the Book-Entry-Only System should be discontinued, the Certificates 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. Certificates may be assigned by the execution of an assignment form on the Certificates or by other instrument of transfer and assignment acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar. New Certificates will be delivered by the Paying Agent/Registrar, in lieu of the Certificates 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 Certificates issued in an exchange or transfer of Certificates 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 Certificates 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 Certificates 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 Certificates surrendered for exchange or transfer. See "THE CERTIFICATES - Book-Entry-Only System" above for a description of the system to be utilized initially in regard to ownership and transferability of the Certificates. Neither the City nor the Paying Agent/Registrar shall be required to transfer or exchange any Certificate (i) during the period commencing with the close of business on any Record Date and ending with the opening of business on the next following principal or interest payment date, or (ii) with respect to any Certificate 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 an Certificate.

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

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 City. 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 registered owner of a Certificate to be paid on the Special Payment Date that appears 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.

REMEDIES... The Ordinance establishes specific events of default with respect to the Certificates. If the City defaults in the payment of the principal of or interest on the Certificates when due or the City defaults in the observance or performance of any of the covenants, conditions, or obligations of the City, the failure to perform which materially, adversely affects the rights of the owners thereof, including but not limited to, their prospect or ability to be repaid in accordance with the Ordinance, and the continuation thereof for a period of 60 days after notice of such default is given by any owner to the City, the Ordinance provides that any registered owner of a Certificates is entitled to seek a writ of mandamus from a court of proper jurisdiction requiring the City to make such payment or observe and perform such covenants, obligations, or conditions. The remedy of mandamus is controlled by equitable principles, so rests with the discretion of the court, but may not be arbitrarily refused. There is no acceleration of maturity of the Certificates in the event of default and, consequently, the remedy of mandamus may have to be relied upon from year to year. The Ordinance does not provide for the appointment of a trustee to represent the interest of the owners of the Certificates upon any failure of the City to perform in accordance with the terms of the Ordinance, or upon any other condition and accordingly all legal actions to enforce such remedies would have to be undertaken at the initiative of, and be financed by, the registered owners. On April 1, 2016, the Texas Supreme Court ruled in Wasson Interest, Ltds. v. City of

Jacksonville, 489 S.W.3d 427 (Tex. 2016) that sovereign immunity does not imbue a city with derivative immunity when it performs proprietary, as opposed to governmental, functions in respect to contracts executed by a city. Texas jurisprudence has generally held that proprietary functions are those conducted by a city in its private capacity, for the benefit only of those within its corporate limits, and not as an arm of the government or under the authority or for the benefit of the state. If sovereign immunity is determined by a court to exist, then the Texas Supreme Court has ruled in Tooke v. City of Mexia 197 S.W.3d 325 (Tex. 2006) that a waiver of sovereign immunity in a contractual dispute must be provided for by statute in "clear and unambiguous" language. Because it is unclear whether the Texas legislature has effectively waived the City's sovereign immunity from a suit for money damages, owners of Certificates may not be able to bring such a suit against the City for breach of the Certificates or the Ordinance covenants in the absence of City action. Even if a judgment against the City could be obtained, it could not be enforced by direct levy and execution against the City's property. Further, the registered owners cannot themselves foreclose on property within the City or sell property within the City to enforce the tax lien on taxable property to pay the principal of and interest on the Certificates. Furthermore, the City is eligible to seek relief from its creditors under Chapter 9 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code ("Chapter 9"). Although Chapter 9 provides for the recognition of a security interest represented by a specifically pledged source of revenues, the pledge of ad valorem taxes in support of a general obligation of a bankrupt entity is not specifically recognized as a security interest under Chapter 9. Chapter 9 also includes an automatic stay provision that would prohibit, without Bankruptcy Court approval, the prosecution of any other legal action by creditors or holders of Certificates of an entity which has sought protection under Chapter 9. Therefore, should the City 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 Certificates are qualified with respect to governmental immunity and to the customary rights of debtors relative to their creditors and by general principles of equity which permit the exercise of judicial discretion.

Initially, the only registered owner of the Certificates will be DTC. See "THE CERTIFICATES - Book-Entry-Only System" herein for a description of the duties of DTC with regard to ownership of the Certificates.

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AD VALOREM PROPERTY TAXATION

The following is a summary of certain provisions of State law as it relates to ad valorem taxation and is not intended to be complete. Prospective investors are encouraged to review Title I of the Texas Tax Code, as amended (the "Property Tax Code"), for identification of property subject to ad valorem taxation, property exempt or which may be exempted from ad valorem taxation if claimed, the appraisal of property for ad valorem tax purposes, and the procedures and limitations applicable to the levy and collection of ad valorem taxes.

VALUATION OF TAXABLE PROPERTY . . . The Property Tax Code provides for countywide appraisal and equalization of taxable property values and establishes in each county of the State an appraisal district and an appraisal review board (the "Appraisal Review Board") responsible for appraising property for all taxing units within the county. The appraisal of property within the City is the responsibility of the Collin Central Appraisal District and Denton Central Appraisal District (collectively, the "Appraisal District"). Except as generally described below, the Appraisal District is required to appraise all property within the Appraisal District on the basis of 100% of its market value and is prohibited from applying any assessment ratios. In determining market value of property, the Appraisal District is required to consider the cost method of appraisal, the income method of appraisal and the market data comparison method of appraisal and use the method the chief appraiser of the Appraisal District considers most appropriate. The Property Tax Code requires appraisal districts to reappraise all property in its jurisdiction at least once every three (3) years. A taxing unit may require annual review at its own expense and is entitled to challenge the determination of appraised value of property within the taxing unit by petition filed with the Appraisal Review Board.

State law requires the appraised value of an owner's principal residence ("homestead" or "homesteads") to be based solely on the property's value as a homestead, regardless of whether residential use is considered to be the highest and best use of the property. State law further limits the appraised value of a homestead to the lesser of (1) the market value of the property or (2) 110% of the appraised value of the property for the preceding tax year plus the market value of all new improvements to the property.

State law provides that eligible owners of both agricultural land and open-space land, including open-space land devoted to farm or ranch purposes or open-space land devoted to timber production, may elect to have such property appraised for property taxation on the basis of its productive capacity. The same land may not be qualified as both agricultural and open-space land. Effective January 1, 2024, an appraisal district is prohibited from increasing the appraised value of real property during the 2024 tax year on certain non-homestead properties (the "Subjected Property") whose appraised values are not more than \$5 million dollars (the "maximum property value") to an amount not to exceed the lesser of: (1) the market value of the Subjected Property for the most recent tax year that the market value was determined by the appraisal office or (2) the sum of: (a) 20 percent of the appraised value of the Subjected Property for the preceding tax year; and (c) the market value of all new improvements to the Subjected Property (collectively, the "Appraisal Cap"). After the 2024 tax year, through December 31, 2026 unless extended by the Legislature, the maximum property value may be increased or decreased by the product of the preceding state fiscal year's increase or decrease in the consumer price index, as applicable, to the maximum property value.

The appraisal values set by the Appraisal District are subject to review and change by the Appraisal Review Board. The appraisal rolls, as approved by the Appraisal Review Board, are used by taxing units, such as the City, in establishing their tax rolls and tax rates (see "AD VALOREM PROPERTY TAXATION – City and Taxpayer Remedies").

STATE MANDATED HOMESTEAD EXEMPTIONS . . . State law grants, with respect to each city in the State, various exemptions for disabled veterans and their families, surviving spouses of members of the armed services killed in action, and surviving spouses of first responders killed or fatally wounded in the line of duty.

LOCAL OPTION HOMESTEAD EXEMPTIONS . . . The governing body of a taxing unit, including a city, county, school district, or special district, at its option may grant: (1) an exemption of up to 20% of the appraised value of all homesteads (but not less than \$5,000) and (2) an additional exemption of at least \$3,000 of the appraised value of the homesteads of persons sixty-five (65) years of age or older and the disabled. Each taxing unit decides if it will offer the local option homestead exemptions and at what percentage or dollar amount, as applicable. The exemption described in (2), above, may be created, increased, decreased or repealed at an election called by the governing body of a taxing unit upon presentment of a petition for such creation, increase, decrease, or repeal of at least 20% of the number of qualified voters who voted in the preceding election of the taxing unit. Cities, counties, and school districts are prohibited from repealing or reducing an optional homestead exemption that was granted in tax year 2022 through December 31, 2027.

LOCAL OPTION FREEZE FOR THE ELDERLY AND DISABLED . . . The governing body of a county, municipality or junior college district may, at its option, provide for a freeze on the total amount of ad valorem taxes levied on the homesteads of persons 65 years of age or older or of disabled persons above the amount of tax imposed in the year such residence qualified for such exemption. Also, upon voter initiative, an election may be held to determine by majority vote whether to establish such a freeze on ad valorem taxes. Once the freeze is established, the total amount of taxes imposed on such homesteads cannot be increased except for certain improvements, and such freeze cannot be repealed or rescinded.

PERSONAL PROPERTY . . . Tangible personal property (furniture, machinery, supplies, inventories, etc.) used in the "production of income" is taxed based on the property's market value. Taxable personal property includes income-producing equipment and inventory. Intangibles such as goodwill, accounts receivable, and proprietary processes are not taxable. Tangible personal property not held or used for production of income, such as household goods, automobiles or light trucks, and boats, is exempt from ad valorem taxation unless the governing body of a taxing unit elects to tax such property.

FREEPORT AND GOODS-IN-TRANSIT EXEMPTIONS . . . Certain goods that are acquired in or imported into the State to be forwarded outside the State, and are detained in the State for 175 days or less for the purpose of assembly, storage, manufacturing, processing or fabrication ("Freeport Property") are exempt from ad valorem taxation unless a taxing unit took official action to tax Freeport Property before April 1, 1990 and has not subsequently taken official action to exempt Freeport Property. Decisions to continue taxing Freeport Property may be reversed in the future; decisions to exempt Freeport Property are not subject to reversal.

Certain goods that are acquired in or imported into the State to be forwarded to another location within or without the State, stored in a location that is not owned by the owner of the goods and are transported to another location within or without the State within 175 days ("Goods-in-Transit"), are generally exempt from ad valorem taxation; however, the Property Tax Code permits a taxing unit, on a local option basis, to tax Goods-in-Transit if the taxing unit takes official action after conducting a public hearing, before January 1 of the first tax year in which the taxing unit proposes to tax Goods-in-Transit. Goods-in-Transit and Freeport Property do not include oil, natural gas or petroleum products, and Goods-in-Transit does not include aircraft or special inventories such as manufactured housing inventory, or a dealer's motor vehicle, boat, or heavy equipment inventory.

A taxpayer may receive only one of the Goods-in-Transit or Freeport Property exemptions for items of personal property.

OTHER EXEMPT PROPERTY . . . Other major categories of exempt property include property owned by the State or its political subdivisions if used for public purposes, property exempt by federal law, property used for pollution control, farm products owned by producers, property of nonprofit corporations used for scientific research or educational activities benefitting a college or university, designated historic sites, solar and wind-powered energy devices, and certain classes of intangible personal property.

TAX INCREMENT REINVESTMENT ZONES . . . A city or county, by petition of the landowners or by action of its governing body, may create one or more tax increment reinvestment zones ("TIRZ") within its boundaries. At the time of the creation of the TIRZ, a "base value" for the real property in the TIRZ is established and the difference between any increase in the assessed valuation of taxable real property in the TIRZ in excess of the base value is known as the "tax increment". During the existence of the TIRZ, all or a portion of the taxes levied against the tax increment by a city or county, and all other overlapping taxing units that elected to participate, are restricted to paying only planned project and financing costs within the TIRZ and are not available for the payment of other obligations of such taxing units.

TAX ABATEMENT AGREEMENTS . . . Taxing units may also enter into tax abatement agreements to encourage economic development. Under the agreements, a property owner agrees to construct certain improvements on its property. The taxing unit, in turn, agrees not to levy a tax on all or part of the increased value attributable to the improvements until the expiration of the agreement. The abatement agreement could last for a period of up to 10 years.

For a discussion of how the various exemptions described above are applied by the City, see "AD VALOREM PROPERTY TAXATION – City Application of Property Tax Code" herein.

TEMPORARY EXEMPTION FOR QUALIFIED PROPERTY DAMAGED BY DISASTER . . . The Property Tax Code entitles the owner of certain qualified (i) tangible personal property used for the production of income, (ii) improvements to real property, and (iii) manufactured homes located in an area declared by the governor to be a disaster area following a disaster and is at least 15 percent damaged by the disaster, as determined by the chief appraiser, to an exemption from taxation of a portion of the appraised value of the property. The amount of the exemption ranges from 15 percent to 100 percent based upon the damage assessment rating assigned by the chief appraiser. Except in situations where the territory is declared a disaster on or after the date the taxing unit adopts a tax rate for the year in which the disaster declaration is issued, the governing body of the taxing unit is not required to take any action in order for the taxpayer to be eligible for the exemption. If a taxpayer qualifies for the exemption after the beginning of the tax year, the amount of the exemption is prorated based on the number of days left in the tax year following the day on which the governor declares the area to be a disaster area. For more information on the exemption, reference is made to Section 11.35 of the Tax Code. Section 11.35 of the Tax Code was enacted during the 2019 legislative session, and there is no historical judicial precedent for how the statute will be applied. Texas Attorney General Opinion KP-0299, issued on April 13, 2025, concluded a court would likely find the Texas Legislature intended to limit the temporary tax exemption to apply to property physically harmed as a result of a declared disaster.

CITY AND TAXPAYER REMEDIES . . . Under certain circumstances, taxpayers and taxing units, including the City, may appeal the determinations of the Appraisal District by timely initiating a protest with the Appraisal Review Board. Additionally, taxing units such as the City may bring suit against the Appraisal District to compel compliance with the Property Tax Code.

Owners of certain property with a taxable value in excess of the current year "minimum eligibility amount", as determined by the State Comptroller, and situated in a county with a population of one million or more, may protest the determinations of an appraisal district directly to a three-member special panel of the appraisal review board, appointed by the chairman of the appraisal review board, consisting of highly qualified professionals in the field of property tax appraisal. The minimum eligibility amount is set at \$57.2 million for the 2023 tax year, and is adjusted annually by the State Comptroller to reflect the inflation rate.

The Property Tax Code sets forth notice and hearing procedures for certain tax rate increases by the City and provides for taxpayer referenda that could result in the repeal of certain tax increases (see "AD VALOREM PROPERTY TAXATION – Public Hearing and Maintenance and Operations Tax Rate Limitations"). The Property Tax Code also establishes a procedure for providing notice to property owners of reappraisals reflecting increased property value, appraisals which are higher than renditions, and appraisals of property not previously on an appraisal roll.

LEVY AND COLLECTION OF TAXES . . . The City is responsible for the collection of its taxes, unless it elects to transfer such functions to another governmental entity. Taxes are due October 1, or when billed, whichever comes later, and become delinquent after January 31 of the following year. A delinquent tax incurs a penalty of six percent (6%) of the amount of the tax for the first calendar month it is delinquent, plus one percent (1%) for each additional month or portion of a month the tax remains unpaid prior to July 1 of the year in which it becomes delinquent. If the tax is not paid by July 1 of the year in which it becomes delinquent, the tax incurs a total penalty of twelve percent (12%) regardless of the number of months the tax has been delinquent and incurs an additional penalty of up to twenty percent (20%) if imposed by the City. The delinquent tax also accrues interest at a rate of one percent (1%) for each month or portion of a month it remains unpaid. The Property Tax Code also makes provision for the split payment of taxes, discounts for early payment and the postponement of the delinquency date of taxes for certain taxpayers. Furthermore, the City may provide, on a local option basis, for the split payment, partial payment, and discounts for early payment of taxes under certain circumstances.

PUBLIC HEARING AND MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS TAX RATE LIMITATIONS . . . The following terms as used in this section have the meanings provided below:

"adjusted" means lost values are not included in the calculation of the prior year's taxes and new values are not included in the current year's taxable values.

"de minimis rate" means the maintenance and operations tax rate that will produce the prior year's total maintenance and operations tax levy (adjusted) from the current year's values (adjusted), plus the rate that produces an additional \$500,000 in tax revenue when applied to the current year's taxable value, plus the debt service tax rate.

"no-new-revenue tax rate" means the combined maintenance and operations tax rate and debt service tax rate that will produce the prior year's total tax levy (adjusted) from the current year's total taxable values (adjusted).

"special taxing unit" means a city for which the maintenance and operations tax rate proposed for the current tax year is 2.5 cents or less per \$100 of taxable value.

"unused increment rate" means the cumulative difference between a city's voter-approval tax rate and its actual tax rate for the prior three years, which may be used to increase a city's current voter-approval rate.

"voter-approval tax rate" means the maintenance and operations tax rate that will produce the prior year's total maintenance and operations tax levy (adjusted) from the current year's values (adjusted) multiplied by 1.035, plus the debt service tax rate, plus the "unused increment rate."

The City's tax rate consists of two components: (1) a rate for funding of maintenance and operations expenditures in the current year (the "maintenance and operations tax rate"), and (2) a rate for funding debt service in the current year (the "debt service tax rate"). Under State law, the assessor for the City must submit an appraisal roll showing the total appraised, assessed, and taxable values of all property in the City to the City Council by August 1 or as soon as practicable thereafter.

A city must annually calculate its "voter-approval tax rate" and "no-new-revenue tax rate" (as such terms are defined above) in accordance with forms prescribed by the State Comptroller and provide notice of such rates to each owner of taxable property within the city and the county tax assessor-collector for each county in which all or part of the city is located. A city must adopt a tax rate before the later of September 30 or the 60th day after receipt of the certified appraisal roll, except that a tax rate that exceeds the voter-approval tax rate must be adopted not later than the 71st day before the next occurring November uniform election date. If a city fails to timely adopt a tax rate, the tax rate is statutorily set as the lower of the no-new-revenue tax rate for the current tax year or the tax rate adopted by the city for the preceding tax year.

As described below, the Property Tax Code provides that if a city adopts a tax rate that exceeds its voter-approval tax rate or, in certain cases, its "de minimis rate", an election must be held to determine whether or not to reduce the adopted tax rate to the voter-approval tax rate.

A city may not adopt a tax rate that exceeds the lower of the voter-approval tax rate or the no-new-revenue tax rate until each appraisal district in which such city participates has delivered notice to each taxpayer of the estimated total amount of property taxes owed and the city has held a public hearing on the proposed tax increase.

For cities with a population of 30,000 or more as of the most recent federal decennial census, if the adopted tax rate for any tax year exceeds the voter-approval tax rate, that city must conduct an election on the next occurring November uniform election date to determine whether or not to reduce the adopted tax rate to the voter-approval tax rate.

For cities with a population less than 30,000 as of the most recent federal decennial census, if the adopted tax rate for any tax year exceeds the greater of (i) the voter-approval tax rate or (ii) the de minimis rate, the city must conduct an election on the next occurring November uniform election date to determine whether or not to reduce the adopted tax rate to the voter-approval tax rate. However, for any tax year during which a city has a population of less than 30,000 as of the most recent federal decennial census and does not qualify as a special taxing unit, if a city's adopted tax rate is equal to or less than the de minimis rate but greater than both (a) the no-new-revenue tax rate, multiplied by 1.08, plus the debt service tax rate or (b) the city's voter-approval tax rate, then a valid petition signed by at least three percent of the registered voters in the city would require that an election be held to determine whether or not to reduce the adopted tax rate to the voter-approval tax rate.

Any city located at least partly within an area declared a disaster area by the Governor of the State or the President of the United States during the current year may calculate its "voter-approval tax rate" using a 1.08 multiplier, instead of 1.035, until the earlier of (i) the second tax year in which such city's total taxable appraised value exceeds the taxable appraised value on January 1 of the year the disaster occurred, or (ii) the third tax year after the tax year in which the disaster occurred.

State law provides cities and counties in the State the option of assessing a maximum one-half percent (1/2%) sales and use tax on retail sales of taxable items for the purpose of reducing its ad valorem taxes, if approved by a majority of the voters in a local option election. If the additional sales and use tax for ad valorem tax reduction is approved and levied, the no-new-revenue tax rate and voter-approval tax rate must be reduced by the amount of the estimated sales tax revenues to be generated in the current tax year.

The calculations of the no-new-revenue tax rate and voter-approval tax rate do not limit or impact the City's ability to set a debt service tax rate in each year sufficient to pay debt service on all of the City's tax-supported debt obligations, including the Certificates.

Reference is made to the Property Tax Code for definitive requirements for the levy and collection of ad valorem taxes and the calculation of the various defined tax rates.

DEBT TAX RATE LIMITATIONS . . . All taxable property within the City is subject to the assessment, levy and collection by the City of a continuing, direct annual ad valorem tax sufficient to provide for the payment of principal of and interest on all ad valorem tax supported debt, within the limits prescribed by law. Article XI, Section 5, of the Texas Constitution is applicable to the City, and limits its maximum ad valorem tax rate to \$2.50 per \$100 of Taxable Assessed Valuation. Administratively, the Attorney General of the State of Texas will permit allocation of \$1.50 of the \$2.50 maximum tax rate for all debt service on ad valorem tax-supported debt, as calculated at the time of issuance.

THE CITY'S RIGHTS IN THE EVENT OF TAX DELINQUENCIES . . . Taxes levied by the City are a personal obligation of the owner of the property. On January 1 of each year, a tax lien attaches to property to secure the payment of all state and local taxes, penalties, and interest ultimately imposed for the year on the property. The lien exists in favor of each taxing unit, including the City, having power to tax the property. The City's tax lien is on a parity with tax liens of such other taxing units. A tax lien on real property takes priority over the claim of most creditors and other holders of liens on the property encumbered by the tax lien, whether or not the debt or lien existed before the attachment of the tax lien; however, whether a lien of the United States is on a parity with or takes priority over a tax lien of the City is determined by applicable federal law. Personal property, under certain circumstances, is subject to seizure and sale for the payment of delinquent taxes, penalty, and interest.

At any time after taxes on property become delinquent, the City may file suit to foreclose the lien securing payment of the tax, to enforce personal liability for the tax, or both. In filing a suit to foreclose a tax lien on real property, the City must join other taxing units that have claims for delinquent taxes against all or part of the same property.

Collection of delinquent taxes may be adversely affected by the amount of taxes owed to other taxing units, adverse market conditions, taxpayer redemption rights, or bankruptcy proceedings which restrain the collection of a taxpayer's debt.

Federal bankruptcy law provides that an automatic stay of actions by creditors and other entities, including governmental units, goes into effect with the filing of any petition in bankruptcy. The automatic stay prevents governmental units from foreclosing on property and prevents liens for post-petition taxes from attaching to property and obtaining secured creditor status unless, in either case, an order lifting the stay is obtained from the bankruptcy court. In many cases, post-petition taxes are paid as an administrative expense of the estate in bankruptcy or by order of the bankruptcy court.

PROPERTY ASSESSMENT AND TAX PAYMENT . . . Property within the City is generally assessed as of January 1 of each year. Business inventory may, at the option of the taxpayer, be assessed as of September 1. Oil and gas reserves are assessed on the basis of a valuation process which uses an average of the daily price of oil and gas for the prior year. Taxes become due October 1 of the same year, and become delinquent on February 1 of the following year. Taxpayers 65 years old or older are permitted by State law to pay taxes on homesteads in four installments with the first due on February 1 of each year and the final installment due on August 1.

CITY APPLICATION OF TAX CODE... The City grants an exemption to the market value of the residence homestead of persons 65 years of age or older of \$30,000; the disabled are also granted an exemption of \$30,000.

The City has granted an additional exemption of 6% of the market value of residence homestead of persons 65 years of age or older.

The City has granted an additional exemption of 5% of the market value of residence homesteads; minimum exemption of \$5,000.

The City has established a tax freeze for residents 65 years of age or older or the disabled, as may be done on a local option basis.

See Table 1 for a listing of the amounts of the exemptions described above.

Ad valorem taxes are not levied by the City against the exempt value of residence homesteads for the payment of debt.

The City does not tax nonbusiness personal property; and the Collin County Tax Assessor-Collector collects taxes for the City.

The City does not permit split payments, and discounts are not allowed.

The City does not tax freeport property, and the City does tax goods in transit.

The City does not collect the additional one-half cent sales tax for reduction of ad valorem taxes.

The City has not adopted a formal tax abatement policy.

CHAPTER 380 AGREEMENTS . . . The City has a policy in place relating to Chapter 380 economic development incentive programs, and has entered into eleven such agreements that have minimal impact on the City's finances.

TAX INCREMENT FINANCING ZONE . . . Reinvestment Zone Number One, City of Melissa (the "Zone") was created in September 2005, by the City with the consent of other taxing units overlapping the Zone. The 644-acre zone encompasses undeveloped agricultural land, existing residential, Villages of Melissa residential development, and Melissa Town Center. Ad valorem taxes on incremental growth in real property values (levied at the tax rates of each taxing unit assessing real property in the Zone) within the Zone from a base value established on January 1, 2005, are used to contribute to development of the Zone; these tax funds can be used only for public improvements in the Zone or for payment of debt service on bonds issued to provide funds for public improvements. The Zone terminates December 31, 2036, or at an earlier time designated by subsequent ordinance of the City Council, or at such time, subsequent to the issuance of any tax increment bonds, if any, that all project costs, tax increment bonds, notes, or other obligations of the Zone, and the interest thereon, have been paid in full. The base assessed value of real property within the Zone was \$15,845,914; the 2024/2025 assessed value is \$371,196,473, representing \$355,242,101 of incremental value. The City participates at 100% and Collin County participates at 50% of their respective tax increments within the Zone.

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$\begin{tabular}{ll} Table 1-Valuation, Exemptions and General Obligation Debt \\ \end{tabular}$

2024/25 Market Valuation Established by Collin Central Appraisal District (excluding totally exempt property)		\$ 4,631,553,897
Less Exemptions/Reductions at 100% Market Value: Over 65 and Disabled Homestead Exemption Disabled Veterans Exemption Agricultural Land Use Reductions Pollution Control Exemption Circuit-Breaker Limitation Homestead Exemption Freeport Exemption Solar	\$ 22,924,733 81,796,767 126,040,581 19,425,126 12,373,647 153,851,571 750,908 62,845	
Homestead Cap Adjustment	163,651,195	 580,877,373
2024/25 Taxable Assessed Valuation (including the value of Real Property within the Zone)		\$ 4,050,676,524
2024/25 Incremental Taxable Assessed Value of Real Property within the Zone		355,242,101
2024/25 Taxable Assessed Valuation (excluding the value of Real Property within the Zone)		\$ 3,695,434,423
Debt Payable from Ad Valorem Taxes (as of 6/1/25) Outstanding General Obligation Debt The Certificates	\$128,320,000 26,325,000 (1)	
Debt Payable from Ad Valorem Taxes as of 6/1/25		\$ 154,645,000
Less Self-Supporting Debt: ⁽²⁾ Melissa Community Development Corporation (4B) Supported Obligations Water Works and Sewer System Supported Obligations ⁽³⁾ Crime Control Prevention Supported Obligations ⁽³⁾ Fire Prevention Supported Obligations ⁽³⁾ Zone Supported Obligations		\$ 11,605,000 31,305,000 1,510,000 12,080,000 12,455,000
Net Funded Debt Payable From Ad Valorem Taxes		\$ 85,690,000
Interest and Sinking Fund as of 6/1/25		\$ 1,561,740
Ratio Tax-Supported Debt to Taxable Assessed Valuation		4.18% 2.32%

2025 Estimated Population - 25,000
Per Capita Taxable Assessed Valuation - \$147,817
Per Capita Funded Debt - \$6,186
Per Capita Net Funded Debt - \$3,428

⁽¹⁾ Preliminary, subject to change.

⁽²⁾ Ad valorem tax debt in the amounts shown for which repayment is provided from revenues of the respective revenue systems. The amount of self-supporting debt is based on the percentages of revenue support as shown in Table 10. If future revenues are insufficient to pay debt service, the City is obligated to levy an ad valorem tax to pay the debt service.

⁽³⁾ Includes a portion of the Certificates, preliminary subject to change.

TABLE 2 - TAXABLE ASSESSED VALUATIONS BY CATEGORY

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	2025		2024		2023	
		% of		% of		% of
Category	Amount	Total	Amount	Total	Amount	Total
Real, Residential, Single Family	\$3,556,532,561	76.79%	\$3,020,098,088	78.77%	\$2,306,516,516	79.26%
Real, Residential, Multi Family	303,521,545	6.55%	80,993,057	2.11%	9,919,166	0.34%
Real, Vacant Lots/Tracts	86,617,176	1.87%	95,282,346	2.49%	106,280,739	3.65%
Real, Acreage (Land Only)	126,267,243	2.73%	126,271,016	3.29%	114,520,863	3.94%
Real, Farm and Ranch Improvements	22,451,955	0.48%	35,516,915	0.93%	16,733,149	0.58%
Real, Commercial and Industrial	250,113,811	5.40%	152,578,539	3.98%	116,790,762	4.01%
Real and Intangible Personal, Utilities	12,488,246	0.27%	9,972,494	0.26%	8,396,545	0.29%
Tangible Personal, Business	95,881,422	2.07%	80,397,034	2.10%	98,469,829	3.38%
Tangible Personal, Other	77,700	0.00%	161,012	0.00%	214,448	0.01%
Real and Special Inventory	177,602,238	3.83%	232,846,582	6.07%	132,079,642	4.54%
Total Appraised Value Before Exemptions	\$4,631,553,897	100.00%	\$3,834,117,083	100.00%	\$2,909,921,659	100.00%
Less: Total Exemptions/Reductions	(580,877,373)		(650,437,606)		(438,118,932)	
Taxable Assessed Value	\$4,050,676,524 (1)		\$3,183,679,478 (2)		\$2,471,802,727 (3)	

Taxable Appraised Value for

	Fiscal Year Ended September 30,					
	2022		2021			
		% of		% of		
Category	Amount	Total	Amount	Total		
Real, Residential, Single Family	\$1,503,480,015	78.05%	\$1,184,566,799	74.62%		
Real, Residential, Multi Family	9,007,946	0.47%	8,517,661	0.54%		
Real, Vacant Lots/Tracts	58,542,616	3.04%	31,403,098	1.98%		
Real, Acreage (Land Only)	109,852,845	5.70%	113,425,084	7.14%		
Real, Farm and Ranch Improvements	9,699,567	0.50%	41,406,401	2.61%		
Real, Commercial and Industrial	88,644,153	4.60%	70,449,223	4.44%		
Real and Intangible Personal, Utilities	22,478,296	1.17%	19,203,952	1.21%		
Tangible Personal, Business	35,016,965	1.82%	33,393,098	2.10%		
Tangible Personal, Other	127,941	0.01%	57,612	0.00%		
Real and Special Inventory	89,366,293	4.64%	85,059,874	5.36%		
Total Appraised Value Before Exemptions	\$1,926,216,637	100.00%	\$1,587,482,802	100.00%		
Less: Total Exemptions/Reductions	(172,685,092)		(162,786,191)			
Taxable Assessed Value	\$1,753,531,545)	\$1,424,696,611)		

⁽¹⁾ Includes the incremental value of \$355,242,101 allocated within the Tax Increment Financing Zone.

NOTE: Valuations shown are certified taxable assessed values reported by the Collin Central Appraisal District to the State Comptroller of Public Accounts. Certified values are subject to change throughout the year as contested values are resolved and the Appraisal District updates records.

⁽²⁾ Includes the incremental value of \$294,612,970 allocated within the Tax Increment Financing Zone.

⁽³⁾ Includes the incremental value of \$270,643,931 allocated within the Tax Increment Financing Zone.

⁽⁴⁾ Includes the incremental value of \$230,694,837 allocated within the Tax Increment Financing Zone.

⁽⁵⁾ Includes the incremental value of \$199,067,318 allocated within the Tax Increment Financing Zone.

TABLE 3 - VALUATION AND GENERAL OBLIGATION DEBT HISTORY

				Tax	Ratio of Tax	Tax
Fiscal			Taxable	Supported	Supported Debt	Supported
Year		Taxable	Assessed	Debt	to Taxable	Debt
Ended	Estimated	Assessed	Valuation	Outstanding	Assessed	Per
9/30	Population (1)	Valuation (3)	Per Capita	at End of Year (4)	Valuation	Capita
2021	16,983	\$1,424,696,611	\$ 83,890	\$ 106,845,000	7.50%	\$ 6,291
2022	19,850	1,753,531,545	88,339	102,220,000	5.83%	5,150
2023	20,359	2,471,802,727	121,411	139,405,000	5.64%	6,847
2024	24,087	3,183,679,478	132,174	133,895,000	4.21%	5,559
2025	25,000 (2)	4,050,676,524	162,027	154,645,000 (5)	3.82%	6,186

⁽¹⁾ Information provided by North Texas Council of Governments and City Officials.

TABLE 4 - TAX RATE, LEVY AND COLLECTION HISTORY

Fiscal			Interest			
Year			and			
Ended	Tax	General	Sinking		% Current	% Total
9/30	Rate	Fund	Fund	Tax Levy	Collections	Collections
2021	\$ 0.609238	\$ 0.456352	\$ 0.152886	\$8,678,463	99.70%	99.60%
2022	0.568157	0.431031	0.137126	9,841,071	100.70%	100.00%
2023	0.456168	0.357805	0.098363	11,040,337	99.70%	99.70%
2024	0.454728	0.327056	0.127672	14,477,081	98.90%	98.90%
2025	0.454116	0.318300	0.135816	16,603,779	99.17% ⁽¹	98.40% (1)

⁽¹⁾ Collections for part year only, though June 1, 2025.

TABLE 5 - TEN LARGEST TAXPAYERS

	2024/25 Taxable	% of Total Taxable
Nature of Property	Assessed Valuation	Assessed Valuation (1)
Real Estate	\$ 52,054,080	1.29%
Building Materials	44,753,440	1.10%
Apartments	44,657,319	1.10%
Retail	44,652,355	1.10%
Apartments	41,133,586	1.02%
Real Estate	35,671,497	0.88%
Real Estate	31,181,485	0.77%
Retail	19,890,024	0.49%
Real Estate	18,354,289	0.45%
Grocery Store	18,246,444	0.45%
	\$350,594,519	8.66%
	Real Estate Building Materials Apartments Retail Apartments Real Estate Real Estate Retail Retail	Nature of Property Valuation Real Estate \$ 52,054,080 Building Materials 44,753,440 Apartments 44,657,319 Retail 44,652,355 Apartments 41,133,586 Real Estate 35,671,497 Real Estate 31,181,485 Retail 19,890,024 Real Estate 18,354,289 Grocery Store 18,246,444

⁽¹⁾ Calculations are based on the City's taxable valuation that includes the incremental value of \$355,242,101 allocated within the Tax Increment Financing Zone.

⁽²⁾ Estimate provided by City staff.

⁽³⁾ Values include the incremental value allocated within the Tax Increment Financing Reinvestment Zone #1.

⁽⁴⁾ Includes self-supporting debt.

⁽⁵⁾ Projected, includes the Certificates. Preliminary, subject to change.

GENERAL OBLIGATION DEBT LIMITATION... No general obligation debt limitation is imposed on the City under current State law or the City's Home Rule Charter (however, see "THE CERTIFICATES - Tax Rate Limitation").

TABLE	6-	TAX	ADEQUACY	(1)
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2025 Principal and Interest Requirements	6,505,568
\$0.1623 Tax Rate at 99% Collection Produces	6,508,506
Average Annual Principal and Interest Requirements, 2025 - 2050	5,279,064
\$0.1317 Tax Rate at 99% Collection Produces	5,281,394
Maximum Principal and Interest Requirements, 2028	6,768,562
\$0.1688 Tax Rate at 99% Collection Produces	6,769,167

⁽¹⁾ Includes a portion of the Certificates and does not include self-supporting debt. The City's policy to pay such self-supporting debt from other revenues is subject to change in the future. In the event the City changes its policy, or such revenues are not sufficient to pay debt service on such Certificates, the City will be required to levy an ad valorem tax to pay such debt service (see "Table 10 - Computation of Self-Supporting Debt"). Preliminary, subject to change.

TABLE 7 - ESTIMATED OVERLAPPING DEBT

Expenditures of the various taxing entities within the territory of the City are paid out of ad valorem taxes levied by such entities on properties within the City. Such entities are independent of the City and may incur borrowings to finance their expenditures. This statement of direct and estimated overlapping ad valorem tax Certificates ("Tax Debt") was developed from information contained in "Texas Municipal Reports" published by the Municipal Advisory Council of Texas. Except for the amounts relating to the City, the City has not independently verified the accuracy or completeness of such information, and no person should rely upon such information as being accurate or complete. Furthermore, certain of the entities listed may have issued additional Tax Debt since the date hereof, and such entities may have programs requiring the issuance of substantial amounts of additional Tax Debt, the amount of which cannot be determined. The following table reflects the estimated share of overlapping Tax Debt of the City.

					City's	
			Total		Overlapping	
	2025		Tax		Tax	Authorized
	Taxable	2025	Supported	Estimated	Supported	But Unissued
	Assessed	Tax	Debt	%	Debt	Debt As Of
Taxing Jurisdiction	Value	Rate	As of 6-1-25	Applicable	As of 6-1-25	6-1-25
City of Melissa	\$ 4,050,676,524	\$ 0.454116	\$ 85,690,000 (1)	100.00%	\$ 85,690,000 (1)	\$ 4,080,000
Collin County	251,108,780,615	0.14900	776,095,000	1.39%	10,787,721	485,139,864
Collin County Community College District	226,124,750,589	0.08100	865,000	39.00%	337,350	-
Melissa Independent School District	4,629,529,615	1.25500	501,220,000	78.45%	393,207,090	93,000,000
Total Direct and Overlapping Tax Debt					\$490,022,161	
Ratio of Direct and Overlapping Tax Debt to Taxable Assessed Valuation					12.10%	
Per Capita Direct and Overlapping Tax Debt					\$ 19,600.89	

⁽¹⁾ Includes a portion of the Certificates and does not include self-supporting debt. In the event the City changes its policy, or such revenues are not sufficient to pay debt service on such Certificates, the City will be required to levy an ad valorem tax to pay such debt service (see "Table 10 - Computation of Self-Supporting Debt").

TABLE 8 - PRO FORMA GENERAL OBLIGATION DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS

						Less: Self-	Less: Self-	Less: Self-	Less: Self-	Less: Self-		
					Total Tax-	Supporting	Supporting (4B)	Supporting	Supporting	Supporting	Net Tax-	
					Supported	Water and	Community	Tax Increment	Crime Control	Fire	Supported	% of
Fiscal	Outstand	ling Debt (1)	The Cert	ificates (2)	Debt Service	Sewer Debt	Development	Financing Zone	Prevention	Prevention	Debt Service	Principal
Year	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Requirements	Requirements (Requirements	Requirements	Requirements	Requirements (Requirements	Retired
2025	\$ 5,575,000	\$5,333,715	\$ -	\$ -	\$10,908,715	\$ 2,180,034	\$ 973,406	\$ 1,249,706	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 6,505,568	
2026	5,935,000	4,895,296	655,000	1,108,428	12,593,723	2,701,337	972,615	1,243,331	103,523	808,648	6,764,269	
2027	5,945,000	4,674,013	600,000	1,167,020	12,386,033	2,675,418	917,837	1,124,581	101,815	810,555	6,755,826	
2028	6,205,000	4,441,644	625,000	1,138,845	12,410,489	2,679,849	918,006	1,131,306	100,205	812,560	6,768,562	
2029	5,910,000	4,204,923	655,000	1,109,405	11,879,328	2,524,983	916,075	1,121,106	103,480	808,990	6,404,694	20.04%
2030	6,135,000	3,964,449	685,000	1,078,585	11,863,034	2,516,104	911,725	1,118,956	101,640	809,845	6,404,764	
2031	6,430,000	3,713,393	720,000	1,046,270	11,909,663	2,528,593	911,362	1,135,156	99,800	810,010	6,424,742	
2032	6,680,000	3,453,662	755,000	1,012,345	11,901,007	2,522,649	910,825	1,130,381	102,845	809,485	6,424,822	
2033	6,475,000	3,195,221	790,000	976,810	11,437,031	2,117,039	915,172	1,125,147	100,775	813,155	6,365,744	
2034	6,745,000	2,936,491	825,000	939,665	11,446,156	2,126,410	908,600	1,133,538	98,705	811,020	6,367,884	42.66%
2035	6,200,000	2,683,491	865,000	900,795	10,649,286	1,965,991	911,044	478,609	101,520	808,195	6,383,927	
2036	6,285,000	2,437,546	900,000	860,200	10,482,746	1,966,143	907,487	480,909	99,220	809,565	6,219,421	
2037	5,745,000	2,198,476	950,000	817,650	9,711,126	1,586,766	780,519	487,463	101,805	810,015	5,944,559	
2038	5,315,000	1,983,756	990,000	773,030	9,061,786	1,594,509	781,225	484,475	99,275	809,545	5,292,757	
2039	5,520,000	1,783,166	1,045,000	726,225	9,074,391	1,591,944	777,347	482,147	101,630	813,040	5,308,283	63.76%
2040	5,720,000	1,583,453	1,095,000	677,005	9,075,458	1,592,698	777,766	489,256	103,755	810,500	5,301,484	
2041	5,270,000	1,391,319	1,145,000	625,485	8,431,804	1,483,605	316,425	412,113	100,765	811,925	5,306,971	
2042	5,475,000	1,191,963	1,200,000	571,550	8,438,513	1,482,701	317,300	414,609	102,660	812,200	5,309,043	
2043	5,695,000	973,022	1,250,000	515,200	8,433,222	1,477,775	316,500	415,313	99,440	811,325	5,312,869	
2044	4,580,000	767,550	1,310,000	456,320	7,113,870	1,009,510	320,200	292,700	101,105	809,300	4,581,055	84.20%
2045	4,770,000	576,556	1,375,000	394,565	7,116,121	1,013,250	318,400	291,900	102,540	811,010	4,579,021	
2046	4,710,000	380,738	1,435,000	329,935	6,855,673	1,015,270	316,200	290,700	98,860	811,340	4,323,303	
2047	2,545,000	227,841	1,505,000	262,315	4,540,156	540,270	-	_	100,065	810,290	3,089,531	
2048	2,660,000	115,591	1,575,000	191,475	4,542,066	538,650	-	_	101,040	812,745	3,089,631	
2049	1,370,000	29,113	1,650,000	117,300	3,166,413	540,995	-	_	101,785	808,705	1,714,928	98.92%
2050			1,725,000	39,675	1,764,675	542,190			102,300	808,170	312,015	100.00%
	\$133,895,000	\$ 59,136,385	\$26,325,000	\$17,836,098	\$ 237,192,483	\$ 44,514,681	\$ 16,096,037	\$ 33,066,807	\$ 2,530,553	\$ 20,262,138	\$137,255,671	

^{(1) &}quot;Outstanding Debt" does not include lease/purchase obligations, includes self-supporting debt.
(2) Average life of the Certificates is 15.071 Years. Interest on the Certificates has been calculated at the rate of 4.60% for purposes of illustration. Preliminary, subject to change.
(3) Includes a portion of the Certificates. Preliminary, subject to change.

TABLE 9 - INTEREST AND SINKING FUND BUDGET PROJECTION

Net Tax-Supported Debt Service Requirements, Fiscal Year Ending 9/30/2025 (1)
Interest and Sinking Fund Balance as of 9/30/24
Transfer In - 4B CDC
Transfer In - TIF Fund
Transfer In - Park Development Fee
Transfer In - Road Impact Fee
Budgeted Interest and Sinking Fund Tax Levy
Estimated Balance, 9/30/25
(1) Excludes self-supporting water and sewer debt.
TABLE 10 - COMPUTATION OF SELF-SUPPORTING DEBT
Waterworks and Sewer System
Revenue Available for Debt Service from Waterworks and Sewer System, Fiscal Year Ended 9-30-24
Balance Available for Other Purposes \$ 5,615,689
System Ad Valorem Tax Debt Requirements 2025 Fiscal Year
Balance
Percentage of System General Obligation Bonds Self-Supporting
Community Development Corporation
Revenue Available for Debt Service from Community Development Corporation Fund, Fiscal Year Ended 9-30-24 \$ 2,415,543
Community Development Corporation Ad Valorem Tax Debt Requirements, 2025 Fiscal Year
Balance
Percentage of Community Development Corporation General Obligation Bonds, Self-Supporting
Tax Increment Financing Zone
Revenue Available for Debt Service from Tax Increment Financing Zone Fund, Fiscal Year Ended 9-30-24
Tax Increment Financing Zone Ad Valorem Tax Debt Requirements, 2025 Fiscal Year
Balance
Percentage of Tax Increment Financing Zone General Obligation Bonds, Self-Supporting

NOTE: It is the City's current policy to pay the self-supporting debt listed in the Table above from the respective revenues sources listed above. Such policy, however, is subject to change in the future. In the event the City changes its policy, or such revenues are not sufficient to pay debt service on such obligations, the City will be required to levy an ad valorem tax to pay such debt service.

TABLE 11 - AUTHORIZED BUT UNISSUED GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS

			Amount	Amount	
	Date	Amount	Previously	Being	Unissued
Purpose	Authorized	Authorized	Issued	Issued	Balance
Street and Road Improvements	11/6/2007	\$19,100,000	\$17,470,000	\$ -	\$ 1,630,000
City Building	5/4/2024	2,450,000			2,450,000
		\$21,550,000	\$17,470,000	\$ -	\$ 4,080,000

ANTICIPATED ISSUANCE OF ADDITIONAL GENERAL OBLIGATION DEBT . . . The City does not anticipate the issuance of any additional general obligation debt in the next 12 months.

TABLE 12 – OTHER OBLIGATIONS

The City has entered into certain capital lease agreements and other financing arrangements. The following is a schedule of future minimum lease payments and unsecured note payments as of September 30, 2024.

in lease payments and unsecured note payments as of september 30, 2021.	
Financing Arrangements	
\$634,768 financing arrangements for the purchase of a Ferrara pumper and	
equipment. Payments are made annually at \$72,825 through 2028, interest at	
3.21%.	\$ 269,526
\$861, 000 financing arrangements for the purchase of a fire truck. Payments are	
made annually at \$66,908 through 2036, interest at 1.98%.	708,440
\$580,000 financing arrangements for the purchase of a fire truck. Payments are	
made annually at \$75,021 through 2033, interest at 1.98%.	533,834
\$900,000 financing arrangements for the purchase of a ten police vehicles.	
Payments are made annually and range from \$211 thousand to \$238 thousand	
through 2027, interest at 6.23%.	900,000
Total Financing Arrangements - Governmental Activities	\$ 2,411,800
Leases	
The City has entered into various lease agreements for vehicles and is required to	
make monthly fixed payments. The interest rates range from 0.2480% to	
2.3660%.	\$ 627,606
Total Leases - Governmental Activities	\$ 627,606
Leases	
The City has entered into various lease agreements for vehicles and is required to	
make monthly fixed payments. The interest rates range from 0.2480% to	
2.3660%.	\$ 383,992
Total Leases - Business-type Activities	\$ 383,992

PENSION FUND... The City participates as one of 934 plans in the defined benefit cash-balance plan administered by the Texas Municipal Retirement System (TMRS). TMRS is a statewide public retirement plan created by the State of Texas and administered in accordance with the TMRS Act, Subtitle G, Title 8, Texas Government Code (the TMRS Act) as an agent multiple-employer retirement system for employees of Texas participating cities. The TMRS Act places the general administration and management of the System with a six-member Board of Trustees; however, TMRS is not fiscally dependent on the State of Texas. Although the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoints the Board, TMRS is not fiscally dependent on the State of Texas. TMRS issues a publicly available annual comprehensive financial report (ACFR) that can be obtained at www.tmrs.org.

All eligible employees of the City are required to participate in TMRS.

<u>Benefits Provided</u>...TMRS provides retirement, disability, and death benefits. Benefit provisions are adopted by the governing body of the City, within the options available in the state statutes governing TMRS. At retirement, the member's benefit is calculated based on the sum of the member's contributions, with interest, the city-financed monetary credits with interest. The retiring member may select one of seven monthly benefit payment options. Members may also choose to receive a portion of their benefit as a lump sum distribution in an amount equal to 12, 24 or 36 monthly payments, which cannot exceed 75% of the total member contributions and interest.

The plan provisions are adopted by the governing body of the City, within the options available in the state statutes governing TMRS. The plan provisions for the City were as follows: TMRS. The plan provisions for the City were as follows:

Employee deposit rate	7.0%
Matching ratio (city to employee)	2 to 1
Years required for vesting	5
Retirement eligibility (age/service)	60/5, 0/20
Updated Service Credit	100% repeating, Transfers
Retiree Cost of Living Adjustment	70% of CPI

<u>Employees Covered by Benefit Terms</u> . . . At the December 31, 2023 valuation and measurement date, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

Inactive Employees or Beneficiaries Currently Receving Benefits	28
Inactive Employees Entitled to But Not Yet Receving Benefits	50
Active Employees	83
	161

<u>Contributions</u>... Member contribution rates in TMRS are either 5%, 6% or 7% of the member's total compensation, and the city matching percentages are either 100%, 150%, or 200%, both as adopted by the governing body of the city. Under the state law governing TMRS, the contribution rate for each city is determined annually by the actuary, using the Entry Age Normal (EAN) actuarial cost method. The city's contribution rate is based on the liabilities created from the benefit plan options selected by the city and any changes in benefits or actual experience over time.

Employees for the City were required to contribute 7% of their annual compensation during the fiscal year. The contribution rates for the City were 17.46% and 17.49% in calendar years 2023 and 2024, respectively. The City's contributions to TMRS for the year ended September 30, 2024, were \$1,368,468,and were equal to the required contributions.

<u>Net Pension Liability</u>... The City's Net Pension Liability (NPL) was measured as of December 31, 2023, and the Total Pension Liability (TPL) used to calculate the Net Pension Liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date.

<u>Actuarial Assumptions</u>... he Total Pension Liability in the December 31, 2023, actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions:

Inflation 2.50% per year Overall payroll growth 2.75% per year

Investment Rate of Return 6.75%, net of pension plan investment expense, including inflation

Salary increases are based on a service-related table. Mortality rates for active members are based on the PUB(10) mortality tables with the Public Safety table used for males and the General Employee table used for females. Mortality rates for healthy retirees and beneficiaries are based on the Gender-distinct 2019 Municipal Retirees of Texas mortality tables. The rates for actives, healthy retirees and beneficiaries are projected on a fully generational basis by Scale UMP to account for future mortality improvements. For disabled annuitants, the same mortality tables for healthy retirees are used with a 4- year set-forward for males and a 3-year set forward for females. In addition, a 3.5% and 3.0%minimum mortality rate is applied, for males and females respectively, to reflect the impairment for younger members who become disabled. The rates are projected on a fully generational basis by Scale MP-2021 to account for future mortality improvements subject to the 3% floor.

The actuarial assumptions were developed primarily from the actuarial investigation of the experience of TMRS over the four-year period from December 31, 2018 to December 31, 2022. The assumptions were adopted in 2023 and first used in the December 31, 2023, actuarial valuation. The post-retirement mortality assumption for Annuity Purchase Rates (APRs) is based on the Mortality Experience Investigation Study covering 2009 through 2011 and dated December 31, 2013. Plan assets are managed on a total return basis with an emphasis on both capital appreciation as well as the production of income to satisfy the short-term and long-term funding needs of TMRS.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined by best estimate ranges of expected returns for each major asset class. The long-term expected rate of return is determined by weighting the expected return for each major asset class by the respective target asset allocation percentage. The target allocation and best estimates of the expected return for each major asset class in fiscal year 2024 are summarized in the following table:

		Long-Term Expected
	Target	Real Rate of Return
Asset Class	Allocation	(Arithmetic)
Global Public Equity	35%	7.70%
Core Fixed Income	6%	4.90%
Non-Core Fixed Income	20%	8.70%
Other Publice and Private Markets	12%	8.10%
Real Estate	12%	5.80%
Hedge Funds	5%	6.90%
Private Equity	10%	11.80%
Total	100%	

<u>Discount Rate</u>... The discount rate used to measure the Total Pension Liability was 6.75%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that employee and employer contributions will be made at the rates specified in statute. Based on that assumption, the pension plan's Fiduciary Net Position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current active and inactive employees. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all period of projected benefit payments to determine the Total Pension Liability.

Changes in the Net Pension Liability

-	Total Pension Plan Fiduciary Liability (a) Net Position (b)		Net Pension Liability (a)-(b)	
Balance at 12/31/2022	\$ 12,013,733	\$ 8,548,445	\$ 3,465,288	
Changes for the year:				
Service cost	1,206,010	-	1,206,010	
Interest	841,851	-	841,851	
Difference between expected and			-	
actual experience	357,071	-	357,071	
Change in assumptions	29,268	-	29,268	
Contributions - employer	-	1,133,312	(1,133,312)	
Contributions - employee	-	454,363	(454,363)	
Net investment income	-	997,946	(997,946)	
Benefit payments, including			-	
refunds of employee contributions	(289,729)	(289,729)	-	
Administrative expense	-	(6,294)	6,294	
Other changes		(44)	44	
Net changes	2,144,471	2,289,554	(145,083)	
Balance at 12/31/2023	\$ 14,158,204	\$ 10,837,999	\$ 3,320,205	

Sensitivity of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the net pension liability of the City, calculated using the discount rate of 6.75%, as well as what the City's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (5.75%) or 1-percentage-point higher (7.75%) than the current rate:

	1% Decrease in		1% Increase in
	Discount Rate	Discount Rate	Discount Rate
	(5.75%)	(6.75%)	(7.75%)
City's Net Pension Liability	\$ 5,841,950	\$3,320,205	\$1,301,984

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the pension plan's Fiduciary Net Position is available in the Schedule of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position, by Participating City. That report may be obtained at tmrs.com.

Pension Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

For the year ended September 30, 2024, the City recognized pension expense of \$1,236,254.

At September 30, 2024, the City reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

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	j	Deferred	Dei	errea
	O	utflows of	Inflo	ows of
	Resources		Resources	
Differences between projected and actual economic experience	\$	552,963	\$	-
Changes in actuarial assumptions		23,158		-
Difference between projected and actual investment earnings		187,460		-
Contributions subsequent to the measurement date		1,069,748		-
Total	\$	1.833.329	\$	-

\$1,069,748 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction to the net pension liability for the year ending September 30, 2024. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year ended	
December 31:	
2025	\$ 276,611
2026	236,744
2027	270,693
2028	 (20,467)
	\$ 763,581

OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS . . . The City voluntarily participates in the Texas Municipal Retirement System Supplemental Death Benefits Fund (TMRS SDBF). The SDBF is a single-employer defined benefit Other Postemployment Benefit (OPEB) plan as defined by GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions. No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75. It is established and administered in accordance with the TMRS Act identically to the City's pension plan.

The SDBF provides group-term life insurance to City employees who are active members in TMRS, including or not including retirees. The City Council opted into this program via an ordinance, and may terminate coverage under, and discontinue participation in, the SDBF by adopting an ordinance before November 1 of any year to be effective the following January 1. Payments from this fund are similar to group-term life insurance benefits and are paid to the designated beneficiaries upon the receipt of an approved application for payment. The death benefit for active employees provides a lump-sum payment approximately equal to the employee's annual salary (calculated based on the employee's actual earnings for the 12-month period preceding the month of death). The death benefit for retirees is considered an other employment benefit and is a fixed amount of \$7,500.

The number of employees currently covered by the benefit terms is as follows:

Inactive employees or beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	21
Inactive employees entitled to but not yet receiving benefits	4
Active employees	83
Total	108

The City contributes to the SDBF at a contractually required rate as determined by an annual actuarial valuation, which was 0.22% and 0.19% for the calendar years 2023 and 2024, of which 0.06% and 0.03% represented the retiree-only portion for each year, as a percentage of annual covered payroll. The rate is equal to the cost of providing one-year term life insurance. The funding policy for the SDBF program is to assure that adequate resources are available to meet all death benefit payments for the upcoming year; the intent is not to prefund retiree term life insurance during employees' entire careers. The City's retiree-only portion of contributions to the SDBF for the years ended September 30, 2024 was \$3,895, representing contributions for both active and retiree coverage, which equaled the required contributions.

Total OPEB Liability

Inflation

The City's total OPEB liability was measured as of December 31, 2023 and was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date

Within the governmental activities, the General Fund generally liquidates the total OPEB liability. In the business-type activities, the total OPEB liability is liquidated by the Utility Fund.

The SDBF program is treated as an unfunded OPEB plan because the SDBF trust covers both actives and retirees and the assets are not segregated for these groups.

he Total OPEB Liability in the December 31, 2023 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions:

2.50% per year

to the floor.

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Salary Increases	3.60% to 11.85%, including inflation
	3.77% (Based on Fidelity Index's 20-Year Municipal
Discount Rate	GO AA Index as of December 31, 2023)
Administrative expenses	All administrative expenses are paid through the
	Pension Trust and accounted for under reporting
	requirements under GASB Statement No. 68
Mortality Rates - Service Retirees	2019 Municipal Retirees of Texas Mortality Tables.
	Male rates are multiplied by 103% and female rates are multiplied
	by 105%. The rates are projected on a fully generational
	basis by the most recent Scale MP-2021 (with immediate convergence).
Mortality Rates - Disabled Retirees	2019 Municipal Retirees of Texas Mortality Tables
	with a 4 year set-forward for males and a 3 year set-forward
	for females. In addition, a 3.5% and 3% minimum mortality
	rate will be applied to reflect the impairment for younger
	members who became disabled for males and females,
	respectively. The rates are projected on a fully

Changes in the Total OPEB Liability

	Total OPEB	
	Liability	
Balance at 12/31/2022	\$	93,272
Changes for the year:		
Service cost		9,736
Interest		3,896
Difference between expected and		
actual experience		3,568
Changes of assumptions and other inputs		5,912
Benefit payments**		(3,895)
Net changes		19,217
Balance at 12/31/2023	\$	112,489

generational basis with scale MP-2021 (with immediate convergence)

to account for future mortality improvements subject

The following presents the total OPEB liability of the City, calculated using the discount rate of 3.77%, as well as what the City's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (2.77%) or 1-percentage-point higher (4.77%) than the current rate:

		,	Current			
1%	Decrease	Dis	count Rate	1%	Increase	
(2.77%)		((3.77%)		(4.77%)	
\$	138,468	\$	112,489	\$	92,640	

^{**}Due to the SDBF being considered an unfunded OPEB plan under GASB 75, benefit payments are treated as being equal to the employer's yearly contributions for retirees.

For the year ended September 30, 2024, the City recognized OPEB expense of \$8,804, which is attributable to governmental and business-type activities in the amounts of \$7,536 and \$1,268, respectively. At September 30, 2024, the City reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources relate to OPEB for the following sources:

Deferr	Deferred Outflows		ed (Inflows)		
of I	of Resources		of Resources of Resou		Resources
\$	7,510	\$	15,577		
	23,621		43,661		
	1,835		-		
\$	32,966	\$	59,238		
		\$ 7,510 23,621 1,835	of Resources of F \$ 7,510 \$ 23,621 1,835		

\$1,835 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB resulting from contributions subsequent to the measurement date are due to benefit payments the City paid with own assets and will be recognized as a reduction of the total OPEB liability for the year ending September 30, 2024. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

Year ended December 31:	
2025	\$ (5,120)
2026	(4,841)
2027	(3,207)
2028	(5,751)
2029	(7,705)
Thereafter	(1,482)
	\$ (28,106)

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FINANCIAL INFORMATION

TABLE 13 - CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

	Fiscal Year Ended September 30,				
Revenues:	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Program Revenues					
Charges for Services	\$ 6,985,143	\$ 6,298,386	\$ 8,352,232	\$ 7,503,525	\$ 5,200,962
Operating Grants and Contributions	843,373	1,223,701	2,301,417	2,374,123	1,616,015
Capital Grants and Contributions	10,864,405	10,931,063	34,391,620	4,326,135	3,043,002
General Revenues					
Ad Valorem Tax	14,680,643	11,495,048	10,297,940	9,115,965	7,589,577
Sales Tax	4,553,482	4,241,325	3,238,202	2,322,384	1,701,033
Franchise Tax	1,204,204	903,662	758,113	605,730	582,322
Investment Earnings	4,830,416	3,549,781	414,674	147,444	465,833
Miscellaneous	85,646	58,960	394,275	188,369	154,863
Total Revenues	\$ 44,047,312	\$ 38,701,926	\$ 60,148,473	\$26,583,675	\$20,353,607
Expenses:					
General Government	\$ 12,236,798	\$ 7,923,619	\$ 7,853,885	\$ 7,350,845	\$ 4,819,582
Public Safety	9,769,117	7,801,736	5,777,956	4,427,971	4,055,271
Public Works	2,997,765	2,164,445	2,333,412	2,586,446	2,696,262
Culture and Recreation	3,283,626	2,853,551	2,835,042	2,171,244	1,683,388
Interest on Long-Term Debt	4,328,710	2,453,337	2,546,627	2,025,257	1,811,506
Bond issuance costs	-	127,453	-	-	-
Total Expenses	\$ 32,616,016	\$ 23,324,141	\$ 21,346,922	\$18,561,763	\$15,066,009
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets Before Transfers	\$ 11,431,296	\$ 15,377,785	\$ 38,801,551	\$ 8,021,912	\$ 5,287,598
Gain on sale of capital assets	-	8,393	-	-	-
Transfers	5,072,765	441,447	(2,162,371)	3,835,928	1,081,188
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets	\$ 16,504,061	\$ 15,827,625	\$ 36,639,180	\$11,857,840	\$ 6,368,786
Net Assets - October 1	112,515,115	96,687,490	53,018,776	41,160,936	34,792,150
Prior Year Adjustments			7,029,534		
Net Assets - September 30	\$129,019,176	\$ 112,515,115	\$ 96,687,490	\$53,018,776	\$41,160,936

TABLE 13A - GENERAL FUND REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES HISTORY

	Fiscal Year Ended September 30,				
Revenues	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Property Taxes	\$ 9,484,939	\$ 7,850,066	\$ 6,390,150	\$ 5,477,273	\$ 4,633,642
Sales Taxes	4,553,482	4,241,325	3,238,202	2,322,384	1,701,033
Franchise Taxes	1,204,204	903,662	758,113	605,730	582,322
License and Permits	4,385,202	3,506,507	5,641,596	3,605,921	2,465,803
Platting & Development	1,325,341	1,742,595	1,269,674	1,028,280	719,751
Charges for Services	246,437	187,761	136,663	124,293	93,516
Lease Revenue	109,975	97,886	108,118	100,049	109,889
Intergovernmental	216,800	598,102	1,736,269	1,628,780	863,363
Fines and Warrants	940,863	618,256	623,494	485,031	383,892
Road Impact Fees	6,011,692	4,484,316	7,912,009	2,521,026	2,643,002
Park development fees	3,202,000	3,914,075	6,377,000	2,260,000	· · · · -
Interest	3,170,264	2,163,903	210,915	84,899	270,572
Miscellaneous	85,646	58,960	382,694	89,492	2,251,097
Total Revenues	\$34,936,845	\$30,367,414	\$34,784,897	\$20,333,158	\$16,717,882
Expenditures					
General Government	\$10,557,563	\$ 7,410,791	\$ 7,251,293	\$ 4,988,290	\$ 4,508,859
Public Safety	8,487,296	7,193,256	5,185,069	4,042,196	3,722,149
Street	2,035,185	974,358	1,599,869	365,785	317,422
Culture and Recreation	688,899	1,567,609	439,418	1,490,575	1,159,517
Capital Outlay	8,506,918	905,337	3,200,718	3,784,244	814,059
Debt Service:					
Principal	499,411	513,536	313,004	151,537	146,082
Interest	105,420	40,633	38,648	25,684	31,139
Bond Issuance Expense	-	-	-	98,136	-
Total Expenditures	\$30,880,692	\$18,605,520	\$18,028,019	\$14,946,447	\$10,699,227
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues					
Over Expenditures	\$ 4,056,153	\$11,761,894	\$16,756,878	\$ 5,386,711	\$ 6,018,655
Other Financing Sources (Uses):					
Capital Lease Proceeds	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Sale of Capital Assets	-	8,393	28,605	5,287,922	69,829
Lease Issuance	276,172	367,838	161,885	861,000	-
Bond Issuance	900,000	580,000	-	8,460,000	-
Bond Premium	-	-	-	1,456,654	-
Payment to Refunding Escrow Agent	-	-	-	(315,000)	_
Transfers In	2,948,177	441,447	406,518	3,835,928	193,187
Transfers Out	(1,728,080)	(919,544)	(2,599,320)	(13,552,919)	(2,833,864)
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues					
and Other Financing Sources	\$ 6,452,422	\$12,240,028	\$ 14,754,566	\$11,420,296	\$ 3,447,807
Beginning Fund Balance	52,125,826	39,885,798	26,632,443	15,212,147	11,764,340
Prior Year Adjustments	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	(1,501,211)	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Ending Fund Balance	\$58,578,248	\$52,125,826	\$39,885,798	\$26,632,443	\$15,212,147

TABLE 14 - MUNICIPAL SALES TAX HISTORY

The City has adopted the Municipal Sales and Use Tax Act, Texas, Tax Code, Chapter 321, which grants the City the power to impose and levy a 1% Local Sales and Use Tax within the City; the proceeds are credited to the General Fund and are not pledged to the payment of the Certificates. Collections and enforcements are effected through the offices of the Comptroller of Public Accounts, State of Texas, who remits the proceeds of the tax, after deduction of a 2% service fee, to the City monthly.

Fiscal				
Year		% of	Equivalent of	
Ended	Total	Ad Valorem	Ad Valorem	Per
9/30	Collected	Tax Levy	Tax Rate	Capita
2021	\$2,320,608	26.74%	\$ 0.1629	\$ 136.64
2022	3,235,944	32.88%	0.1845	163.02
2023	4,241,325	38.42%	0.1716	208.33
2024	4,553,482	31.45%	0.1430	189.04
2025	2,904,536 (1)	17.49%	0.0717	116.18

⁽¹⁾ Collections through June 1, 2025.

In May, 1993, the voters of the City approved the imposition of an additional sales and use tax of one-half of one percent (½ of 1%) for economic development. In August 1996, the voters of the City approved the imposition of an additional sales and use tax of one-half of one percent (1/2 of 1%) for park and recreational facilities development. In May of 2024, the voters of the City approved the reallocation of the one-half of one percent (1/2 of 1%) 4A Economic Development Corporation to one-quarter of one percent (1/4 of 1%) for Crime Control and Prevention District, and one-quarter of one percent (1/4 of 1%) for Fire Control Prevention and Emergency District effective October 1, 2024.

Fiscal				
Year	4A	4B		
Ended	Sales Tax	Sales Tax	Crime	Fire
9/30	Collected	Collected (1)	Control (1)	Prevention (1)
2021	\$ 1,160,304	\$1,160,304	\$ -	\$ -
2022	1,617,972	1,617,972	-	-
2023	2,120,663	2,120,663	-	-
2024	2,276,741	2,276,741	-	-
2025	-	1,452,268	726,134	726,134

⁽¹⁾ Collections through June 1, 2025.

The sales tax breakdown for the City is as follows:

4B Economic and Community Development	0.500%
City Sales & Use Tax	1.000%
Crime Control and Prevention	0.250%
Fire Control Prevention and Emergency District	0.250%
State Sales & Use Tax	6.250%
Total	8.250%

FINANCIAL POLICIES

Additionally, the City maintains several different financial policies that are reviewed annually and included in the City's annual budget.

<u>Basis of Accounting</u>... All governmental funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Their revenues are recognized when they become measurable and available as net current assets. Gross receipts and sales taxes are considered "measurable" when in the hands of intermediary collecting governments and are recognized as revenues at that time. All major revenues are susceptible to accrual.

Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified basis of accounting when the related fund liability is incurred. Exceptions to this general rule include accumulated unpaid vacation which are not accrued and principal and interest on general long-term debt which is recognized when due.

All proprietary funds are accounted for using the accrual basis of accounting. Their revenues are recognized when they are earned, and their expenses are recognized when they are incurred.

<u>Budgetary Procedures</u> . . . The City follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements: Prior to July 1, the City Secretary submits to the City Council a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing the following October 1. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them. Public hearings are conducted to obtain taxpayer comments. Prior to October 1, the budget is legally enacted through the passage of an ordinance. The City Secretary is authorized to transfer budgeted amounts between departments within any fund; any revisions that alter the total expenditures of any fund must be approved by the City Council. Budgets for the General and Proprietary Funds are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). Unused appropriations for all of the above annually budgeted funds lapse at the end of the fiscal year.

INVESTMENTS

The City invests its investable funds in investments authorized by Texas law and in accordance with investment policies approved by the City Council. Both State law and the City's investment policies are subject to change.

LEGAL INVESTMENTS . . . Under State law, the City is authorized to invest in: (1) obligations, including letters of credit, of the United States or its agencies and instrumentalities, including the Federal Home Loan Banks; (2) direct obligations of the State or its agencies and instrumentalities; (3) collateralized mortgage obligations 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 are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by, or backed by the full faith and credit of, the State or the United States or their respective agencies and instrumentalities, including obligations that are fully guaranteed or insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (the "FDIC") 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) interest-bearing banking deposits that are guaranteed or insured by the FDIC or the National Credit Union Share Insurance Fund (the "NCUSIF") or their respective successors; (8) interest-bearing banking deposits, other than those described in clause (7), that (i) are invested through a broker or institution with a main office or branch office in this state and selected by the City in compliance with the PFIA, (ii) the broker or institution arranges for the deposit of the funds in one or more federally insured depository institutions, wherever located, for the City's account, (iii) the full amount of the principal and accrued interest of the banking deposits is insured by the United States or an instrumentality of the United States, and (iv) the City appoints as its custodian of the banking deposits, in compliance with the PFIA, the institution in clause (8)(i) above, a bank, or a broker-dealer; (9) certificates of deposit and share certificates meeting the requirements of the PFIA (i) that are issued by an institution that has its main office or a branch office in the State and are guaranteed or insured by the FDIC or the NCUSIF, or their respective successors, or are secured as to principal by obligations described in clauses (1) through (8), above, or secured in accordance with Chapter 2257, Texas Government Code, or in any other manner and amount provided by law for City deposits, or (ii) where (a) the funds are invested by the City through a broker or institution that has a main office or branch office in the State and selected by the City in compliance with the PFIA, (b) the broker or institution arranges for the deposit of the funds in one or more federally insured depository institutions, wherever located, for the account of the City, (c) the full amount of the principal and accrued interest of each of the certificates of deposit is insured by the United States or an instrumentality of the United States; and (d) the City appoints, in compliance with the PFIA, the institution in clause (9)(ii)(a) above, a bank, or brokerdealer as custodian for the City with respect to the certificates of deposit; (10) fully collateralized repurchase agreements that have a defined termination date, are secured by a combination of cash and obligations described by clause (1) which are pledged to the City, held in the City's name, and deposited at the time the investment is made with the City or with a third party selected and approved by the City, and are placed through a primary government securities dealer, as defined by the Federal Reserve, or a financial institution doing business in the State; (11) certain bankers' acceptances with a stated maturity of 270 days or less, if the short-term obligations of the accepting bank, or of the holding company of which the bank is the largest subsidiary, are rated not less than "A-1" or "P-1" or the equivalent by at least one nationally recognized credit rating agency; (12) commercial paper with a stated maturity of 270 days or less that is rated at least "A-1" or "P-1" or an equivalent by either (i) two nationally recognized credit rating agencies, or (ii) one nationally recognized credit rating agency if the commercial paper is fully secured by an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a United States or state bank; (13) no-load money market mutual funds registered with and regulated by the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and complies with Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 2a-7; (14) no-load mutual funds that are registered and regulated by the Securities and Exchange Commission that have a weighted maturity of less than two years and either (i) have a duration of one year or more and are invested exclusively in obligations approved in this paragraph, or (ii) have a duration of less than one year and the investment portfolio is limited to investment grade securities, excluding asset backed securities; (15) guaranteed investment contracts that have a defined termination date and are secured by obligations described in clause (1), excluding obligations which the City is explicitly prohibited from investing in, and in an amount at least equal to the amount of bond proceeds invested under such contract; and (16) securities lending programs if (i) the securities loaned under the program are 100% collateralized, including accrued income, (ii) a loan made under the program allows for termination at any time, (iii) a loan made under the program is either secured by (a) obligations described in clauses (1) through (8) 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 (8) above, clauses (12) through (14) above, or an authorized investment pool, (iv) the terms of a loan made under the program require that the securities being held as collateral be pledged to the City, held in the City's name, and deposited at the time the investment is made with the City or with a third party designated by the City, (v) a loan made under the program is placed through either a primary government securities dealer or a financial institution doing business in the State, and (vi) the agreement to lend securities has a term of one year or less.

The City 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 City may also contract with an investment management firm registered under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. Section 80b-1 et seq.) or with the State Securities Board to provide for the investment and management of its public funds or other funds under its control for a term up to two years, but the City retains ultimate responsibility as fiduciary of its assets. In order to renew or extend such a contract, the City must do so by order, ordinance, or resolution.

INVESTMENT POLICIES . . . Under Texas law, the City 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 City 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 City funds must be invested consistent with a formally adopted "Investment Strategy Statement" that specifically addresses each fund's 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, City 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 City shall submit an investment report detailing: (1) the investment position of the City, (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 during 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 City funds without express written authority from the City Council.

ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS . . . Under State law, the City 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 City to disclose the relationship and file a statement with the Texas Ethics Commission and the City Council; (4) require the qualified representative of firms offering to engage in an investment transaction with the City to: (a) receive and review the City's investment policy, (b) acknowledge that reasonable controls and procedures have been implemented to preclude investment transactions conducted between the City and the business organization that are not authorized by the City's investment policy (except to the extent that this authorization is dependent on an analysis of the makeup of the City's entire portfolio or requires an interpretation of subjective investment standards), and (c) deliver a written statement in a form acceptable to the City and the business organization attesting to these requirements; (5) perform an annual audit of the management controls on investments and adherence to the City's investment policy; (6) provide specific investment training for the Treasurer, Chief Financial Officer and investment officers; (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 no-load mutual funds in the aggregate to no more than 15% of the City'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 City.

TABLE 15 - CURRENT INVESTMENTS*

As of June 1, 2025, the City's investable funds were invested in the following categories:

	Percent		
	of	Market	Book
Description	Portfolio	Value	Value
Bank Depository Accts	52.04%	\$ 71,743,126	\$ 71,743,126
TexSTAR	22.67%	31,252,423	31,252,423
Investments	25.29%	34,858,598	34,858,598
	100.00%	\$ 137,854,147	\$ 137,854,147

^{*} Unaudited.

No funds of the City are invested in derivative securities, i.e., securities whose rate of return is determined by reference to some other instrument, index, or commodity.

TAX MATTERS

TAX EXEMPTION

Opinion . . . On the date of initial delivery of the Certificates, McCall, Parkhurst & Horton L.L.P., Dallas, Texas, Bond Counsel to the City, will render its opinion that, in accordance with statutes, regulations, published rulings and court decisions existing on the date thereof ("Existing Law"), (1) interest on the Certificates for federal income tax purposes will be excludable from the "gross income" of the holders thereof and (2) the Certificates will not be treated as "specified private activity bonds" the interest on which would be included as an alternative minimum tax preference item under section 57(a)(5) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the "Code"). Except as stated above, Bond Counsel to the City will express no opinion as to any other federal, state or local tax consequences of the purchase, ownership or disposition of the Certificates. See Appendix C -- Form of Bond Counsel's Opinion.

In rendering its opinion, Bond Counsel to the City will rely upon (a) the City's federal tax certificate, and (b) covenants of the City with respect to arbitrage, the application of the proceeds to be received from the issuance and sale of the Certificates and certain other matters. Failure of the City to comply with these representations or covenants could cause the interest on the Certificates to become includable in gross income retroactively to the date of issuance of the Certificates.

The Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder contain a number of requirements that must be satisfied subsequent to the issuance of the Certificates in order for interest on the Certificates to be, and to remain, excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes. Failure to comply with such requirements may cause interest on the Certificates to be included in gross income retroactively to the date of issuance of the Certificates. The opinions of Bond Counsel to the City are conditioned on compliance by the City with the covenants and the requirements described in the preceding paragraph, and Bond Counsel to the City has not been retained to monitor compliance with these requirements subsequent to the issuance of the Certificates.

Bond Counsel's opinion represents its legal judgment based upon its review of Existing Law and the reliance on the aforementioned information, representations and covenants. Bond Counsel's opinion is not a guarantee of a result. The Existing Law is subject to change by the Congress and to subsequent judicial and administrative interpretation by the courts and the Department of the Treasury. There can be no assurance that such Existing Law or the interpretation thereof will not be changed in a manner which would adversely affect the tax treatment of the purchase, ownership or disposition of the Certificates.

A ruling was not sought from the Internal Revenue Service by the City with respect to the Certificates or the property financed or refinanced with proceeds of the Certificates. No assurances can be given as to whether or not the Internal Revenue Service will commence an audit of the Certificates, or as to whether the Internal Revenue Service would agree with the opinion of Bond Counsel. If an audit is commenced, under current procedures the Internal Revenue Service is likely to treat the City as the taxpayer and the obligationholders may have no right to participate in such procedure. No additional interest will be paid upon any determination of taxability.

Federal Income Tax Accounting Treatment of Original Issue Discount . . . The initial public offering price to be paid for one or more maturities of the Certificates may be less than the principal amount thereof or one or more periods for the payment of interest on the Certificates may not be equal to the accrual period or be in excess of one year (the "Original Issue Discount Certificates"). In such event, the difference between (i) the "stated redemption price at maturity" of each Original Issue Discount Certificate, and (ii) the initial offering price to the public of such Original Issue Discount Certificate would constitute original issue discount. The "stated redemption price at maturity" means the sum of all payments to be made on the Certificates less the amount of all periodic interest payments. Periodic interest payments are payments which are made during equal accrual periods (or during any unequal period if it is the initial or final period) and which are made during accrual periods which do not exceed one year.

Under Existing Law, any owner who has purchased such Original Issue Discount Certificate in the initial public offering 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 Certificate equal to that portion of the amount of such original issue discount allocable to the accrual period. For a discussion of certain collateral federal tax consequences, see discussion set forth below.

In the event of the redemption, sale or other taxable disposition of such Original Issue Discount Certificate prior to stated maturity, however, the amount realized by such owner in excess of the basis of such Original Issue Discount Certificate 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 Certificate was held by such initial owner) is includable in gross income.

Under Existing Law, the original issue discount on each Original Issue Discount Certificate is accrued 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 Certificates 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 Certificate 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 Original Issue Discount Certificate.

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

Collateral Federal Income Tax Consequences . . . The following discussion is a summary of certain collateral federal income tax consequences resulting from the purchase, ownership or disposition of the Certificates. This discussion is based on existing statutes, regulations, published rulings and court decisions, all of which are subject to change or modification, retroactively.

The following discussion is applicable to investors, other than those who are subject to special provisions of the Code, such as financial institutions, property and casualty insurance companies, life insurance companies, individual recipients of Social Security or Railroad Retirement benefits, individuals allowed an earned income credit, certain S corporations with Subchapter C earnings and profits, foreign corporations subject to the branch profits tax, taxpayers qualifying for the health insurance premium assistance credit, and taxpayers who may be deemed to have incurred or continued indebtedness to purchase tax-exempt Certificates.

THE DISCUSSION CONTAINED HEREIN MAY NOT BE EXHAUSTIVE. INVESTORS, INCLUDING THOSE WHO ARE SUBJECT TO SPECIAL PROVISIONS OF THE CODE, SHOULD CONSULT THEIR OWN TAX ADVISORS AS TO THE TAX TREATMENT WHICH MAY BE ANTICIPATED TO RESULT FROM THE PURCHASE, OWNERSHIP AND DISPOSITION OF CERTIFICATES BEFORE DETERMINING WHETHER TO PURCHASE THE CERTIFICATES.

Interest on the Certificates may be includable in certain corporations' "adjusted financial statement income" determined section 56A of the Code to calculate the alternative minimum tax imposed by section 55 of the Code.

Under section 6012 of the Code, holders of tax-exempt Certificates, such as the Certificates, may be required to disclose interest received or accrued during each taxable year on their returns of federal income taxation.

Section 1276 of the Code provides for ordinary income tax treatment of gain recognized upon the disposition of a tax-exempt obligation, such as the Certificates, if such obligation was acquired at a "market discount" and if the fixed maturity of such obligation is equal to, or exceeds, one year from the date of issue. Such treatment applies to "market discount bonds" to the extent such gain does not exceed the accrued market discount of such Certificates; although for this purpose, a de minimis amount of market discount is ignored. A "market discount bond" is one which is acquired by the holder at a purchase price which is less than the stated redemption price at maturity or, in the case of a bond issued at an original issue discount, the "revised issue price" (i.e., the issue price plus accrued original issue discount). The "accrued market discount" is the amount which bears the same ratio to the market discount as the number of days during which the holder holds the obligation bears to the number of days between the acquisition date and the final maturity date.

State, Local and Foreign Taxes . . . Investors should consult their own tax advisors concerning the tax implications of the purchase, ownership or disposition of the Certificates under applicable state or local laws. Foreign investors should also consult their own tax advisors regarding the tax consequences unique to investors who are not United States persons.

Information Reporting and Backup Withholding . . . Subject to certain exceptions, information reports describing interest income, including original issue discount, with respect to the Certificates will be sent to each registered holder and to the Internal Revenue Service. Payments of interest and principal may be subject to backup withholding under section 3406 of the Code if a recipient of the payments fails to furnish to the payor such owner's social security number or other taxpayer identification number ("TIN"), furnishes an incorrect TIN, or otherwise fails to establish an exemption from the backup withholding tax. Any amounts so withheld would be allowed as a credit against the recipient's federal income tax. Special rules apply to partnerships, estates and trusts, and in certain circumstances, and in respect of foreign investors, certifications as to foreign status and other matters may be required to be provided by partners and beneficiaries thereof.

Future and Proposed Legislation . . . Tax legislation, administrative actions taken by tax authorities, or court decisions, whether at the Federal or state level, may adversely affect the tax-exempt status of interest on the Certificates under Federal or state law and could affect the market price or marketability of the Certificates. Any such proposal could limit the value of certain deductions and exclusions, including the exclusion for tax-exempt interest. The likelihood of any such proposal being enacted cannot be predicted. Prospective purchasers of the Certificates should consult their own tax advisors regarding the foregoing matters.

CONTINUING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION

In the Ordinance the City has made the following undertaking for the benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the Certificates. The City is required to observe the undertaking while it remains obligated to advance funds to pay such Certificates. Under the undertaking the City will be obligated to provide certain updated financial information and operating data annually, and timely notice of certain specified events, to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board ("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.

ANNUAL REPORTS . . . The City will provide certain updated financial information and operating data to the MSRB on an annual basis in an electronic format that is prescribed by the MSRB and available via the EMMA system. The information to be updated includes all quantitative financial information and operating data with respect to the City of the general type included in this Official Statement under Tables numbered 1 through 6 and 8 through 15 and in APPENDIX B. The City will update and provide the information in Tables 1 through 6 and 8 through 15 within six months after the end of each fiscal year ending in and after 2025. The City will additionally provide audited financial statements when and if available, and in any event, within 12 months after the end of each fiscal year ending in or after 2025. If the audit of such financial statements is not complete within 12 months after any such fiscal year end, then the City will 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 identified above or filed with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"), as permitted by SEC Rule 15c2-12 (the "Rule").

The City's current fiscal year end is September 30. Accordingly, the City must provide updated information included in Tables 1 through 6 and 8 through 15 by the last day of March in each year, and audited financial statements for the preceding fiscal year (or unaudited financial statements if the audited financial statements are not yet available) as described above. If the City changes its fiscal year, it will file notice of the change (and of the date of the new fiscal year end) with the MSRB prior to the next date by which the City otherwise would be required to provide financial information and operating data as set forth above.

NOTICE OF CERTAIN EVENTS . . . The City 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 Certificates: (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 Certificates, or other material events affecting the tax status of the Certificates; (7) modifications to rights of holders of the Certificates, if material; (8) bond calls, if material, and tender offers; (9) Defeasances; (10) Release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the Certificates, if material; (11) Rating changes; (12) Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the City; (13) The consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving the City or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the City, 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; (14) appointment of a successor or additional trustee or change in the name of the trustee, if material; (15) incurrence of a financial obligation of the City, if material, or agreement to covenants, events of default, remedies, priority rights, or other similar terms of a financial obligation of the City, any of which affect security holders, if material; and (16) default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms, or other similar events under the terms of a financial obligation of the City, any of which reflect financial difficulties. In addition, the City will provide timely notice of any failure by the City to provide annual financial information in accordance with their agreement described above under "Annual Reports."

As used above in event notice (12), the phrase "bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event" means the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent or similar officer for the City in a proceeding under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court of governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the City, or if jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing City Council and officials or officers of the City 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 City. For the purposes of the above described event notices (15) and (16), the term "financial obligation" means a (i) debt obligation, (ii) derivative instrument entered into in connection with or pledged as security or a source of payment for, an existing or planned debt obligation, or (iii) a guarantee of (i) or (ii); provided however, that a "financial obligation" shall not include municipal securities as to which a final official statement (as defined in the Rule) has been provided to the MSRB consistent with the Rule.

LIMITATIONS AND AMENDMENTS... The City has agreed to update information and to provide notices of certain events only as described above. The City 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 City makes no representation or warranty concerning such information or concerning its usefulness to a decision to invest in or sell Certificates at any future date. The City 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 Certificates may seek a writ of mandamus to compel the City to comply with its agreement.

The City may amend its continuing disclosure agreement 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 City, if (i) the agreement, as amended, would have permitted an underwriter to purchase or sell Certificates 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 Certificates consent to the amendment or (b) any person unaffiliated with the City (such as nationally recognized bond counsel) determines that the amendment will not materially impair the interests of the holders and beneficial owners of the Certificates. The City may also amend or repeal the provisions of this continuing disclosure agreement if the SEC amends or repeals the applicable provisions of the Rule or a court of final jurisdiction enters judgment that such provisions of the Rule 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 Certificates in the primary offering of the Certificates. If the City 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 City believes it has complied in all material respects with all continuing disclosure agreements made by it in accordance with the Rule.

TEXAS LEGISLATURE

On January 14, 2025, the 89th Texas Legislature (the "Legislature") convened in general session and adjourned on June 2, 2025. The Legislature meets in regular session in odd numbered years for 140 days. When the Legislature is not in session, the Governor of Texas (the "Governor") may call one or more special sessions, at the Governor's discretion, each lasting no more than 30 days, and for which the Governor sets the agenda. On June 23, 2025, the Governor called a special session of the Legislature, which began on July 21, 2025. The City can make no representation or prediction regarding any actions the Legislature has taken or may take or concerning the substance or the effect of any legislation passed in a previous session or a future session of the Legislature.

OTHER INFORMATION

RATING

The Certificates and the outstanding tax supported debt of the City have been assigned a rating of "AA" by S&P Global Ratings, without regard to credit enhancement. The City also has tax-supported debt that is rated by Moody's Investors Service, Inc.. An explanation of the significance of such rating may be obtained from the company furnishing the rating. The rating reflects only the view of such organization and the City makes no representation as to the appropriateness of the rating. There is no assurance that such rating will continue for any given period of time or that it will not be revised downward or withdrawn entirely by such rating company, if in the judgment of such company, circumstances so warrant. Any such downward revision or withdrawal of such ratings, or either of them, may have an adverse effect on the market price or marketability of the Certificates.

LITIGATION

It is the opinion of the City Attorney and City Staff that there is no pending litigation against the City that, if decided adversely against the City, would have a material adverse financial impact upon the City or its operations.

CYBERSECURITY

Computer networks and data transmission and collection are vital to the operations of the City. Information technology and infrastructure of the City may be subject to attacks by outside or internal hackers and may be subject to breach by employee error, negligence or malfeasance. An attack or breach could compromise systems and the information stored thereon, result in the loss of confidential or proprietary data and disrupt the operations of the City. To mitigate these risks, the City is engaged with a cyber security company that provides security monitoring to detect and respond to any cyber threats in addition to supplying employee education. The City also continuously endeavors to improve the range of control for digital information operations, enhancement to the authentication process, and additional measures toward improving system protection / security posture.

REGISTRATION AND QUALIFICATION OF CERTIFICATES FOR SALE

The sale of the Certificates 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 Certificates have not been qualified under the Securities Act of Texas in reliance upon various exemptions contained therein; nor have the Certificates been qualified under the securities acts of any jurisdiction. The City assumes no responsibility for qualification of the Certificates under the securities laws of any jurisdiction in which the Certificates may be sold, assigned, pledged, hypothecated or otherwise transferred. This disclaimer of responsibility for qualification for sale or other disposition of the Certificates 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 Certificates 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 Certificates 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 Certificates be assigned a rating of not less than "A" or its equivalent as to investment quality by a national rating agency. See "OTHER INFORMATION - Rating" herein. In addition, various provisions of the Texas Finance Code provide that, subject to a prudent investor standard, the Certificates are legal investments for state banks, savings banks, trust companies with capital of one million dollars or more, and savings and loan associations. The Certificates 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 City has been made of the laws in other states to determine whether the Certificates are legal investments for various institutions in those states.

LEGAL MATTERS

The City will furnish a complete transcript of proceedings incident to the authorization and issuance of the Certificates, including the unqualified approving legal opinions of the Attorney General of the State of Texas as to the Certificates to the effect that the Certificates are valid and legally binding obligations of the City, and based upon examination of such transcript of proceedings, the approving legal opinions of Bond Counsel, with respect to the Certificates to like effect and to the effect that the interest on the Certificates will be excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103(a) of the Code, subject to the matters described under "TAX MATTERS" herein. The forms of such opinions of Bond Counsel are attached hereto as Appendix C. Though it may represent the Municipal Advisor and the Underwriters from time to time in matters unrelated to the issuance of the Certificates, Bond Counsel has been engaged by and only represents the City in connection with the issuance of the Certificates. Bond Counsel was not requested to participate, and 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 under the captions or subcaptions "PLAN OF FINANCING" (exclusive of the subcaption "Sources and Uses of Proceeds"), "THE CERTIFICATES" (except under the subcaptions "Tax Rate Limitation," "Book-Entry-Only System" and "Remedies"), "TAX MATTERS," "CONTINUING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION" (except under the subcaption "Compliance with Prior Undertakings"), and the topics "Legal Matters", "Registration and Qualification of Certificates for Sale" and "Legal Investments and Eligibility to Secure Public Funds in Texas" under the caption "OTHER INFORMATION" and such firm is of the opinion that the information relating to the Certificates and legal matters contained in the Official Statement under such captions and subcaptions is an accurate and fair description of the laws and legal issues addressed therein and, with respect to the Certificates, such information conforms to the Ordinance. Certain legal matters will be passed upon for the Underwriters by their counsel, Kassahn & Ortiz, P.C., San Antonio, Texas, whose fee is contingent upon the sale and delivery of the Certificates.

The various legal opinions to be delivered concurrently with the delivery of the Certificates express the professional judgment of the attorneys rendering the opinion as to the legal issues explicitly addressed therein. In rendering a legal opinion, the attorney does not become an insurer or guarantor of that 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.

AUTHENTICITY OF FINANCIAL DATA AND OTHER INFORMATION

The financial data and other information contained herein have been obtained from City records, 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 ordinances contained in this Official Statement are made subject to all of the provisions of such statutes, documents and ordinances. 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.

MUNICIPAL ADVISOR

Hilltop Securities Inc. is employed as Municipal Advisor to the City in connection with the issuance of the Certificates. The Municipal Advisor's fee for services rendered with respect to the sale of the Certificates is contingent upon the issuance and delivery of the Certificates. HilltopSecurities, in its capacity as Municipal 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 Certificates, or the possible impact of any present, pending or future actions taken by any legislative or judicial bodies.

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

UNDERWRITING

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

The Underwriters have provided the following sentence for inclusion in this Official Statement. The Underwriters have reviewed the information in this Official Statement in accordance with, and as part of, their respective responsibilities to investors under federal securities laws as applied to the facts and circumstances of this transaction, but the Underwriters do not guarantee the accuracy or completeness of the information.

CERTIFICATION OF THE OFFICIAL STATEMENT AND NO-LITIGATION

At the time of payment for and delivery of the Certificates, the City will furnish a certificate, executed by an authorized representative of the City, acting in such officer's representative capacity, to the effect that to the best of such person's knowledge and belief: (a) the descriptions and statements of or pertaining to the City contained in the Official Statement, and any addenda, supplement, or amendment thereto, on the date of the Official Statement, on the date of sale of the Certificates, and on the date of the delivery, were and are true and correct in all material respects; (b) insofar as the City and its affairs, including its financial affairs, are concerned, the Official Statement did not and does not contain an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading in any material respect; (c) insofar as the descriptions and statements, including financial data, of or pertaining to entities, other than the City, and their activities contained in the Official Statement are concerned, such statements and data have been obtained from sources which the City believes to be reliable and the City has no reason to believe that they are untrue in any material respect; (d) there has been no material adverse change in the financial condition of the City since the date of the last audited financial statements of the City; and (e) no litigation of any nature has been filed or is pending, as of the date hereof, to restrain or enjoin the issuance or delivery of the Certificates or which would affect the provisions made for their payment or security or in any manner question the validity of the Certificates.

FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS DISCLAIMER

The statements contained in this Official Statement, and in any other information provided by the City, that are not purely historical, are forward-looking statements, including statements regarding the City'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 City on the date hereof, and the City assumes no obligation to update any such forward-looking statements. The City'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 City. 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.

MISCELLANEOUS

City Secretary

	/S/
	JAY NORTHCUT
	Mayor
	City of Melissa, Texas
ATTEST:	
/C/	
/S/ HOPE CORY	

The Ordinance authorizing the issuance of the Certificates will approve the form and content of this Official Statement, and any addenda, supplement or amendment thereto, and authorize its further use in the reoffering of the Certificates by the Underwriters.



APPENDIX A

GENERAL INFORMATION REGARDING THE CITY



LOCATION... The City of Melissa is located in north central Collin County, approximately 45 miles north of downtown Dallas and five minutes north of the City of McKinney. The City of Melissa's boundary encompasses 12 square miles.

The City is located in the Dallas-Fort Worth Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Area. The City and Collin County are located in the Dallas/Fort Worth Commercial Zone, which also includes Dallas, Denton, Ellis, Grayson, Kaufman, Parker, Rockwall and Tarrant Counties.

ECONOMY . . . Located just north of the City of McKinney, Melissa is experiencing growth, with large tracts of land having been sold for residential development.

EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES . . . The Melissa Independent School District is a pre K-12 District. Student population consists of approximately 6,000 students. Students are housed on eight campuses: Harry McKillop Elementary (K - 5), North Creek Elementary (K - 5), Willow Wood Elementary (1 - 5), Summer Elementary (K - 5), Melissa Ridge Education Center (Pre-K), Melissa Middle School (6 - 8), Sixth Grade Center (6) and Melissa High School (9 - 12).

COLLIN COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT . . . A pioneer for higher learning in the North Texas region, Collin College's success has been built on quality education, diversity of programs, financial stewardship, and visionary leadership. The college was founded 35 years ago when voters overwhelmingly approved its inception on April 6, 1985. Since its beginnings, the college has continued to grow exponentially, reaching an enrollment of 36,259 in 2024. Enrollment for the Fall semester of 1985 was 1,350, and students initially met in local high schools. The first campus, McKinney Campus ("Central Park"), opened its doors in January 1986 and provided education and training in a remodeled professional building in McKinney.

As the first building opened, plans were underway for a new campus in Plano on Spring Creek Parkway. The college's Board Members were visionary in identifying a community need that had to be addressed. By 1986, enrollment soared to over 5,000 students in 635 classes. Collin College's talented staff and faculty created a learning environment unmatched in North Texas, where students received excellent teaching and services.

The only public college based in Collin County, Collin County Community College District is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) to award baccalaureate degrees, associate degrees and certificates. Collin College currently has more than 100 associate degrees and certificates in a wide range of disciplines. In 2019, Collin College received preliminary notification that SACSCOC approved the college's level change application from a Level I Institution to a Level II Institution, granting four-year degrees. In January 2020, Collin College began offering two new baccalaureate degrees: Bachelor of Science in Nursing and a Bachelor of Applied Technology in Cybersecurity. Following a thorough review in February 2020, the SACSCOC Substantive Change Committee had no recommendations for Collin College. The findings of this visiting team committee represent a preliminary assessment of Collin College at this time; final action on the report rests with the SACSCOC Board of Trustees.

Collin College is recognized as an institution of higher learning with preeminent faculty members who are noted authors, scholars, and scientists. Many faculty members have received prestigious designations and awards. Over the years, the college district has been well known for innovative programs and financial stewardship. The college maintained (or lowered) its tax rate for 15 consecutive years and tuition is the lowest in Texas.

Additionally, Collin College continues to expand the Preston Ridge Campus (PRC) in Frisco with current enrollment at over 8,500. Students can take advantage of unique programs and amenities that foster exploration, collaboration, and critical thinking. PRC houses the award-winning Institute of Hospitality and Culinary Education (IHCE), the National Convergence Technology Center (CTC), an impressive conference center, and a university-style central quad. The campus offers many classes, including concurrent enrollment for high school students and lower-division core classes to prepare students for transfers to university.

At the heart of Collin College are its students. These talented individuals win national awards, publish their work, while they earn degrees and certificates. The legacy of Collin College — its students —will continue to provide a significant impact, carrying the college's mission and core values throughout the world.

OTHER INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING . . . In addition, the following major colleges are located within a 60-mile radius of Melissa.

Austin College
Dallas County Community College System
East Texas State University
Grayson County Community College
Southern Methodist University
Texas Christian University
Texas Woman's University
University of Dallas
University of North Texas
University of Texas at Arlington
University of Texas at Dallas

Sherman, Texas
Dallas County, Texas
Commerce, Texas
Sherman, Texas
Dallas, Texas
Fort Worth, Texas
Denton, Texas
Dallas, Texas
Denton, Texas
Denton, Texas
Arlington, Texas
Dallas, Texas

RECREATION... Nearby lakes such as Lake Lewisville, Grapevine Lake, Lake Ray Roberts (30 minutes away), Lake Texoma (45 minutes away) and the soon to be open Bois d'Arc Lake (25 minutes away) provides all types of water sports, fishing, hunting and camping. The City operates six parks and improving trail connectivity to give the community a well-rounded recreational program.

COLLIN COUNTY . . . Collin County, Texas (the "County"), is located in Northeast Texas immediately north and adjacent to Dallas County, and approximately 15 miles from downtown Dallas. The County is an important component of the Dallas Fort Worth Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Area. The 836 square miles comprising the County represent a dynamic growth area in the Metroplex, and includes the Cities of Plano, McKinney (County Seat), Allen, Frisco, and Wylie. Significant increases in population and economic growth have occurred during the past two decades. County population at the 1960 census was 41,247 . . . at the 1970 census, 66,920 . . . at the 1980 census, 144,576 . . . at the 1990 census, 264,036 . . . at the 2000 census, 491,675, at the 2010 census, 782,341, and the 2025 estimated population is 1,195,359. The economic base consists of various manufacturing, computer technology, electronics, oil and gas research, and agriculture. Major industries with headquarters or divisions located within the County include petroleum research, tele-communication, computer technology, electronics, retail, the food industry, and insurance institutions. Some of the major employers in Collin County are as follows:

Company	Number of Employees
State Farm	7,075
Capital One Finance	5,578
JP Morgan Chase	4,000
PepsiCo Inc	3,759
Bank of America Home Loans	3,729
Raytheon	3,500
Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas	3,100
Ericsson	3,078
State Farm	2,785
City of Plano	2,530

APPENDIX B

EXCERPTS FROM THE

CITY OF MELISSA, TEXAS

ANNUAL COMPREHENSIVE FINANCIAL REPORT

For the Year Ended September 30, 2024

The information contained in this Appendix consists of excerpts from the City of Melissa, Texas Annual Comprehensive Financial Report for the Year Ended September 30, 2024, 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.



Waco, Texas 76710



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable Mayor and Members of City Council City of Melissa, Texas

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Melissa, Texas, as of and for the year ended September 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City of Melissa, Texas' basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Melissa, Texas, as of September 30, 2024, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinions

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the City of Melissa, Texas and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the City of Melissa, Texas' ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.



Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS and *Government Auditing Standards* will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS and Government Auditing Standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud
 or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include
 examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures
 that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the
 effectiveness of the City of Melissa, Texas' internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the City of Melissa, Texas' ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, budgetary comparison information, and pension and OPEB information, as listed in the table of contents, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the City of Melissa, Texas' basic financial statements. The budgetary schedules and discretely presented component unit fund statements, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the budgetary schedules and discretely presented component unit fund statements, are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Information included in the Annual Comprehensive Financial Report

Management is responsible for the other information included in the annual comprehensive financial report (ACFR). The other information comprises the introductory section and statistical section but does not include the basic financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinions on the basic financial statements do not cover the other information, and we do not express an opinion or any form of assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the basic financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and consider whether a material inconsistency exists between the other information and the basic financial statements, or the other information otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work performed, we conclude that an uncorrected material misstatement of the other information exists, we are required to describe it in our report.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

Patillo, Brown & Hill, L.L.P.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated February 24, 2025 on our consideration of the City of Melissa, Texas' internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the City of Melissa, Texas' internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the City of Melissa, Texas' internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

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Management's Discussion and Analysis

As management of The City of Melissa, Texas, we offer readers of The City of Melissa's financial statements this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the City for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2024. We encourage readers to consider the information presented here in conjunction with additional information that we have furnished in our letter of transmittal, which can be found in the introductory section of this report.

Financial Highlights

- The assets and deferred outflows of resources of the City of Melissa exceeded its liabilities and deferred inflows of resources at the close of the most recent fiscal year by \$251,067,268 (net position) compared to \$198,940,579 for the prior year. Of this amount, \$43,248,756 (unrestricted net position) may be used to meet the City's ongoing obligations to citizens and creditors.
- The City's total net position increased by \$52,126,689. The City's operations increased the governmental activities by \$16,504,061 and increased the business-type activities by \$35,622,628. The majority of the City's net position is invested in capital assets and restricted for specific purposes.
- The City's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$94,770,038 at September 30, 2024, an increase of \$11,860,319 from the prior fiscal year; this includes an increase of \$6,452,422 in the general fund, an increase of \$33,755 in the debt service fund, an increase of \$2,511,711 in the transportation construction fund, a decrease of \$8,929,383 in the park construction fund, a decrease of \$6,301,701 in the facilities construction fund, and an increase of \$234,749 in the nonmajor TIF fund. The decreases are primarily due to spending of bond proceeds and receiving developer fees.
- At the end of the fiscal year, unassigned fund balance for the general fund was \$6,376,450 or 21% of total general fund operating expenditures.
- The City's outstanding debt increased by \$17,630,749 (excluding premiums) from the prior year. The total bonds and certificates of obligation payable at the close of the fiscal year were \$148,359,376 including premiums.
- The City's net pension liability totaled \$3,320,205 as of year end.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis are intended to serve as an introduction to the City of Melissa's basic financial statements. The City's basic financial statements comprise three components: 1) government-wide financial statements, 2) fund financial statements, and 3) notes to the financial statements. This report also contains other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements themselves.

Government-wide financial statements. The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the City's finances, in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The statement of net position presents information on all of the City's assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two reported as net position. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the City is improving or deteriorating.

The statement of activities presents information showing how the City's net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods (e.g., uncollected taxes and earned but unused vacation leave).

Both of the government-wide financial statements distinguish functions of the City that are principally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues (governmental activities) from other functions that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their costs through user fees and charges (business type activities). The governmental activities of the City include culture and recreation, community development, public safety, and public works. The business-type activities of the City include utility operations.

The government-wide financial statements include not only the City itself (known as the primary government), but also the legally separate Melissa Economic Development Corporation and Community Development Corporation for which the City is financially accountable. Financial information for this component unit is reported separately from the financial information presented for the primary government itself. The government-wide financial statements can be found immediately following this management's discussion and analysis.

Fund financial statements. A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The City, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the funds of the City can be divided into two categories: governmental funds and proprietary funds.

Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in assessing a government's near-term financing requirements. Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities.

The City maintains six individual governmental funds. Information is presented separately in the governmental fund balance sheet and in the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances for the general fund, debt service fund, transportation construction, park construction and facilities construction funds, which are considered to be major funds. Data from the other governmental fund is combined into a single, aggregated presentation.

The City adopts an annual appropriated budget for its general, debt service, special revenue, and utility funds. A budgetary comparison schedule has been provided for each governmental fund to demonstrate compliance with their respective budget.

The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found on pages 15-20 of this report.

Proprietary funds. The City maintains one proprietary fund. Enterprise funds are used to report the same functions presented as business-type activities in the government-wide financial statements. The City uses an enterprise fund to account for its public utilities operations. All activities associated with providing such services are accounted for in these funds, including administration, operation, maintenance, debt service, capital improvements, meter maintenance, billing and collection. The City's intent is that costs of providing the services to the general public on a continuing basis is financed through user charges in a manner similar to a private enterprise.

Proprietary financial statements provide the same type of information as the government-wide financial statements, only in more detail. The proprietary fund financial statements provide separate information for the utility fund since it is considered a major fund of the City.

The proprietary fund financial statements can be found on pages 21-24 of this report.

Component Units. The City maintains the accounting and financial statements for two component units. The Melissa Community and Economic Development Corporations are discretely presented component units displayed on the government-wide financial statements.

Notes to the financial statements. The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements can be found on pages 25-50 of this report.

Other information. In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information that further explains and supports the information in the financial statements. Required supplementary information can be found on pages 51-59 of this report.

Government-wide Financial Analysis

As noted previously, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of the City's financial position. For the City of Melissa, Texas, assets and deferred outflows exceeded liabilities and deferred inflows by \$251,067,268 as of September 30, 2024, in the primary government.

The largest portion of the City's net position, \$163,824,537, reflects its investments in capital assets (e.g., land, city hall, police station, streets, and drainage systems, as well as the public works facilities), less any debt used to acquire those assets that are still outstanding. The City uses these capital assets to provide services to citizens; consequently, these assets are not available for future spending. Although the City's investment in its capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

Below are summaries of the City's Statement of Net Position and Changes in Net Position.

CITY OF MELISSA'S NET POSITION

	Governme	ntal Activities	Business-Ty	pe Activities	Total		
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	
Current and other assets Capital assets	\$100,954,838 152,967,491	\$ 90,967,502 133,157,402	\$ 29,375,498 132,522,663	\$ 25,934,430 95,452,233	\$ 130,330,336 285,490,154	\$ 116,901,932 228,609,635	
Total assets	253,922,329	224,124,904	161,898,161	121,386,663	415,820,490	345,511,567	
Deferred outflows of resources	1,746,357	1,865,862	311,527	292,412	2,057,884	2,158,274	
Long-term liabilities Other liabilities	11,378,645 115,063,094	11,582,345 101,662,169	6,322,934 33,830,132	4,779,111 30,462,761	17,701,579 148,893,226	16,361,456 132,124,930	
Total liabilities	126,441,739	113,244,514	40,153,066	35,241,872	166,594,805	148,486,386	
Deferred inflows of resources	207,771	231,137	8,530	11,739	216,301	242,876	
Net position: Net investment							
in capital assets Restricted Unrestricted	67,896,525 36,497,390 24,625,261	55,632,168 34,859,134 22,023,813	95,928,012 7,496,585 18,623,495	62,127,056 9,643,251 14,655,157	163,824,537 43,993,975 43,248,756	117,759,224 44,502,385 36,678,970	
Total net position	\$129,019,176	\$ 112,515,115	\$ 122,048,092	\$ 86,425,464	\$ 251,067,268	\$ 198,940,579	

Total current and other assets increased by \$70,308,923 due primarily to an increase in infrastructure additions, as well as governmental activities revenues exceeding expenses. Total capital assets increased by \$57,136,519 due to the investment in several major ongoing capital projects and developer donated infrastructure. Total long-term liabilities increased by \$1,340,123 due to the issuance of certificates of obligation offset against regular debt service payments.

CHANGES IN NET POSITION

	Governme	ntal Activities	Business-Ty	pe Activities	To	tals
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023
Revenues:						
Program revenues:						
Charges for services	\$ 6,985,143	\$ 6,298,386	\$ 21,147,816	\$ 16,458,501	\$ 28,132,959	\$ 22,756,887
Operating grants						
and contributions	843,373	1,223,701	-	-	843,373	1,223,701
Capital grants						
and contributions	10,864,405	10,931,063	38,447,268	10,411,090	49,311,673	21,342,153
General revenues:	14 600 643	11 405 040			14 600 642	11 405 040
Property taxes Sales taxes	14,680,643	11,495,048	-	-	14,680,643	11,495,048
Franchise taxes	4,553,482 1,204,204	4,241,325 903,662	-	-	4,553,482 1,204,204	4,241,325 903,662
Investment earnings	4,830,416	3,549,781	1,163,666	749,338	5,994,082	4,299,119
Other revenue	4,630,416 85,646	67,353	24,305	10,249	109,951	77,602
Total revenues	44,047,312	38,710,319	60,783,055	27,629,178	104,830,367	66,339,497
Expenses:						
General government	12,236,798	7,923,619	-	-	12,236,798	7,923,619
Public safety	9,769,117	7,801,736	-	-	9,769,117	7,801,736
Streets	2,997,765	2,164,445	-	-	2,997,765	2,164,445
Culture and recreational	3,283,626	2,853,551	- 400 400	-	3,283,626	2,853,551
Interest and other	4,328,710	2,580,790	1,483,103	1,315,809	5,811,813	3,896,599
Water and sewer Sanitation	-	-	17,151,066	10,258,099	17,151,066	10,258,099
			1,453,493	1,221,346	1,453,493	1,221,346
Total expenses	32,616,016	23,324,141	20,087,662	12,795,254	52,703,678	36,119,395
Increase (decrease) in net						
position before transfers	11,431,296	15,386,178	40,695,393	14,833,924	52,126,689	30,220,102
Transfers	5,072,765	441,447	(5,072,765)	(441,447)	· · · -	· · · -
Increase (decrease) in net position	16,504,061	15,827,625	35,622,628	14,392,477	52,126,689	30,220,102
Net position, beginning	112,515,115	96,687,490	86,425,464	72,032,987	198,940,579	168,720,477
Net position, ending	\$ 129,019,176	\$ 112,515,115	\$ 122,048,092	\$ 86,425,464	\$ 251,067,268	\$ 198,940,579

Governmental activities. For the year ended September 30, 2024, revenues from governmental activities totaled \$44,047,312. Property tax and charges for services were the City's largest general revenue sources and increased by \$3.2 million due to an increase in property values and growth in the City for both residential and commercial activity. Overall revenue decreased \$5,336,993 or 14% from the prior year. The \$66,658 decrease in capital contributions is due to fewer developer projects being completed and accepted by the City in the fiscal year. In contrast, charges for services increased \$686,757 from development fees and larger licenses and permits issued. Operating grants decreased by \$380,328 as the City spent a majority of its ARPA funding in prior years. Property tax revenue increased by \$3,185,595 due to an increase in the overall taxable property values from the preceding year tax roll. Sales tax revenue increased by \$312,157 primarily due to additional retail commercial growth and building supply sales in the City. Franchise tax income increased by \$300,542 primarily due to population and service growth within the City. Investment income increased by \$1,280,635 primarily due to the realization of higher interest rates over the course of the year. Other revenue increased by \$18,293 due to nonrecurring miscellaneous revenue received in the current year.

For the year ended September 30, 2024, expenses for governmental activities totaled \$32,616,016. This represents an increase of \$9,291,875 or 40% from the prior year. The City's largest functional expense is general government totaling \$12,236,798. General government expenses remain comparable to the prior year, but public safety expenses increased by \$1.9 million attributed to construction costs associated with the public safety complex. Street expenses increased by \$833,320 or 39% primarily due to nonrecurring street maintenance expenditures in the prior year. Culture and recreation expenses increased by \$430,075 or 15% primarily as a result of greater personnel, facilities maintenance, sports facility/park services contract expenses, and annual depreciation expenses. Interest and fiscal charges increased by \$1,747,920 due to greater bond issuance costs incurred in the current year.

Business-type activities. For the year ended September 30, 2024, charges for services by business-type activities totaled \$21,147,816. This is an increase of \$4,689,315 or 28% from the previous year. This increase directly relates to an increase in utility service consumption with the growing customer base in both residential and commercial customers. An annual Water Rate Study is conducted to evaluate the system needs, budget requirements and review the rates.

Total expenses increased \$7,292,408 or 57% to a total of \$20,087,662. This increase is primarily attributed to increased wholesale cost of water and sewer treatment services and growth of the customer base. Water and sewer and interest expenses totaled \$17,151,066 and sanitation totaled \$1,453,493.

Financial Analysis of the City's Funds

As noted earlier, the City uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

Governmental funds. The focus of the City's governmental funds is to provide information of near-term inflows, outflows and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the City's financing requirements. In particular, unassigned fund balance may serve as a useful measure of the City's net resources available for spending at the end of the year.

At September 30, 2024, the City's governmental funds reported combined fund balances of \$94,770,038, an increase of \$11,860,319 in comparison with the prior year. Approximately 7% of this amount, \$6,376,450, constitutes unassigned fund balance, which is available for spending at the government's discretion. The remainder of the fund balance is either nonspendable, restricted or committed to indicate that it is 1) not in spendable form \$32,544, 2) assigned \$19,122,081 or 3) restricted for particular purposes \$69,238,963.

As of the end of the year the general fund reflected a total fund balance of \$58,578,248. Of this, \$33,047,173 is considered restricted and \$6,376,450 is unassigned. General fund fund balance increased by \$12,240,028. This increase can be attributed to increase in sales tax, property taxes, and permitting fees associated with the residential and commercial growth, evidenced by the 28% tax roll increase; impact service fees assessed and collected; and interest earned from rates staying favorable during the fiscal year.

As a measure of the general fund's liquidity, it may be useful to compare total unassigned fund balance to total fund expenditures. The unassigned (the amount available for spending) fund balance of the general fund of \$6,376,450 is 21% of total general fund operating expenditures.

The debt service fund had an ending fund balance of \$1,272,794 as of year end. Total fund balance increased by \$33,755 from the prior year due to an increase in property tax collections offset by debt service payments made in the current year.

The transportation construction fund had an ending fund balance of \$21,080,414 at September 30, 2024, an increase of \$2,511,711 when compared to the previous year. This increase is primarily attributable to the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$4,870,000 in fiscal year 2024, compared to capital expenditures of \$4,012,433.

The park construction fund had an ending fund balance of \$10,736,702 at September 30, 2024, an increase of \$8,929,383. The change in fund balance is attributable to the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$12,165,000 in fiscal year 2024.

The facilities construction fund had an ending fund balance of \$1,262,128 at September 30, 2024, an increase of \$6,301,701. The decrease is attributable to construction costs of \$11.4s million in the fiscal year.

Proprietary Funds. The City's proprietary funds provide the same type of information found in the government-wide financial statements, but in more detail. Net position in the City's only proprietary fund, the enterprise fund, totaled \$122,048,092. Unrestricted net position at the close of the fiscal year amounted to \$18,623,495 and a total increase in net position of \$35,622,628 from the previous year. Total investment in capital assets, net of related debt of was \$95,928,012, and capital assets, net of depreciation totaled \$131,114,663.

GENERAL FUND BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

Supplemental budget amendments were approved during the fiscal year increasing total budgeted expenditures by \$2,921,503 and increasing total revenues by \$7,371,100. The primary reasons for the budget revision of revenues were due to higher than expected revenue from property taxes, sales taxes, permit revenue, and platting and development. Budgeted expenditures were increased to account for inspections and engineering on new developments; as well as increased administrative and public safety expenses. Total budgeted revenues of \$25,396,163 were less than actual revenues of \$34,936,845, resulting in a total positive revenue variance of \$9,540,682. The majority of this variance is a result of road impact fees and park development fees not being included in the budget. In addition, actual intergovernmental and other revenues were significantly more than the budgeted amounts. Total budgeted expenditures of \$21,388,136 were less than actual expenditures of \$30,880,692, resulting in a total negative expenditure variance of \$9,492,556. This negative variance is primarily a result of capital outlay expenditures not being appropriated.

Capital Assets

As of the end of the year, the City's governmental activities funds had invested \$152,967,491 in a variety of capital assets and infrastructure, net of accumulated depreciation. The City's business-type activities funds had invested \$131,114,663 in a variety of capital assets and infrastructure, net of accumulated depreciation. This investment in capital assets includes land, buildings, vehicles, equipment, park improvements, and infrastructure.

Major capital asset events during the current year include the following:

East Water Facility	\$1 million
City Hall renovations	\$500 thousand
Downtown Roads	\$350 thousand
Various road projects	\$1.5 million
Utility Relocation Project	\$380 thousand
Cardinal/Highland Rds	\$2.4 million
Phase IV Zplex	\$1 million
Public Safety Complex	\$9.5 million
Parks & Public Works Facilities Renovation	\$1.5 thousand

Additional information on the City's capital assets can be found in the notes to the financial statements on pages 35-36.

CITY OF MELISSA'S CAPITAL ASSETS

(Net of Accumulated Depreciation)

	Governmen	tal A	ctivities		Business-Type Activities			Totals			
	2024		2023		2024		2023	2024			2023
Land	\$ 10,969,382	\$	5,568,970	\$	1,482,636	\$	\$ 1,482,636		12,452,018	\$	7,051,606
Construction in progress	17,712,728		43,495,566		1,745,517		7,154,318		19,458,245		50,649,884
Buildings and improvements	31,266,324		9,382,952		127,293,119		84,501,347		158,559,443		93,884,299
Eqiupment	2,565,020		2,059,499		273,606		204,614		2,838,626		2,264,113
Infrastructure	89,548,998		71,692,406		-		-		89,548,998		71,692,406
Right to use equipment	663,181		605,159		319,785		445,318		982,966		1,050,477
SBITA	 241,858		352,850						241,858		352,850
Total	\$ 152,967,491	\$	133,157,402	\$	131,114,663	\$	93,788,233	\$	284,082,154	\$	226,945,635

Long-Term Debt

The City's long-term debt obligations increased by \$17,853,749 (excluding premiums) from the prior year. The total bonds, leases, SBITAs, financing arrangements, and certificates of obligation payable at the close of the fiscal year were \$151,782,774, including premiums.

All of the City's debt is backed by a full-faith credit pledge of property taxes with a limited pledge of revenues of the enterprise/utility system. The City monitors its debt obligations and callable bonds for refinancing opportunities with market conditions.

More detailed information about the City's long-term liabilities is presented in the notes to the financial statements on pages 37-43.

	Governmen	tal Activities	Business-Ty	pe Activities	Total		
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	
General obligation bonds	\$ 15,810,000	\$ 17,325,000	\$ 1,260,000	\$ 1,495,000	\$ 17,070,000	\$ 18,820,000	
Certificates of obligation	90,940,000	76,015,000	25,885,000	23,070,000	116,825,000	99,085,000	
Contract revenue bonds	-	-	5,936,750	4,987,500	5,936,750	4,987,500	
Bond premiums	6,763,937	6,563,415	1,763,689	1,741,211	8,527,626	8,304,626	
Financing arrangements	2,411,800	1,689,874	-	-	2,411,800	1,689,874	
Leases	627,606	585,737	383,992	456,288	1,011,598	1,042,025	
SBITAs payable	176,349	263,383	47,349		223,698	263,383	
Total	\$116,553,343	\$102,179,026	<u>\$ 35,229,431</u>	\$ 31,749,999	<u>\$151,782,774</u>	\$ 133,929,025	

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET

The budget document for Fiscal Year 2024 (FY24) was submitted to the Government Finance Officers Association of America (GFOA) Distinguished Budget Award committee, and the City was awarded its Distinguished Budget Award for the fifteenth consecutive year. Comments submitted by the GFOA reviewers on items for improvement were addressed, and the budget document will be submitted for the FY 2025 award. The goal of the Distinguished Budget Award program is to evaluate the budget document in the context of it serving as a policy guide, operations guide, financial plan, and communication document. These focus areas are intended to ensure the budget provides expanded information to anyone who reads the document, and at the same time, provides for a meaningful feedback tool to the departments and organization on how they are doing in the budget process as well.

The property tax revenue estimated for the Fiscal Year 2025 (FY25) budget is based on an ad valorum tax rate of \$0.454116, a slight reduction of \$0.000612 from the previous tax rate from FY24.

The FY25 assessed property value of the City of Melissa is approximately \$4.05 billion, an overall increase of \$867 million from the preceding year. The top ten taxpayers for 2024 make up 8.67% of the \$4.05 billion taxable appraised value.

Sales Tax is the second largest source of revenue to the City's General Fund, totaling \$4,600,000 or 19% of total revenues.

The City Council remains committed to conducting an annual water rate study to ensure the rate structure pays for the debt and maintenance and operation of the water and wastewater systems. This planning effort is imperative in a community where investments in water and wastewater systems are critical to sustain the growth it is experiencing. The City purchases surface water from the North Texas Municipal Water District (NTMWD) and supplements its water supply with minimal well water. The NTMWD delivers water to the City and treats its wastewater as well. Current wholesale rates increased approximately 5.7% for water and 15% for wastewater treatment and transmission by NTMWD. Over the past three years, the City has been able to absorb the wholesale increases from NTMWD largely due to the growth in utility customers. This year's wholesale increases for water and wastewater, along with the City's implementation of the East Water Facility, will not allow for the absorption of wholesales rates in FY23. The rates will be reviewed again next year.

Capital Improvement Planning projects and expenditures are captured in the Transportation Construction Fund and the Utility Construction Fund respectfully. The ten-year planning program for the City's Transportation, Water and Wastewater Capital Improvement Program will anticipate, plan, and construct the necessary improvements for the roadway system, water, and wastewater system.

All these factors were considered in preparing the City of Melissa's FY25 budget.

The City of Melissa is committed to increasing the contingency or General Fund balance to defray unforeseen budget shortfalls. The Council adopts financial policies annually, including a goal of reserving at least 90 days of operating expenses for the City's General Fund. The fund balance ended at 90 days at 9/30/24. The FY 25 budget provides for an approximate increase of \$1,000,000 in the General Fund balance to remain at the 90 day benchmark.

CONTACTING THE CITY'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

The financial report is designed to provide our citizens, customers, investors and creditors with a general overview of the City's finances. If you have questions about this report or need any additional information, contact the Department of Finance at 3411 Barker Avenue Melissa, Texas 75454.

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BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

				Compon	ent Units
	Governmental	Business-type		Community	Economic
	Activities	Activities	Totals	Development	Development
ASSETS					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 98,417,129	\$ 26,517,659	\$ 124,934,788	\$ 3,568,991	\$ 6,238,212
Receivables (net of allowance for uncollectibles):	1,971,273	3,135,731	5,107,004	355,792	355,792
Contribution receivable	-	256,000	256,000	-	-
Internal balances	533,892	(533,892)	-	-	-
Prepaid items and other	32,544		32,544		
Total current assets	100,954,838	29,375,498	130,330,336	3,924,783	6,594,004
Contribution receivable, noncurrent	-	1,408,000	1,408,000	-	-
Capital assets:					
Nondepreciable	28,682,110	3,228,153	31,910,263	16,166	129,076
Depreciable, net of accumulated depreciation	124,285,381	127,886,510	252,171,891		
Total noncurrent assets	152,967,491	132,522,663	285,490,154	16,166	129,076
Total assets	253,922,329	161,898,161	415,820,490	3,940,949	6,723,080
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES					
Deferred charge on refunding	148,809	42,780	191,589	-	-
Deferred outflow related to pensions	1,569,329	264,000	1,833,329	-	-
Deferred outflow related to OPEB	28,219	4,747	32,966		
Total deferred outflows of resources	1,746,357	311,527	2,057,884		

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

				Component Units			
	Governmental			Community	Economic		
	Activities	Activities	Totals	Development	Development		
LIABILITIES							
Accounts payable	\$ 4,639,456	\$ 2,287,901	\$ 6,927,357	\$ -	\$ -		
Accrued liabilities	694,434	32,813	727,247	-	-		
Customer deposits	-	1,739,332	1,739,332	-	-		
Unearned revenue	250,000	-	250,000	-	-		
Accrued interest	924,457	321,932	1,246,389	-	-		
Noncurrent liabilities:							
Due within one year:							
Long-term debt	4,870,298	1,940,956	6,811,254	-	-		
Due in more than one year:							
Long-term debt	112,124,708	33,335,824	145,460,532	-	-		
Net pension liability	2,842,095	478,110	3,320,205	-	-		
Total OPEB liability	96,291	16,198	112,489				
Total liabilities	126,441,739	40,153,066	166,594,805				
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES							
Deferred inflow related to leases	157,063	-	157,063	-	-		
Deferred inflow related to OPEB	50,708	8,530	59,238				
Total deferred inflows of resources	207,771	8,530	216,301				
NET POSITION							
Net investment in capital assets	67,896,525	95,928,012	163,824,537	16,166	129,076		
Restricted for:							
Municipal court	152,931	-	152,931	-	-		
Debt service	2,188,089	-	2,188,089	-	-		
Capital projects	33,849,299	7,496,585	41,345,884	-	-		
Outfit vehciles	266,400	-	266,400	-	-		
PEG fees	40,671	-	40,671	-	-		
Community development	-	-	-	3,924,783	-		
Economic development	-	-	-	-	6,594,004		
Unrestricted	24,625,261	18,623,495	43,248,756				
Total net position	\$ 129,019,176	\$ 122,048,092	\$ 251,067,268	\$ 3,940,949	\$ 6,723,080		

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

			Program Revenues							
					0	perating		Capital		
				Charges	Gı	rants and	(Grants and		
Functions/Programs		Expenses	f	or Services	Cor	ntributions	Contributions			
Governmental activities:										
General government	\$	12,236,798	\$	5,817,288	\$	63,290	\$	683,450		
Public safety	Ą	9,769,117	Þ	921,418	Ą	94,871	Þ	005,450		
Culture and recreation		3,283,626		246,437		547,045		3,326,300		
Public works		2,997,765		240,437		138,167		6,854,655		
				-		136,107		0,634,033		
Interest and other		4,328,710			-		-	-		
Total governmental activities		32,616,016		6,985,143		843,373		10,864,405		
Business-type activities:										
Water and sewer		18,634,169		19,506,482		_		38,447,268		
						_		30,447,200		
Sanitation		1,453,493		1,641,334	-			-		
Total business-type activities		20,087,662		21,147,816	-			38,447,268		
Total primary government	\$	52,703,678	\$	28,132,959	\$	843,373	\$	49,311,673		
Component units:										
Community development	\$	1,032,798	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_		
Economic development	4	783,661	Ψ	_	4	_	Ψ	_		
Economic development					-					
Total Component Units	\$	1,816,459	\$		\$		\$			

General revenues:

Taxes:

Property tax

Sales tax

Franchise and local tax

Investment earnings

Miscellaneous

Transfers

Total general revenues and transfers

Change in net position

Net position, beginning

Net position, ending

		Pr	imary Governm	ent		Component Units				
	Governmental Activities	E	Business-type Activities	Total			Community evelopment	Economic Development		
\$	(5,672,770) (8,752,828) 836,156 3,995,057 (4,328,710) (13,923,095)	\$	- - - - -	\$	(5,672,770) (8,752,828) 836,156 3,995,057 (4,328,710) (13,923,095)	\$	- - - - - -	\$	- - - - -	
	- - - (13,923,095)		39,319,581 187,841 39,507,422 39,507,422		39,319,581 187,841 39,507,422 25,584,327		- - - -		- - - -	
							(1,032,798) - (1,032,798)		(783,661) (783,661)	
_	14,680,643 4,553,482 1,204,204 4,830,416 85,646 5,072,765 30,427,156		- - - 1,163,666 24,305 (5,072,765) (3,884,794)		14,680,643 4,553,482 1,204,204 5,994,082 109,951 - 26,542,362	_	- 2,271,793 143,750 - - - 2,415,543		2,271,793 271,985 - - 2,543,778	
	16,504,061 112,515,115		35,622,628 86,425,464		52,126,689 198,940,579		1,382,745 2,558,204		1,760,117 4,962,963	
\$	129,019,176	\$	122,048,092	\$	251,067,268	\$	3,940,949	\$	6,723,080	

BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

		General	 Debt Service	Transportation Construction		
ASSETS	,					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	60,916,258	\$ 1,330,776	\$	21,480,323	
Receivables, net		1,971,273	-		-	
Due from other funds		607,709	-		-	
Prepaid items		32,544	 -		-	
Total assets		63,527,784	 1,330,776		21,480,323	
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable		3,351,400	2,000		399,909	
Accrued liabilities		387,235	-		-	
Unearned revenue		250,000	-		-	
Due to other funds		52,792	 55,982			
Total liabilities		4,041,427	 57,982		399,909	
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES						
Related to leases		157,063	-		-	
Unavailable property taxes		83,055	-		-	
Unavailable court fines		667,991	 			
Total deferred inflows of resources		908,109	 <u> </u>		-	
FUND BALANCES						
Nonspendable:						
Prepaids		32,544	-		-	
Restricted:						
Municipal court		152,931	=		-	
Debt service			1,272,794		<u>-</u>	
Capital projects		32,587,171	=		21,080,414	
Outfit vehicles		266,400	-		-	
PEG fees		40,671	-		-	
Assigned		19,122,081	-		-	
Unassigned		6,376,450	 	-		
Total fund balances		58,578,248	 1,272,794		21,080,414	
Total liabilities, deferred inflows						
of resources, and fund balances	\$	63,527,784	\$ 1,330,776	\$	21,480,323	

			Nonmajor			Total		
		Facilities Construction			TIF	Governmental Funds		
					Fund			
\$	11,512,129	\$	1,390,683	\$	1,786,960	\$	98,417,129	
	-		-				1,971,273	
	-		-		52,792		660,501	
							32,544	
	11,512,129		1,390,683		1,839,752		101,081,447	
	775,427		110,720		-		4,639,456	
	-		-		-		387,235	
	-		-		-		250,000	
	-		17,835		-		126,609	
	775,427		128,555		-		5,403,300	
	- ,							
	_		_		_		157,063	
	_		_		_		83,055	
	_		_		_		667,991	
					_		908,109	
							900,109	
	-		-		-		32,544	
	_		_		_		152,931	
	_		_		1,839,752		3,112,546	
	10,736,702		1,262,128		1,033,732		65,666,415	
	10,730,702		1,202,120		_		266,400	
	_		_		_		40,671	
	_		_		_		19,122,081	
	_		_		_		6,376,450	
-	10,736,702	-	1,262,128	-	1 930 752		94,770,038	
	10,/30,/02		1,202,128		1,839,752		54,770,038	
_	11 512 120		1 200 602		1 020 752	.	101 001 447	
\$	11,512,129	\$	1,390,683	\$	1,839,752	\$	101,081,447	

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RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

Total fund balances - governmental funds balance sheet	\$ 94,770,038
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position are different because:	
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not current financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds.	152,967,491
Other long-term assets are not available to pay for current-period expenditures and therefore are deferred in the governmental funds.	
Property taxes Court fines	83,055 667,991
Differences between expected and actual experiences, assumption changes and net differences between projected and actual earnings and contributions subsequent to the measurement date for the postretirement benefits (pension and OPEB) are recognized as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources on the statement of net position.	
Deferred outflows - pension related Deferred outflows - OPEB related Deferred inflows - OPEB related	1,569,329 28,219 (50,708)
Long-term liabilities that are not due and payable in the current period, and therefore, are not reported in the funds.	
Net pension liability OPEB liability	(2,842,095) (96,291)
General obligation bonds Certificates of obligation	(15,810,000) (90,940,000)
Financing arrangements	(2,411,800)
Accrued interest Leases	(924,457) (627,606)
SBITA	(176,349)
Compensated absences Retainage payable	(265,314) (307,199)
Governmental funds report the effect of premiums, refundings and similar items when debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities.	
Deferred amount on refunding	148,809
Premium on bonds	 (6,763,937)
Net position of governmental activities	\$ 129,019,176

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	General		Debt Service		Transportation Construction	
REVENUES Property taxes Sales taxes Franchise taxes Road impact fees	\$	9,484,939 4,553,482 1,204,204 6,011,692	\$	3,679,546 - - -	\$	- - -
Park development fees License and permits Charges for services Fines and forfeitures Platting and development		3,202,000 4,385,202 246,437 940,863 1,325,341		- - - -		- - - -
Intergovernmental Lease Investment earnings Miscellaneous Total revenues		216,800 109,975 3,170,264 85,646 34,936,845		1,434,323 - 73,879 - 5,187,748		1,024,144 - 1,024,144
EXPENDITURES		3 1/3 3 6/6 13		3,10,7,10		1/02 1/11 1
Current: General government Public safety Culture and recreation Public works		10,557,563 8,487,296 2,035,185 688,899		- - -		- - - -
Capital outlay Debt service: Principal Interest and other		8,506,918 499,411 105,420		- 3,625,000 3,848,893		4,012,433 - 34,629
Total expenditures EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES		30,880,692		7,473,893		4,047,062
OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		4,056,153		(2,286,145)		(3,022,918)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Issuance of debt Premium on issuance of debt Issuance of lease		900,000 - 276,172		- - -		4,870,000 164,629 -
Transfers in Transfers out Total other financing sources and uses		2,948,177 (1,728,080) 2,396,269		2,319,900 - 2,319,900		500,000 - 5,534,629
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		6,452,422		33,755		2,511,711
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		52,125,826		1,239,039		18,568,703
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	58,578,248	\$	1,272,794	\$	21,080,414

Park		Facilities	Nonmajor TIF		Total Governmental		
Construction		Construction	Fund		Funds		
\$	- - - - - - - - - 288,373	\$	\$	1,558,141 - - - - - - - - - - 78,089	\$ 14,722,626 4,553,482 1,204,204 6,011,692 3,202,000 4,385,202 246,437 940,863 1,325,341 1,651,123 109,975 4,830,416		
	- 200 272	105.667		- 1 626 220	85,646		
	288,373	195,667		1,636,230	43,269,007		
	-	-		-	10,557,563		
	-	-		-	8,487,296 2,035,185		
	-	-		-	688,899		
	1,408,578	11,382,029		-	25,309,958		
	-	-		-	4,124,411		
	78,329	- 11 202 020		-	4,067,271		
	1,486,907 (1,198,534)	11,382,029 (11,186,362)		1,636,230	55,270,583 (12,001,576)		
	12,165,000 413,329 - -	- - - 4,884,661		- - - -	17,935,000 577,958 276,172 10,652,738		
	(2,450,412)	+,00 + ,001 -		(1,401,481)	(5,579,973)		
	10,127,917	4,884,661		(1,401,481)	23,861,895		
	8,929,383	(6,301,701)		234,749	11,860,319		
	1,807,319	7,563,829		1,605,003	82,909,719		
\$	10,736,702	\$ 1,262,128	\$	1,839,752	\$ 94,770,038		

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RECONCILIATION OF STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IS FUND BALANCE OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds:

\$11,860,319

Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the governmental activities statement of activities, the cost of these assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital outlays exceeded depreciation in the current period.

Capital assets	25,693,724
Depreciation	(7,008,124)

The net effect of various miscellaneous transactions involving capital assets (i.e., sales, trade-ins, and donations) is to increase net position.

Donation of capital assets	842,963
Disposals of capital assets	(25,673)

Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds.

Property taxes	(41,983)
Court fines	(22,675)

Bond and other debt proceeds provide current financial resources to governmental funds, but issuing debt increases long-term liabilities in the Statement of Net Position. Repayment of bond and other debt principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the Statement of Net Position. Also, governmental funds report the effect of premiums and similar items when debt is first issued, where as these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities.

Principal payments	4,124,411
Long-term debt issuance	(18,789,130)

Some expenses reported in the governmental activities statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds.

Compensated absences	20,039
Accrued interest	(564,470)
Net pension liability	115,759
Total OPEB liability	(4,130)
Amortization of deferred charges on refunding	(74,405)
Amortization of bond premium	377,436

Change in net position of governmental activities \$16,504,061

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUND

SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	Utility Fund
ASSETS	
Current assets Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 26,517,659
Receivables, net	3,135,731
Contribution receivable, current	256,000
Total current assets	29,909,390
Noncurrent assets	
Contribution receivable, noncurrent	1,408,000
Capital assets: Nondepreciable	2 220 152
Depreciable, net of accumulated depreciation	3,228,153 127,886,510
Total noncurrent assets	132,522,663
Total assets	162,432,053
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	
Deferred charge on refunding	42,780
Deferred outflow related to pensions	264,000
Deferred outflow related to OPEBs	4,747
Total deferred outflows of resources	311,527
LIABILITIES	
Current liabilities:	
Accounts payable	2,287,901
Accrued liabilities	32,813 1,739,332
Customer deposits Accrued interest	321,932
Due to other funds	533,892
Compensated absences, current	11,837
Leases, current	100,069
Bonds payable, current	1,829,050
Total current liabilities	6,856,826
Noncurrent liabilities:	
Compensated absences	35,512
Leases Rende navable	283,923
Bonds payable Net pension liability	33,016,389 478,110
OPEB liability	16,198
Total noncurrent liabilities	33,830,132
Total liabilities	40,686,958
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	
Deferred inflow related to OPEB	8,530
Total deferred inflows of resources	8,530
NET POSITION Net investment in capital assets	95,928,012
Restricted for capital projects	7,496,585
Unrestricted	18,623,495
Total net position	\$ 122,048,092

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

		Utility Fund
OPERATING REVENUES		
Charges for services:		
Water revenue	\$	11,148,239
Sanitation revenue		1,641,334
Sewer revenue		7,626,133
Meter installations		283,896
Reconnect fees		285,351
Other		162,863
Total operating revenues		21,147,816
OPERATING EXPENSES		
Personnel services		1,559,989
Materials and supplies		6,103,160
Contractual services		9,032,644 1,887,698
Depreciation		18,583,491
Total operating expenses		10,303,491
OPERATING INCOME		2,564,325
NONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES)		
Investment earnings		1,163,666
Interest expense		(1,483,103)
Bond issuance costs		(21,068)
Gain on sale of assets		24,305
Total nonoperating revenues (expenses)		(316,200)
INCOME BEFORE CONTRIBUTIONS		
AND TRANSFERS		2,248,125
Capital contributions - capital assets		36,523,766
Capital contributions - developer contributions		227,536
Capital contributions - impact fees		1,695,966
Transfers out		(5,072,765)
CHANGE IN NET POSITION		35,622,628
NET POSITION, BEGINNING		86,425,464
NET POSITION, ENDING	<u>\$</u>	122,048,092

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

		Utility Fund
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Cash received from customers Cash paid to employees Cash paid to suppliers and service providers Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	20,832,356 (1,538,203) (11,677,446) 7,616,707
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES Cash received from other funds Transfers paid to other funds Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities	_	572,228 (5,072,765) (4,500,537)
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES Acquisition and construction of capital assets Capital contributions Proceeds from issuance of long-term debt Principal payment on long-term debt Interest paid on long-term debt Bond issuance costs and fees Proceeds from sale of assets Net cash provided (used) by capital and related financing activities	_	(489,753) 277,333 5,200,068 (1,826,732) (1,320,003) (21,068) 24,305
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Interest received on investments Net cash provided by investing activities NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		1,163,666 1,163,666 6,123,986
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING		20,393,673
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, ENDING	\$	26,517,659

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	Utility Fund
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME TO NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	rana
Operating income	\$ 2,564,325
Adjustments to reconcile operating income to	
net cash provided by operating activities:	1 007 600
Depreciation (Increase) decrease in	1,887,698
(Increase) decrease in: Accounts receivable	(666,410)
Prepaids	2,755,767
Deferred outflows	(8,420)
Increase (decrease) in:	(-,,
Accounts payable	702,591
Accrued liabilities	11,519
Customer deposits	350,950
Compensated absences	14,399
Net pension liability	4,059
Total OPEB liability	3,438
Deferred inflows	 (3,209)
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 7,616,707
SCHEDULE OF NON-CASH CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES	
Contributions of capital assets	\$ 36,523,766
Right to use equipment on account	34,336

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Reporting Entity

The City of Melissa, Texas is a municipal corporation governed by an elected six-member council and mayor. As required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, these financial statements present the government and its component units, entities for which the government is considered to be financially accountable. Each discretely presented component unit is reported in a separate column in the government-wide financial statements to emphasize it is legally separate from the government. Each discretely presented component unit has a September 30 year end.

Considerations regarding the potential for inclusion of other entities, organizations or functions in the City's financial reporting entity are based on criteria prescribed by generally accepted accounting principles. These same criteria are evaluated in considering whether the City is a part of any other governmental or other type of reporting entity. The overriding elements associated with prescribed criteria considered in determining that the City's financial reporting entity status is that of a primary government are that it has a separately elected governing body; it is legally separate; and is fiscally independent of other state and local governments. Additionally, prescribed criteria under generally accepted accounting principles include considerations pertaining to organizations for which the primary government is financially accountable, and considerations pertaining to organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the primary government are such that exclusion would cause the reporting entity's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete.

Discretely Presented Component Units

Melissa Industrial and Economic Development Corporation

The Melissa Industrial and Economic Development Corporation (the "MIEDC") serves all citizens of the City and is governed by a board appointed by the City's elected council. The City can remove appointed board members at will. The scope of public service of the MIEDC benefits the City and its citizens by developing economic resources and is operated primarily within the geographic boundaries of the City. The Board is not substantially the same as the City Council, and therefore, is discretely presented.

Melissa Community and Economic Development Corporation

The Melissa Community Development Corporation (the "MCEDC") serves all citizens of the City and is governed by a board appointed by the City's elected council. The City can remove appointed board members at will. The scope of public service of the MCEDC benefits the City and its citizens by developing recreational resources and is operated primarily within the geographic boundaries of the City. The Board is not substantially the same as the City Council, and therefore, is discretely presented.

The MIEDC and MCEDC do not prepare separate financial statements; however, the presentations in the basic financial statements and the other supplementary information are a complete presentation.

B. Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the primary government and its component units. *Governmental activities*, which normally are supported by taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and other nonexchange transactions, are reported separately from *business-type activities*, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges to external customers for support. Likewise, the *primary government* is reported separately from certain legally separate component units for which the primary government is financially accountable.

While separate government-wide and fund financial statements are presented, they are interrelated. The governmental activities column incorporates data from governmental funds while business-type activities incorporate data from the government's enterprise funds. Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and the proprietary funds.

As discussed earlier, the government has two discretely presented component units and are shown in separate columns in the government-wide financial statements.

As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements. Exceptions to this general rule are payments in lieu of taxes where the amounts are reasonably equivalent in value to the interfund services provided and other charges between the City's utility function and various other functions of the City. Elimination of these charges would distort the direct costs and program revenues reported for the various functions concerned.

The fund financial statements provide information about the City's funds. Separate statements for each fund category; governmental and proprietary are presented. The emphasis of fund financial statements is on major governmental and enterprise funds, each displayed in a separate column. All remaining governmental and enterprise funds are aggregated and reported as nonmajor funds. Major individual governmental and enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

The City reports the following major governmental funds:

The general fund is the government's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund. The principal sources of revenues include local property taxes, sales and franchise taxes, road impact fees, licenses and permits, fines and forfeitures, and charges for services. Expenditures include general government, public safety, public works, and culture and recreation.

The debt service fund accounts for resources accumulated and payments made for principal and interest on long-term general obligation debt of governmental funds.

The transportation construction fund is a capital projects fund for the acquisition of capital assets or construction of roads projects financed with restricted resources.

The facilities construction fund is a capital projects fund for the acquisition of assets or construction of public facilities financed by restricted resources.

The City reports the following major proprietary fund:

The utility fund is a proprietary fund used to account for those operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business or where the council had decided that the determination of revenues earned, costs incurred, and/or net income is necessary for management accountability. The City's utility fund is for water, sewer, and sanitation operations.

Additionally, the government reports the following fund types:

The City accounts for resources restricted to, or designated for, specific purposes in a special revenue fund. This consist of the tax increment fund.

During the course of operations, the government has activity between funds for various purposes. Any residual balances outstanding at year end are reported as due from/to other funds and advances to/from other funds. While these balances are reported in fund financial statements, certain eliminations are made in the preparation of the government-wide financial statements. Balances between the funds included in governmental activities (i.e., the governmental and internal service funds) are eliminated so that only the net amount is included as internal balances in the governmental activities column. Similarly, balances between the funds included in business-type activities (i.e., the enterprise funds) are eliminated so that only the net amount is included as internal balances in the business-type activities column.

Further, certain activity occurs during the year involving transfers of resources between funds. In fund financial statements these amounts are reported at gross amounts as transfers in/out. While reported in fund financial statements, certain eliminations are made in the preparation of the government-wide financial statements. Transfers between the funds included in governmental activities are eliminated so that only the net amount is included in business-type activities are eliminated so that only the net amount is included as transfers in the business-type activities column.

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The accounting and financial reporting treatment is determined by the applicable measurement focus and basis of accounting. Measurement focus indicates the type of resources being measured such as current financial resources or economic resources. The basis of accounting indicates the timing of transactions or events for recognition in the financial statements.

The government-wide financial statements and proprietary funds are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the full accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

The governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences, and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Issuance of long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

Property taxes, sales taxes, franchise taxes, licenses, and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. Entitlements are recorded as revenues when all eligibility requirements are met, including any time requirements, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for this revenue source (within 60 days of year end). Expenditure-driven grants are recognized as revenue when the qualifying expenditures have been incurred and all other eligibility requirements have been met, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for this revenue source (within 60 days of year end). All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the government.

E. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows, and Net Position/Fund Balance

Deposits and Investments

The City's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition. For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, the proprietary fund types consider temporary investments with maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents.

Investments for the City are reported at fair value, except for the position in investment pools. The City's investments in Pools are reported at the net asset value per share (which approximates fair value) even though it is calculated using the amortized cost method.

The City has adopted a written investment policy regarding the investment of its funds as defined in the Public Funds Investment Act, Chapter 2256, of the Texas Governmental Code. In summary, the City is authorized to invest in the following:

Direct obligations of the U.S. Government Fully collateralized certificates of deposit and money market accounts Statewide investment pools

Receivables and Interfund Transactions

Transactions between funds that are representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the year are referred to as either "interfund receivables/payables" (i.e., the current portion of interfund loans) or "advances to/from other funds" (i.e., the non-current portion of interfund loans). All other outstanding balances between funds are reported as "due to/from other funds" in the fund financial statements. If the transactions are between the primary government and its component unit, these receivables and payables are classified as "due to/from component unit/primary government." Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and business-type activities are reported in the government-wide financial statements as "internal balances."

Advances between funds are offset by a nonspendable fund balance account in the applicable governmental fund to indicate they are not available for appropriation and are not expendable available financial resources.

All trade receivables are shown net of any allowance for uncollectible amounts.

Inventories and Prepaid Items

The costs of governmental fund type inventories are recorded as expenditures when the related liability is incurred, (i.e., the purchase method). The inventories of supplies are valued at the lower of cost or market using the first-in/first-out method. Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods (prepaid expenditures) are recognized as expenditures when utilized.

Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, right to use assets, and infrastructure assets (e.g., roads, bridges, sidewalks, and similar items) are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities columns in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the City as assets with an initial individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of two year. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at their acquisition value at the date of donation. Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed.

Interest costs incurred in connection with construction of enterprise fund capital assets are capitalized when the effects of capitalization materially impact the financial statements.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend assets' lives are not capitalized.

Property, plant, and equipment of the primary government, as well as the component units, are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful years.

Asset Description	Years
Vehicles	5
Machinery and equipment	5-10
Infrastructure	40
Buildings and improvements	40
Right to use equipment	5
Right to use SBITAs	2-5

Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net assets that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The City has two items that qualify for reporting in this category: deferred charges on refunding and deferred outflow related to pensions and OPEB reported in the government-wide statement of net position. A deferred charge on refunding results from the difference in the carrying value of refunded debt and its reacquisition price. This amount is deferred and amortized over the shorter of the life of the refunded or refunding debt. The item related to retiree benefit plans represents the City's share of the unrecognized plan deferred outflow of resources which the retiree benefit plans use in calculating the ending net pension liability.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net assets that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The government has only one type of item, which arises only under a modified accrual basis of accounting, that qualifies for reporting in this category. Accordingly, the item, unavailable revenue, is reported only in the governmental funds balance sheet. These amounts are deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period that the amounts become available. The City also recognizes their share of the unrecognized retiree benefit plan deferred inflows of resources which the retiree benefit plan uses in calculating the ending net pension and OPEB liabilities. Lastly, the City recognizes deferred inflows related to leases for its lessor transactions. These amounts offset the receivable related to the lease and will be recognized systematically in future years over the life of the lease.

Net Position Flow Assumption

Sometimes the government will fund outlays for a particular purpose from both restricted (e.g., restricted bond or grant proceeds) and unrestricted resources. In order to calculate the amounts to report as restricted – net position and unrestricted – net position in the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements, a flow assumption must be made about the order in which the resources are considered to be applied. It is the government's policy to consider restricted – net position to have been depleted before unrestricted – net position is applied.

Fund Balance Flow Assumptions

Sometimes the government will fund outlays for a particular purpose from both restricted and unrestricted resources (the total of committed, assigned, and unassigned fund balance). In order to calculate the amounts to report as restricted, committed, assigned, and unassigned fund balance in the governmental fund financial statements a flow assumption must be made about the order in which the resources are considered to be applied. It is the government's policy to consider restricted fund balance to have been depleted before using any of the components of unrestricted fund balance. Further, when the components of unrestricted fund balance can be used for the same purpose, committed fund balance is depleted first, followed by assigned fund balance. Unassigned fund balance is applied last.

Fund Balance Policies

Fund balance of governmental funds is reported in various categories based on the nature of any limitations requiring the use of resources for specific purposes. The government itself can establish limitations on the use of resources through either a commitment (committed fund balance) or an assignment (assigned fund balance).

The committed fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by a formal action of the government's highest level of decision-making authority. The governing council is the highest level of decision-making authority for the government that can, by adoption of an ordinance prior to the end of the fiscal year, commit fund balance. Once adopted, the limitation imposed by the ordinance remains in place until a similar action is taken (the adoption of another ordinance) to remove or revise the limitation.

Amounts in the assigned fund balance classification are intended to be used by the government for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as committed. The governing body (council) has by resolution authorized the finance director to assign fund balance. The council may also assign fund balance as it does when appropriating fund balance to cover a gap between estimated revenue and appropriations in the subsequent year's appropriated budget. Unlike commitments, assignments generally only exist temporarily. In other words, an additional action does not normally have to be taken for the removal of an assignment. Conversely, as discussed above, an additional action is essential to either remove or revise a commitment.

The government has adopted a policy to maintain a minimum reserve of unassigned fund balance in the general fund at an amount equal to or greater than 25% of operating expenditures of that fund.

Long-Term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities statement of net position. The long-term debt consists primarily of bonds payable and accrued compensated absences.

Long-term debt for governmental funds is not reported as liabilities in the fund financial statements until due. The debt proceeds are reported as other financing sources, net of the applicable premium or discount and payments of principal and interest reported as expenditures. In the governmental fund types, issuance costs, even if withheld from the actual net proceeds received, are reported as debt service expenditures. However, claims and judgments paid from governmental funds are reported as a liability in the fund financial statements only for the portion expected to be financed from expendable available financial resources.

Long-term debt and other obligations, financed by proprietary funds, are reported as liabilities in the appropriate funds. For proprietary fund types, bond premiums and discounts are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method, if material. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount. Issuance costs are expensed when incurred.

Leases

The City has entered into various lease agreements as either lessee and lessor. Key estimates and judgments related to leases include how the City determines (1) the discount rate it uses to discount the expected lease payments to present value, (2) lease term, and (3) lease payments.

- The City uses the interest rate charged by the lessor as the discount rate, if available. When the interest rate charged by the lessor is not provided, the City generally uses its estimated incremental borrowing rate as the discount rate for leases.
- The lease term includes the noncancellable period of the lease. Lease payments included in the measurement of the lease liability are composed of fixed payments and purchase option price that the City is reasonably certain to exercise.

The City monitors changes in circumstances that would require a remeasurement of its lease and will remeasure the lease asset and liability if certain changes occur that are expected to significantly affect the amount of the lease liability or lease asset.

Lessee. The City is a lessee for noncancellable leases of equipment. The City recognizes a lease liability and an intangible right-to-use lease asset (lease asset) in the government-wide financial statements. At the commencement of a lease, the City initially measures the lease liability at the present value of payments expected to be made during the lease term. Subsequently, the lease liability is reduced by the principal portion of lease payments made. The lease asset is initially measured as the initial amount of the lease liability, adjusted for lease payments made at or before the lease commencement date, plus certain initial direct costs. Subsequently, the lease asset is amortized on a straight-line basis over its useful life. Lease assets are reported with other capital assets and lease liabilities are reported with long-term debt on the statement of net position.

Lessor. The City is a lessor in an arrangement allowing the placement of a cellular tower on City property. In both the government-wide financial statements and the governmental fund financial statements, the City initially measures the lease receivable and a deferred inflow of resources for the present value of payments expected to be made during the lease term. Subsequently, the lease receivable is reduced by the principal portion of lease payments made. The deferred inflow of resources is recognized as revenue on a systematic basis over the life of the lease.

Subscription-Based IT Arrangements

The City is a lessee for noncancellable subscription-based IT arrangements (SBITAs). The City recognizes a liability and an intangible right-to-use assets in the government-wide financial statements.

At the commencement of a SBITA, the City initially measures the liability at the present value of payments expected to be made during the agreement term. Subsequently, the liability is reduced by the principal portion of payments made. The asset is initially measured as the initial amount of the liability, adjusted for payments made at or before the commencement date, plus certain initial direct costs. Subsequently, the asset is amortized on a straight-line basis over its useful life.

Key estimates and judgments related to SBITAs include how the City determines (1) the discount rate it uses to discount the expected payments to present value, (2) agreement term, and (3) agreed upon payments.

- The City uses the interest rate charged by the lessor as the discount rate. When the interest rate charged by the lessor is not provided, the City generally uses its estimated incremental borrowing rate as the discount rate.
- The agreement term includes the noncancellable period of the SBITA.
- The agreed upon payments included in the measurement of the liability are composed of fixed payments and purchase option price that the City is reasonably certain to exercise.

The City monitors changes in circumstances that would require a remeasurement of its SBITA and will remeasure the asset and liability if certain changes occur that are expected to significantly affect the amount of the liability.

These right to use assets are reported with other capital assets and liabilities are reported with long term debt on the statement of net position.

Pensions

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, pension related deferred outflows and inflows of resources, and pension expense, City specific information about its Fiduciary Net Position in the Texas Municipal Retirement System (TMRS) and additions to/deductions from TMRS's Fiduciary Net Position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by TMRS. For this purpose, plan contributions are recognized in the period that compensation is reported for the employee, which is when contributions are legally due. Benefit payments and refunds are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

Other Postemployment Benefits ("OPEB")

Supplemental Death Benefit. For purposes of measuring the total Texas Municipal Retirement System Supplemental Death Benefit Fund (TMRS SDBF) OPEB liability, related deferred outflows and inflows of resources, and expense, City specific information about its total TMRS SDBF liability and additions to/deductions from the City's total TMRS SDBF liability have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by TMRS. The TMRS SDBF expense and deferred (inflows)/outflows of resources related to TMRS SDBF, primarily result from changes in the components of the total TMRS SDBF liability. Most changes in the total TMRS SDBF liability will be included in TMRS SDBF expense in the period of the change. For example, changes in the total TMRS SDBF liability resulting from current-period service cost, interest on the total OPEB liability, and changes of benefit terms are required to be included in TMRS SDBF expense immediately. Changes in the total TMRS SDBF liability that have not been included in TMRS SDBF expense are required to be reported as deferred outflows of resources or deferred inflows of resources related to TMRS SDBF.

Estimates

The preparation of financial statements, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles, requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenditures/expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

D. Revenues and Expenditures/Expenses

Program Revenues

Amounts reported as program revenues include 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment and 2) grants and contributions (including special assessments) that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. All taxes, including those dedicated for specific purposes, and other internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues.

Property Taxes

Property taxes are levied by October 1 on the assessed value listed as of the prior January 1 for all real and business personal property in conformity with Subtitle E, Texas Property Tax Code. Taxes are due on receipt of the tax bill and are delinquent if not paid before February 1 of the year following the year in which imposed. Under state law, property taxes levied on real property constitute a lien on the real property which cannot be forgiven without specific approval of the State Legislature. The lien expires at the end of twenty years. Taxes levied on personal property can be deemed uncollectible by the City.

Property taxes at the fund level are recorded as receivables and deferred revenues at the time the taxes are assessed. Revenues are recognized as the related ad valorem taxes are collected. Additional amounts estimated to be collectible in time to be a resource for payment of obligations incurred during the fiscal year and therefore susceptible to accrual in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles have been recognized as revenue.

Legislation was passed in 1979 and amended in 1981 by the Texas Legislature which affects the method of property assessment and tax collection in the City. This legislation, with certain exceptions, exempts intangible personal property and household goods. In addition, this legislature creates a "Property Tax Code" and provides, among other things, for the establishment of county-wide appraisal districts and for a State Property Tax Board which commenced operation in January 1980. The appraisal of property within the City is the responsibility of the Williamson County Tax Appraisal District. The Appraisal District is required under the Property Tax Code to assess all property within the appraisal district on the basis of 100 percent of its appraised value and is prohibited from applying any assessment rations. The value of real property within the Appraisal District must be reviewed at least every four years. The City, at its own expense, may challenge appraised values established by the Appraisal District through various appeals and, if necessary, legal action. Under this legislation, the City continues to set tax rates on property within the City limits. However, if the effective tax rate, excluding tax rates for bonds and other contractual obligations, adjusted for new improvements and revaluation, exceeds the rate of the previous year by more than eight percent, qualified voters of the City may petition for an election to determine whether to limit the tax rate to no more than eight percent above the rate of the previous year.

Compensated Absences

The City's policies permit employees to accumulate earned but unused vacation and sick pay benefits. There is no liability for unpaid accumulated sick leave since the City does not have a policy to pay any amounts when employees separate from service with the City.

All vacation and qualifying sick leave is accrued when incurred in the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements. A liability for these amounts is reported in governmental funds only if they are expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources, for example, as a result of employee resignations and retirements. Vested or accumulated vacation leave and compensated leave of government-wide and proprietary funds are recognized as an expense and liability of those funds as the benefits accrue to employees.

It is the City's policy to liquidate compensated absences with future revenues rather than with currently available expendable resources. Accordingly, the City's governmental funds recognize accrued compensated absences when it is paid.

Proprietary Funds Operating and Nonoperating Revenues and Expenses

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the utility fund are charges to customers for sales and services. The utility fund also recognizes as operating revenue the portion of tap fees intended to recover the cost of connecting new customers to the system. Operating expenses for proprietary funds include the cost of sales and services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

II. STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY

Expenditures Over Appropriations

For the year ended September 30, 2024, the general fund's total expenditures exceeded appropriations at the legal level of control by \$9,492,556. These overages were funded with more than anticipated revenue and assigned fund balance.

III. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS AND ACTIVITIES

DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

The primary government and its component units may invest in obligations of the U.S. Treasury or the State of Texas, certain U.S. agencies, certificates of deposits, money market savings accounts, certain municipal securities, repurchase agreements, common trust funds and other investments specifically allowed by the Public Funds Investment Act.

Interest rate risk: This is the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. In accordance with its investment policy, the City manages its exposure to declines in fair values by limiting the weighted average maturity of its investment portfolio to less than one year from the time of purchase. The weighted average maturity for the City's investment in external investment pools is less than 60 days.

Credit risk: The City's investment policy limits investments to obligations of the United States, State of Texas, or their agencies and instrumentalities with an investment quality rating of not less than "A" or its equivalent, by a nationally recognized investment rating firm. Other obligations must be unconditionally guaranteed (either express or implied) by the full faith and credit of the United States Government or the issuing U.S. agency and investment pools with an investment quality not less than AAA or AAA-m, or equivalent, by at least one nationally recognized rating service. As of September 30, 2024, the City did not maintain funds in any investment pools.

Custodial credit risk – deposits: In the case of deposits, this is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the City's deposits may not be returned to it. State statutes require that all deposits in financial institutions be insured or fully collateralized by U.S. government obligations or its agencies and instrumentalities or direct obligations of Texas or its agencies and instrumentalities that have a market value of not less than the principal amount of the deposits. As of September 30, 2024, the market values of pledged securities and FDIC exceeded bank balances.

Custodial credit risk – investments: For an investment, this is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the City will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The City's investment policy requires that it will seek safekeeping securities at financial institutions, avoiding physical possession. Further, all trades, where applicable, are executed by delivery versus payment to ensure that securities are deposited in the City's safekeeping account prior to the release of funds.

RECEIVABLES

The following comprise receivable balances of the primary government at year end:

	General	Utility		Totals
Property tax	\$ 118,233	\$ =	\$	118,233
Sales tax	711,588	-		711,588
Franchise tax	239,506	-		239,506
Court fines	3,339,954	-		3,339,954
Lease	157,625	-		157,625
Other	76,330	-		76,330
Customer accounts	-	3,534,718		3,534,718
Allowance	 (2,671,963)	 (398,987)	_	(3,070,950)
Totals	\$ 1,971,273	\$ 3,135,731	\$	5,107,004

The following comprise receivable balances of the component units at year end:

	Co	mmunity	E	conomic			
	Dev	velopment	Dev	velopment	Total		
Sales tax	\$	355 <i>.</i> 792	\$	355,792	\$	711,584	

Lease receivable - On July 1, 2016, an agreement as lessor for the placement of cellular tower on the City's property by a telecommunications company was renewed. The lessee is required to make monthly fixed payments of \$4,830, and the City recognized lease revenue of \$57,114 during the fiscal year. As of year end the lessee has 3 extension options, each for 60 months remaining.

Contribution receivable - In May 2016, the City entered into an Interlocal Agreement with North Texas Municipal Water District ("NTMWD"). The City and NTMWD determined a mutual need for the construction of a sanitary sewer line to serve the Stiff Creek basin. NTMWD owns and operates the 121 Regional Disposal Landfill Facility and would like to dispose of discharge by connecting the landfill to the Stiff Creek Sewer line. The agreement stipulates a contribution to the City by NTMWD to offset a portion of the City's capital costs. The City is responsible for the design, construction and maintenance of the sewer line. Upon completion of the project and once the sewer line can service the landfill, the City is responsible to notify the NTMWD, which initiates the capital contribution. Upon completion and notification, the NTMWD is obligated to make payments bi-annually on the last day of June and December, in accordance with the following payment schedule. As of September 30, 2024, the utility fund recorded a contribution receivable balance of \$1,664,000 on the statement of net position.

Fiscal Year	Amount		
2025	\$	256,000	
2026		234,667	
2027		213,333	
2028		192,000	
2029		170,667	
2030-2034		533,333	
2035-2036		64,000	
	\$	1,664,000	

INTERFUND BALANCES AND ACTIVITY

The composition of interfund balances as of September 30, 2024, is as follows:

Due from other funds	Due to other funds	/	Amount
General	Debt Service	\$	55,982
General	Utility		551,727
Nonmajor	General		52,792
Total		\$	660,501

Interfund receivables and payables generally arise from short-term cash advances between different funds with balances being repaid generally within one year.

Interfund transfers for the year ended September 30, 2024, are as follows:

Transfer To	Transfer From	 Amount	Purpose
General	Utility fund	\$ 497,765	Payment in lieu of taxes
General	Park Construction	2,450,412	Partial funding of land purchase
Debt Service	General	918,419	Debt service
Debt Service	TIF Fund	1,401,481	Debt service
Transportation Construction	General	500,000	Partial funding of capital project
Facility Construction	General	309,661	Partial funding of capital project
Facility Construction	Utility fund	 4,575,000	Partial funding of capital project
Total		\$ 10,652,738	

CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the year ended September 30, 2024 was as follows:

	Beginning Balance	9	Additions	1	Deletions	Δ	djustments/ Transfers	Ending Balance
Governmental activities:								
Capital assets, not								
being depreciated:								
Land	\$ 5,568	•	\$ 5,400,412	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 10,969,382
Construction in progress	43,495		 17,132,435	_	-		(42,915,273)	 17,712,728
Total assets not being depreciated	49,064	<u>,536</u>	 22,532,847	_			(42,915,273)	 28,682,110
Capital assets, being depreciated:								
Building and improvements	15,570	,683	2,937,241		-		20,588,864	39,096,788
Equipment	4,781	,105	1,005,517		(40,330)		-	5,746,292
Infrastructure	87,147	,450	47,715		-		22,326,409	109,521,574
Right to use vehicles	903	,388	313,875		(246,848)		-	970,415
Right to use SBITA	463	,842	 6,693		(44,852)		-	 425,683
Total capital assets								
being depreciated	108,866	,468	 4,311,041		(332,030)		42,915,273	 155,760,752
Less accumulated depreciation:								
Building and improvements	(6,187	,731)	(1,642,733)		-		-	(7,830,464)
Equipment	(2,721	,606)	(499,996)		40,330		-	(3,181,272)
Infrastructure	(15,455	,044)	(4,517,532)		-		-	(19,972,576)
Right to use vehicles	(298	,229)	(230,180)		221,175		-	(307,234)
Right to use SBITA	(110	<u>,992</u>)	 (117,685)		44,852			 (183,825)
Total accumulated depreciation	(24,773	<u>,602</u>)	 (7,008,126)		306,357			 (31,475,371)
Total capital assets being								
depreciated, net	84,092	,866	 (2,697,085)		(25,673)		42,915,273	 124,285,381
Governmental activities								
capital assets, net	\$ 133,157	,402	\$ 19,835,762	\$	(25,673)	\$		\$ 152,967,491

Depreciation was charged to governmental functions as follows:

Governmental activities:	
General government	\$ 1,723,022
Public safety	1,706,678
Culture and recreation	1,277,236
Public works	 2,301,190
Total depreciation expense - governmental activities	\$ 7,008,126

A summary of changes in business-type activities capital assets for the year end was as follows:

	Ending Balance	Additions	Deletions	Д	djustments/ Transfers	Ending Balance
Business-type activities:			•			
Capital assets, not						
being depreciated:						
Land	\$ 1,482,636	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-	\$ 1,482,636
Construction in progress	 7,154,318	1,231,029	 		(6,639,830)	1,745,517
Total assets not being depreciated	 8,636,954	 1,231,029	 		(6,639,830)	 3,228,153
Capital assets, being depreciated:						
Building and system	85,081,902	36,523,766	-		6,639,830	128,245,498
GTUA - Waterlines	9,804,167	1,364,000	-		-	11,168,167
Equipment	800,762	113,051	-		-	913,813
Right to use vehicles	 531,376	 35,580	(53,298)			513,658
Total capital assets						
being depreciated	 96,218,207	 38,036,397	 (53,298)		6,639,830	 140,841,136
Less accumulated depreciation:						
Building and system	(6,980,511)	(1,456,620)	-		-	(8,437,131)
GTUA - Waterlines	(3,404,211)	(279,204)	-		-	(3,683,415)
Equipment	(596,148)	(44,059)	-		-	(640,207)
Right to use vehicles	 (86,058)	(107,815)	 			(193,873)
Total accumulated depreciation	 (11,066,928)	 (1,887,698)	 _			 (12,954,626)
Total capital assets being						
depreciated, net	 85,151,279	 36,148,699	 (53,298)		6,639,830	 127,886,510
Business-type activities						
capital assets, net	\$ 93,788,233	\$ 37,379,728	\$ (53,298)	\$	-	\$ 131,114,663

Depreciation was charged to business-type activities as follows:

Business-type activities:

Water and sewer <u>\$ 1,887,698</u>

Total depreciation expense - business-type activities \$ 1,887,698

A summary of changes in component-unit activities capital assets for the year end was as follows:

	Beginning Balance	Ac	dditions	Del	letions	•	stments/ nsfers	Ending Balance
Component-Unit activities:								
Capital assets, not								
being depreciated:								
Land	\$ 129,076	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 129,076
Construction in progress	 16,166				-		-	 16,166
Total assets not being depreciated	\$ 145,242	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 145,242

LONG-TERM LIABILITIES

Changes in the City's long-term liabilities for the year ended September 30, 2024 are as follows:

	Balance Beginning	Additions	Reductions	Balance Ending	Due Within One Year
Governmental activities:					
General obligation bonds	\$ 17,325,000	\$ -	\$ 1,515,000	\$ 15,810,000	\$ 1,440,000
Certificates of obligation	76,015,000	17,035,000	2,110,000	90,940,000	2,730,000
Bond premiums	6,563,415	577,958	377,436	6,763,937	-
Financing arrangements	1,689,874	900,000	178,074	2,411,800	389,958
Leases	585,737	276,172	234,303	627,606	173,979
SBITA	263,383	· -	87,034	176,349	70,032
Compensated absences	285,353	13,987	34,026	265,314	66,329
Total Governmental Activities	\$ 102,727,762	\$ 18,803,117	\$ 4,535,873	\$ 116,995,006	\$ 4,870,298
Business-type activities:					
General obligation bonds	\$ 1,495,000	\$ -	\$ 235,000	\$ 1,260,000	\$ 240,000
Certificates of obligation	23,070,000	3,890,000	1,075,000	25,885,000	1,160,000
Contract revenue bonds	4,987,500	1,364,000	414,750	5,936,750	429,050
Bond premiums	1,741,211	131,068	108,590	1,763,689	-
Leases	456,288	35,647	107,943	383,992	100,069
Compensated absences	32,950	15,124	725	47,349	11,837
Total Business-type Activities	31,782,949	5,435,839	1,942,008	35,276,780	1,940,956
Total Primary Government	\$ 134,510,711	\$ 24,238,956	\$ 6,477,881	\$ 152,271,786	\$ 6,811,254

Compensated absences of the governmental activities and business-type activities are paid by the General Fund and Utility Fund, respectively. Direct financing arrangements and leases are secured by the underlying asset. In the event of default, the lender may demand immediate payment or take possession of the asset.

Long-term debt at year end was comprised of the following:

Certificates of Obligation

2005A Certificates of Obligation issued December 30, 2005 due in annual installments through February 15, 2026, bearing interest rates at 4.05%,		
payable February 15 & August 15.	\$	115,000
2015 Certificates of Obligation issued January 1, 2015 due in annual installments through February 15, 2040, bearing interest at rates ranging from 2.375% to 4%, payable February 15 & August 15.	•	6,380,000
2016 Certificates of Obligation issued October 13, 2016 due in annual installments through September 30 2036, bearing interest rates ranging from 2.0% to 4.0%, payable February 15 & August 15.		3,440,000
2017 Certificates of Obligation issued July 13, 2017 due in annual installments through September 30 2037, bearing interest rates ranging from 3.0 to 4.0%, payable February 15 & August 15.		4,120,000
2018 Certificates of Obligation issued September 27, 2018 due in annual installments through September 30 2043, bearing interest rates ranging from 3.0 to 5.0%, payable February 15 & August 15.		8,020,000
2020 Certificates of Obligation issued May 27, 2020 due in annual installments through September 30, 2045, bearing interest rates ranging from 2.0 to 4.0%, payable February 15 & August 15.		3,980,000
2021 Certificates of Obligation issued September 23, 2021 due in annual installments through September 30, 2046, bearing interest rates ranging from 2.0 to 4.0%, payable February 15 & August 15.		27,605,000
2023 Certificates of Obligation issued March 30, 2023 due in annual installments through September 30, 2048 bearing interest rates ranging from 4% to 5%, payable February 15 & August 15.		20,245,000
2024 Certificates of Obligation issued May 23, 2024 due in annual installments through September 30, 2046 bearing interest rates ranging from 6% to 4%, payable February 15 & August 15.		17,035,000
Total Certificates of Obligation - Governmental Activities	\$	90,940,000
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Certificates of Obligation 2013 Certificates of Obligation issued February 12, 2013 due in annual installments through February 15, 2032, bearing interest rates from 2.0% to 3.0%, payable February 15 & August 15. 2,285,000 2014 Certificates of Obligation issued June 15, 2014 due in annual installments through February 15, 2034 bearing interest rates ranging from 2.0% to 3.75%, payable February 15 & August 15. 1,280,000 2015 Certificates of Obligation issued January 15, 2015 due in annual installments through February 15, 2040 bearing interest rates ranging from 2.375% to 4%, payable February 15 & August 15. 1,285,000 2016 Certificates of Obligation issued January 15, 2015 due in annual installments through February 15, 2040 bearing interest rate of 4%, payable February 15 & August 15. 3,615,000 2018 Certificates of Obligation issued September 27, 2018 due in annual installments through September 30, 2043 bearing interest rates ranging from 3% to 5%, payable February 15 & August 15. 6,470,000 2021 Certificates of Obligation issued September 30, 2021 due in annual installments through September 30, 2046 bearing interest rates ranging from 3% to 4%, payable February 15 & August 15. 7,060,000 2024 Certificates of Obligation issued May 23, 2024 due in annual installments through September 30, 2046 bearing interest rates ranging from 6% to 4%, payable February 15 & August 15. 3,890,000 **Total Certificates of Obligation - Business-type Activities** 25,885,000 **General Obligation** 2013 General Obligation Refunding & Improvement Bonds issued January 1, 2013 due in annual installments through February 15, 2032, bearing interest at rates ranging from 1.0% to 3.0%, payable February 15 & August 15. 410,000 2015 General Obligation Bonds issued January 15, 2015 due in annual installments through February 15, 2035, bearing interest at rates ranging from 2.3% to 4%, payable February 15 & August 15. 1,410,000 2016 General Obligation Bonds issued November 15, 2016 due in annual installments through February 15, 2036, bearing interest at rates ranging from 2.3% to 4%, payable February 15 & August 15. 7,400,000 2017 General Obligation Bonds issued July 13, 2017 due in annual installments through September 30, 2037, bearing interest at rates ranging from 3% to 4%, payable February 15 & August 15. 2,840,000 2018 General Obligation Bonds issued September 27, 2018 due in annual installments through September 30, 2043, bearing interest at rates ranging from 3% to 5%, payable February 15 & August 15. 3,540,000 2021 General Obligation Bonds issued September 23, 2021 due in annual installments through September 30, 2032, bearing an interest rate of 4%, payable February 15 & August 15. 210,000 15,810,000 **Total General Obligation bonds - Governmental Activities General Obligation** 2016 General Obligation Bonds issued January 15, 2015 due in annual

installments through February 15, 2040 bearing interest rates ranging from 2.375% to 4%, payable February 15 & August 15.

2021 General Obligation Bonds issued September 30, 2021 due in annual installments through September 30, 2032 bearing an interest rate of 4%, payable February 15 & August 15.

Total General Obligation bonds - Business-type Activities

600,000 1,260,000

660,000

Contract Revenue Bonds

Contract Revenue Bonds		
2005 Contract Revenue Bonds issued September 20, 2005 d installments through October 1, 2028, bearing interest rates 2.29% to 5.74%, payable April 1 \$306,250 & October 1.	ranging from	3,750
2006 Contract Revenue Bonds issued July 15, 2006 due in annual through February 1, 2040, bearing interest rates of 5.68% to 5. February 1.	83%, payable	6,250
2006 Contract Revenue Bonds issued November 1, 2006 d installments through June 1, 2026, bearing interest rates rangin to 3.75%, payable June 1 & December 1.	g from 2.95%	6,250
2007 Contract Revenue Bonds issued February 20, 2007 d installments through October 1, 2036, bearing interest rates fi 5.62%, payable October 1 & April 1.	om 2.67% to	4,500
2007A Contract Revenue Bonds issued February 7, 2008 d installments through June 1, 2028, bearing interest rates rangin to 4.10%, payable December 1 & June 1.	g from 2.95%	6,000
2009A Contract Revenue Bonds issued December 18, 2009 dinstallments through June 1, 2029, bearing interest rates rangin to 5.4%, payable June 1 & December 1.	g from 1.55%	5,000
2009B Contract Revenue Bonds issued December 18, 2009 dinstallments through June 1, 2029, bearing interest rates rangin to 4.45%, payable June 1 & December 1.	g from 0.66%	5,00 <u>0</u>
Total Contract Revenue Bonds - Business-type Activities	<u>\$ 5,936</u>	6,750
Financing Arrangements		
\$634,768 financing arrangements for the purchase of a Ferrara equipment. Payments are made annually at \$72,825 through 2023.21%.	28, interest at	9,526
\$861,000 financing arrangements for the purchase of a fire truare made annually at \$66,908 through 2036, interest at 1.98%.		8,440
\$580,000 financing arrangements for the purchase of a fire truare made annually at \$75,021 through 2033, interest at 1.98%.		3,834
\$900,000 financing arrangements for the purchase of a ten p Payments are made annually and range from \$211 thousand to \$ through 2027, interest at 6.23%.	238 thousand	0 000
Total Financing Arrangements - Governmental Activities		0,000 1,800
Lance		
Leases The City has entered into various lease agreements for vehicles a to make monthly fixed payments. The interest rates range from 2.3660%.	n 0.2480% to	7 606
Total Leases - Governmental Activities		7,606 7,606
Leases		
The City has entered into various lease agreements for vehicles a to make monthly fixed payments. The interest rates range from	n 0.2480% to	
2.3660%. Total Leases - Business-type Activities		3,992 3,992

SBITAs

\$309,690 subscription liability entered into on October 1, 2022 for the use of Incode software. Payments are made annually at \$54,834 through 2027, interest at 3.207%. The value of the right to use asset at year end is \$363,390 with accumulated amortization of \$143,051. The City has 5 extension options, each for 12 months. 154,489 \$60,473 subscription liability entered into on October 1, 2022 for the use of Abila - MIP Advance Upgrade. Payments are made monthly at \$1,713 through 2025, interest at 3.144%. The value of the right to use asset at year end is \$62,293 with accumulated amortization of \$40,774. The City has 3 extension options, each for 12 months. 21,860 **Total SBITAs - Governmental Activities**

The annual debt service requirements to maturity for long-term debt outstanding as of September 30, 2024, are as follows:

176,349

Certificates of Obligation

	Governm	nental Activities	Business Type Activities				
Fiscal Year	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest			
2025 2026	\$ 2,730,00 3,030,00	2,784,599	\$ 1,160,000 1,230,000	\$ 992,447 910,363			
2027 2028 2029	3,085,00 3,210,00 3,345,00	2,602,413	1,285,000 1,335,000 2,525,000	866,166 818,498 768,827			
2030-2034 2035-2039 2040-2044	19,085,00 21,520,00 21,660,00	8,965,000	7,415,000 5,800,000 3,720,000	3,033,328 1,806,106 898,444			
2045-2049	13,275,00	•	1,415,000	129,094			
Totals	\$ 90,940,00	<u>\$ 41,791,369</u>	\$ 25,885,000	\$ 10,223,272			

General Obligation Bonds

		Governmental Activities			Business Type Activities			
Fiscal <u>Year</u>	Principal		Interest		Principal		Interest	
2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 2030-2034	\$	1,440,000 1,430,000 1,360,000 1,430,000 1,100,000 6,020,000	\$	546,203 491,153 437,428 384,428 338,203 1,068,176	\$	245,000 245,000 215,000 230,000 75,000 250,000	\$	45,500 35,700 26,500 17,600 11,500 15,200
2035-2039 2040-2043	_	2,045,000 985,000		315,328 73,316		<u>-</u> 		<u>-</u>
Totals	<u>\$</u>	15,810,000	\$	3,654,235	\$	1,260,000	\$	152,000

Contract Revenue Bonds

	Business Type Activities					
Fiscal <u>Year</u>		Principal Interest				
2025 2026 2027	\$	429,050 596,100 498,450	\$	483,525 322,699 298,190		
2028 2029		525,650 468,000		245,402 254,329		
2030-2034 2035-2039		1,484,000 1,645,000		806,173 343,567		
2040	_	290,500	_	16,936		
Totals	\$	5,936,750	\$	2,770,820		

Financing Arrangements

	Governmental Activities					
Fiscal Year		Principal		Interest		
			-			
2025	\$	389,958	\$	78,650		
2026		382,834		85,774		
2027		401,742		66,866		
2028		421,686		46,923		
2029		116,046		25,883		
2030-2034		569,592		65,032		
2035-2039		129,942		3,872		
Totals	\$	2,411,800	\$	373,000		

Leases

		Governmental Activities			Business Type Activities			ctivities	
Fiscal Year	Principal		I	Interest		Principal		Interest	
2025 2026 2027 2028 2029	\$	173,979 164,726 154,944 116,834 17,123	\$	15,179 10,791 6,348 2,288 174	\$	100,069 101,688 104,333 74,773 3,129	\$	15,034 11,110 7,044 3,208 49	
Total	\$	627,606	\$	34,780	\$	383,992	\$	36,445	

SBITAs

	Governmental Activities						
Fiscal Year	F	Principal	It	nterest			
2025 2026	\$	70,032 53,187	\$	5,353 3,359			
2027		53,130		1,704			
Totals	\$	176,349	\$	10,416			

Defeased Debt

In prior years, the City defeased certificates of obligation and general obligation bonds by placing the proceeds of the net bonds in an irrevocable trust account to provide for all future debt service payments on the old bonds. Accordingly, the trust account assets and liability for the defeased bonds are not included in the government's financial statements. At September 30, 2024 the City had no defeased bonds outstanding.

ASSIGNED AND RESTRICTED GENERAL FUND BALANCE

The following includes assignments and restrictions of General fund balance.

	 Restricted	ed Assig	
Municipal court	\$ 152,931	\$	-
PEG fees	40,671		-
Capital projects	-		2,595,135
Information technology	-		722,382
City Hall	-		183,437
Special projects	-		4,870,365
Economic development	-		180,000
Body cameras	-		12,411
Tree and park projects	15,231,021		-
Roadway impact fees	17,356,150		-
Outfit vehicles	266,400		-
Facilities	-		4,700,000
Road repairs	-		782,680
Ticket writer program	-		28,171
Sale of land-various obligations	 		5,047,500
Totals	\$ 33,047,173	\$	19,122,081

CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS

Greater Texoma Utility Authority

Included in amounts reported as City's long-term debt are obligations entered into with the Greater Texoma Utility Authority (GTUA). Under the terms of the long-term water supply and sewer service contracts, GTUA uses bonded debt to finance and manage the construction of water and sewer infrastructure that is used by the City in operations. In turn, GTUA is granted an undivided ownership interest in the constructed assets equivalent to the percentage of the total cost of the facility provided by GTUA through the issuance of GTUA bonds. The City is then obligated to make payments to GTUA sufficient to fund:

- 1. The principal and interest on GTUA's bonds;
- 2. The maintenance of a reserve fund for the security and payment of GTUA's bonds;
- 3. The administrative and overhead expenses of GTUA directly attributable to the bonds; and
- 4. Any extraordinary expenses incurred by GTUA in connection with the bonds.

These agreements are in effect for each related GTUA bond project and remain in effect until that bond has been paid in full, is retired, and is no longer outstanding. At that time, GTUA's ownership interest in the facilities terminates.

As part of the City's obligation to GTUA, the City covenants that it will charge water fees sufficient to cover the debt service each year using operating funds. For the year ended September 30, 2024, operating revenues of the Utility fund were \$16.5 million, and the required payments made to GTUA under these agreements were \$885 thousand.

Collin Grayson Municipal Alliance Transmission Water Pipeline

In 2004, the City, along with the City of Van Alstyne, Howe, and Anna, formed a group called the Collin-Grayson Municipal Alliance ("CGMA"). CGMA entered into a long-term contractual obligation with GTUA for the purpose of providing funds for the construction of a transmission water pipeline that will provide water to CGMA cities. The cost of the pipeline is being funded in four phases.

Under the agreement, the City is obligated to purchase water under a take-or-pay arrangement, wherein the City is billed for actual water consumption but must pay a calculated minimum amount even if actual consumption is lower. The take-or-pay is calculated by CGMA annually and is based on CGMA's own take-or-pay arrangement with its water supplier.

Additionally, each CGMA city is obligated to fund a portion of the pipeline's costs, including maintenance and production costs as well as debt service. Initially, each city was responsible for 25% of costs until the pipeline project was completed. Subsequently, once the pipeline was operational and water was sold to each CGMA city, the debt service on the obligation is prorated to each City based upon its proportion of the total water purchased by the four cities. The sum of the four fractional amounts shall always equal 100% of the debt service on the contractual obligation with GTUA. The billing rates for each City will be calculated to provide funds necessary to cover the contractual obligation, interest, repairs, maintenance, and production costs. As of September 30, 2024, Melissa has a obligation of 35% of the water pipeline with change in debt service of \$1,359,350.

At the end of the contractual obligation with GTUA, the City will own an undivided interest in the transmission water pipeline based on the percentage of water it utilized and paid for during the contract term. The contract will expire and the transfer of ownership will occur during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2040, as long as no new debt is issued.

RISK MANAGEMENT

The City is exposed to various risk of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets, errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The City's general liability, automobile and property insurance is underwritten through a self-insurance fund for Texas political subdivisions. Premiums are paid to the carrier, and they administer all claims. The City is also insured for workers' compensation claims through a self-insurance fund for Texas political subdivisions. Rates are determined by the state, and the pool assigns discount rates to premiums based upon the City's claims history. The City retains, as a risk, only the deductible amount of each policy.

The City has maintained insurance coverage in all major categories of risk comparable to that of the prior year with no reduction in coverage. The amount of settlements during the past three years has not exceeded the insurance coverage.

DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN

The City offers its employees a deferred compensation plan created in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 457. The plan, available to all City employees at their option, permits participants to defer a portion of their salary until future years. The deferred compensation is not available to participants until termination, retirement, death, or unforeseeable emergency.

The City's responsibility is to transmit employee contributions to the third-party plan administrator for deposit to the credit of the individual participant accounts. The City does not have significant administrative involvement for the assets of the plan and does not perform the investment function for the plan.

DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS

Plan Description

The City participates as one of 934 plans in the defined benefit cash-balance plan administered by the Texas Municipal Retirement System (TMRS). TMRS is a statewide public retirement plan created by the State of Texas and administered in accordance with the TMRS Act, Subtitle G, Title 8, Texas Government Code (the TMRS Act) as an agent multiple-employer retirement system for employees of Texas participating cities. The TMRS Act places the general administration and management of the System with a six-member Board of Trustees; however, TMRS is not fiscally dependent on the State of Texas. Although the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoints the Board, TMRS is not fiscally dependent on the State of Texas. TMRS issues a publicly available annual comprehensive financial report (ACFR) that can be obtained at www.tmrs.org.

All eligible employees of the City are required to participate in TMRS.

Benefits Provided

TMRS provides retirement, disability, and death benefits. Benefit provisions are adopted by the governing body of the City, within the options available in the state statutes governing TMRS.

At retirement, the member's benefit is calculated based on the sum of the member's contributions, with interest, the city-financed monetary credits with interest. The retiring member may select one of seven monthly benefit payment options. Members may also choose to receive a portion of their benefit as a lump sum distribution in an amount equal to 12, 24 or 36 monthly payments, which cannot exceed 75% of the total member contributions and interest.

The plan provisions are adopted by the governing body of the City, within the options available in the state statutes governing TMRS. The plan provisions for the City were as follows:

Employee deposit rate 7%

Matching ratio (city to employee) 2 to 1

Years required for vesting 5

Retirement eligibility (age/service) 60/5, 0/20

Updated service credit 100% repeating, transfers

Retiree Cost of Living Adjustment 70% of CPI

Employees covered by benefit terms

At the December 31, 2023 valuation and measurement date, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

Inactive employees or beneficiaries current receiving benefits	28
Inactive employees entitled to but not yet received benefits	50
Active employees	83
Total	161

Contributions

Member contribution rates in TMRS are either 5%, 6% or 7% of the member's total compensation, and the city matching percentages are either 100%, 150%, or 200%, both as adopted by the governing body of the city. Under the state law governing TMRS, the contribution rate for each city is determined annually by the actuary, using the Entry Age Normal (EAN) actuarial cost method. The city's contribution rate is based on the liabilities created from the benefit plan options selected by the city and any changes in benefits or actual experience over time.

Employees for the City were required to contribute 7% of their annual compensation during the fiscal year. The contribution rates for the City were 17.46% and 17.49% in calendar years 2023 and 2024, respectively. The City's contributions to TMRS for the year ended September 30, 2024, were \$1,368,468, and were equal to the required contributions.

Net Pension Liability

The City's Net Pension Liability (NPL) was measured as of December 31, 2023, and the Total Pension Liability (TPL) used to calculate the Net Pension Liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date.

Actuarial assumptions:

The Total Pension Liability in the December 31, 2023, actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions:

Inflation 2.5% per year

Overall Payroll Growth 2.75% per year, adjusted down for population declines, if any Investment Rate of Return 6.75%, net of pension plan investment expense, including inflation

Salary increases are based on a service-related table. Mortality rates for active members are based on the PUB(10) mortality tables with 110% the Public Safety table used for males and 100% of the General Employee table used for females. Mortality rates for healthy retirees and beneficiaries are based on the Gender-distinct 2019 Municipal Retirees of Texas mortality tables. Male rates are multiplied by 103% and female rates are multiplied by 105%. The rates for actives, healthy retirees and beneficiaries are projected on a fully generational basis by the most recent Scale MP-2021 to account for future mortality improvements. For disabled annuitants, the same mortality tables for healthy retirees is used with a 4-year set-forward for males and a 3-year set-forward for females. In addition, a 3.5% and 3.0% minimum mortality rate is applied, for males and females respectively, to reflect the impairment for younger members who become disabled. The rates are projected on a fully generational basis by the most recent Scale MP-2021 to account for future mortality improvements subject to the 3% floor.

The actuarial assumptions were developed primarily from the actuarial investigation of the experience of TMRS over the four-year period from December 31, 2018 to December 31, 2022. The assumptions were adopted in 2023 and first used in December 31, 2023, actuarial valuation. The post-retirement mortality assumption for Annuity Purchase Rates (APRs) is based on the Mortality Experience Investigation Study covering 2009 through 2011 and dated December 31, 2013. Plan assets are managed on a total return basis with an emphasis on both capital appreciation as well as the production of income in order to satisfy the short-term and long-term funding needs of TMRS.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined by best estimate ranges of expected returns for each major asset class. The long-term expected rate of return is determined by weighting the expected return for each major asset class by the respective target asset allocation percentage. The target allocation and best estimates of the expected return for each major asset class in fiscal year 2024 are summarized in the following table:

		Long-Term Expected
	Target	Real Rate of
Asset Class	Allocation	Return (Arithmetic)
Global Public Equity	35.0%	7.70%
Core Fixed Income	6.0%	4.90%
Non-Core Fixed Income	20.0%	8.70%
Other Public and Private Markets	12.0%	8.10%
Real Estate	12.0%	5.80%
Hedge Funds	5.0%	6.90%
Private Equity	10.0%	11.80%
Total	100.0%	

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the Total Pension Liability was 6.75%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that employee and employer contributions will be made at the rates specified in statute. Based on that assumption, the pension plan's Fiduciary Net Position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current active and inactive employees. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all period of projected benefit payments to determine the Total Pension Liability.

	Increase (Decrease)					
	T	otal Pension	Plan Fiduciary		N	let Pension
		Liability	Net Position		Liability	
		(a)		(b)		(a) - (b)
Balance at 12/31/2022	\$	12,013,733	\$	8,548,445	\$	3,465,288
Changes for the year:						
Service cost		1,206,010		-		1,206,010
Interest		841,851		=		841,851
Difference between expected and						
actual experience		357,071		-		357,071
Change in assumptions		29,268		-		29,268
Contributions - employer		-		1,133,312		(1,133,312)
Contributions - employee		_		454,363		(454,363)
Net investment income		-		997,946		(997,946)
Benefits payments, including refunds						
of employee contributions		(289,729)		(289,729)		=
Administrative expense		=		(6,294)		6,294
Other change				(44)		44
Net changes		2,144,471		2,289,554		(145,083)
Balance at 12/31/2023	\$	14,158,204	\$	10,837,999	\$	3,320,205

Sensitivity of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the net pension liability of the City, calculated using the discount rate of 6.75%, as well as what the City's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (5.75%) or 1-percentage-point higher (7.75%) than the current rate:

	1% Decrease in				1% Increase in		
	i	n Discount	Discount		in Discount		
	Ra	Rate (5.75%)		Rate (6.75%)		Rate (7.75%)	
City's net pension liability	\$	5,841,950	\$	3,320,205	\$	1,301,984	

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the pension plan's Fiduciary Net Position is available in the Schedule of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position, by Participating City. That report may be obtained at <u>www.tmrs.org</u>.

Pension Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

For the year ended September 30, 2024, the City recognized pension expense of \$1,236,254.

At September 30, 2024, the City reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	red Outflows Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources		
Differences between expected and				
actual economic experience	\$ 552,963	\$ -		
Changes in actuarial assumptions	23,158	_		
Difference between projected and				
actual investment earnings	187,460	-		
Contributions subsequent to				
the measurement date	 1,069,748	 		
Totals	\$ 1,833,329	\$ 		

\$1,069,748 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction to the net pension liability for the year ending September 30, 2024. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

	For the Year		
End	ed September 30,	. <u> </u>	
	2025	\$	276,611
	2026		236,744
	2027		270,693
	2028		(20,467)

A. POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (OPEB)

Plan Description

The City voluntarily participates in the Texas Municipal Retirement System Supplemental Death Benefits Fund (TMRS SDBF). The SDBF is a single-employer defined benefit Other Postemployment Benefit (OPEB) plan as defined by GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions. No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75. It is established and administered in accordance with the TMRS Act identically to the City's pension plan.

Benefits Provided

The SDBF provides group-term life insurance to City employees who are active members in TMRS, including or not including retirees. The City Council opted into this program via an ordinance, and may terminate coverage under, and discontinue participation in, the SDBF by adopting an ordinance before November 1 of any year to be effective the following January 1.

Payments from this fund are similar to group-term life insurance benefits and are paid to the designated beneficiaries upon the receipt of an approved application for payment. The death benefit for active employees provides a lump-sum payment approximately equal to the employee's annual salary (calculated based on the employee's actual earnings for the 12-month period preceding the month of death). The death benefit for retirees is considered an other employment benefit and is a fixed amount of \$7,500.

The number of employees currently covered by the benefit terms is as follows:

Inactive employees or beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	21
Inactive employees entitled to but not yet receiving benefits	4
Active employees	83
Total	108

Contributions

The City contributes to the SDBF at a contractually required rate as determined by an annual actuarial valuation, which was 0.22% and 0.19% for the calendar years 2023 and 2024, of which 0.06% and 0.03% represented the retiree-only portion for each year, as a percentage of annual covered payroll. The rate is equal to the cost of providing one-year term life insurance. The funding policy for the SDBF program is to assure that adequate resources are available to meet all death benefit payments for the upcoming year; the intent is not to prefund retiree term life insurance during employees' entire careers. The City's retiree-only portion of contributions to the SDBF for the years ended September 30, 2024 was \$3,895, representing contributions for both active and retiree coverage, which equaled the required contributions.

Total OPEB Liability

The City's total OPEB liability was measured as of December 31, 2023 and was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date.

Within the governmental activities, the General Fund generally liquidates the total OPEB liability. In the business-type activities, the total OPEB liability is liquidated by the Utility Fund.

The SDBF program is treated as an unfunded OPEB plan because the SDBF trust covers both actives and retirees and the assets are not segregated for these groups.

The Total OPEB Liability in the December 31, 2023 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions:

Inflation	2.50%
Salary Increases	3.60% to 11.85% Including Inflation
Discount Rate	3.77% (Based on Fidelity Index's 20-Year Municipal GO AA Index as of December 31, 2023)
Administrative Expenses	All administrative expenses are paid through the Pension Trust and accounted for under reporting requirements under GASB Statement No. 68.
Mortality Rates - Service Retirees	2019 Municipal Retirees of Texas Mortality Tables. Male rates are multiplied by 103% and female rates are multiplied by 105%. The rates are projected on a fully generational basis by the most recent Scale MP-2021 (with immediate convergence).
Mortality Rates - Disabled Retirees	2019 Municipal Retirees of Texas Mortality Tables with a 4 year setforward for males and a 3 year set-forward for females. In addition, a 3.5% and 3% minimum mortality rate will be applied to reflect the impairment for younger members who become disabled for males and females, respectively. The rates are projected on a fully generational basis with Scale MP-2021 (with immediate convergence) to account for future mortality improvements subject to the floor.

Changes in the OPEB Liability

	Total OPEB	
		Liability
Balance at 12/31/2022	\$	93,272
Changes for the year:		
Service cost		9,736
Interest		3,896
Difference between expected and actual experience		3,568
Changes of assumptions and other inputs		5,912
Benefit payments**		(3,895)
Net changes		19,217
Balance at 12/31/2023	\$	112,489

^{**}Due to the SDBF being considered an unfunded OPEB plan under GASB 75, benefit payments are treated as being equal to the employer's yearly contributions for retirees.

Sensitivity of the Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate. The following presents the total OPEB liability of the City, calculated using the discount rate of 3.77%, as well as what the City's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (2.77%) or 1-percentage-point higher (4.77%) than the current rate:

	1%	Decrease	Current Discount Rate		Rate 1% Increase		
		(2.77%)		(3.77%)		(4.77%)	
Total OPEB Liability	\$	138,468	\$	112,489	\$	92,640	

OPEB Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB

For the year ended September 30, 2024, the City recognized OPEB expense of \$8,804, which is attributable to governmental and business-type activities in the amounts of \$7,536 and \$1,268, respectively. At September 30, 2024, the City reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources relate to OPEB for the following sources:

	 red Outflows Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Differences between expected and actual economic experience	\$ 7,510	\$	15,577
Changes in actuarial assumptions	23,621		43,661
Contributions subsequent to the measurement date	 1,835		<u>-</u>
Totals	\$ 32,966	\$	59,238

\$1,835 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB resulting from contributions subsequent to the measurement date are due to benefit payments the City paid with own assets and will be recognized as a reduction of the total OPEB liability for the year ending September 30, 2024. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

\$	(5,120)
·	(4,841)
	(3,207)
	(5,751)
	(7,705)
	(1,482)
	\$

CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

Amounts received or receivable from granting agencies are subject to audit and adjustment by grantor agencies, principally the federal government. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds. The amounts of expenditures which may be disallowed by the grantor cannot be determined at this time although the City expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

Liabilities are reported when it is probable that a loss has occurred and the amount of the loss can be reasonably estimated. Liabilities include an amount for claims that have been incurred but not reported. Claim liabilities are calculated considering the effects of inflation, recent claim settlement trends, including frequency and amount of payouts, and other economic and social factors.

CONSTRUCTION COMMITMENTS

Projects	Contract Amount		Spent- to-Date		Remaining Commitment	
Governmental Activities:						
Melissa Road West	\$	2,000,000	\$	535,480	\$	1,464,520
Downtown Overlay District Roadways		6,470,263		482,884		5,987,379
Cardinal/Highland Rds		7,248,009		6,105,846		1,142,163
High School Collector Roads		7,248,450		6,518,012		730,438
Traffic Signals		500,000		335,424		164,576
Telephone Road (City Limits N. to Throckmorton		6,000,000		-		6,000,000
Telephone Road (Middle)		5,000,000		776,378		4,223,622
Cardinal Road Extension to Fannin		1,500,000		296,804		1,203,196
Zplex Phase 4		7,927,500		7,041,731		885,769
Melissa Lake Park		5,550,000		4,952,699		597,301
Trail Connector SH121		340,500		34,060		306,440
Parks and Public Works Admin Building Renovation		2,075,000		2,028,644		46,356
Public Safety Complex Facility		23,286,436		22,294,603		991,833
Business-type Activities:						
East Water Take Point Design		3,444,864		1,641,704		1,803,160
SH5 Utility Relocation w/Gravity Sewer		6,416,033		5,990,614		425,419
Totals	\$	85,007,055	\$	59,034,883	\$	25,972,172

TAX ABATEMENTS

The City of Melissa negotiates property tax abatement agreements on an individual basis. The City has tax abatement agreements with four entities as of September 30, 2024:

Entity Type	Percentage of Taxes Abated During the Fiscal Year	Amount of Taxes Abated During the Fiscal Year Property Tax		ng the Abated During the Fiscal Year		
Building Materials	80%	\$	-	\$	55,800	
Developer Grant	50%/75%		15,171		85,815	
Retail Sales	100%		30,956		551,535	
Totals		\$	46,127	\$	693,150	

Each agreement was negotiated under Article III, Section 52-a, Texas Constitution, and Chapter 380, Texas Local Gov't Code, stating that the City may establish and provide for the administration of a program for making loans and grants of public money to promote state or local economic development and to stimulate business and commercial activity in the municipality. The agreement is in accordance with Section 501.103, Texas Local Gov't Code. Taxes were abated through a rebate of taxes received. Recipients of the sales tax abatements agree to operate within the City limits through the term of their agreement.

The City has not made any commitments as part of the agreements other than to reduce taxes. The City is not subject to any tax abatement agreements entered into by other governmental entities. The City has chosen to disclose information about its tax abatement agreements individually. It established a quantitative threshold of 100% percent of the total dollar amount of taxes abated during the year.

NEW ACCOUNTING GUIDANCE

Significant new accounting guidance issued by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) not yet implemented by the City include the following:

GASB Statement No. 101, Compensated Absences – The objective of this Statement is to better meet the information needs of financial statement users by updating the recognition and measurement guidance for compensated absences. That objective is achieved by aligning the recognition and measurement guidance under a unified model and by amending certain previously required disclosures. This Statement will become effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2023, and the impact has not yet been determined.

GASB Statement No. 102, *Certain Risk Disclosures* – The objective of this Statement is to provide users of government financial statements with information about risks related to a government's vulnerabilities due to certain concentrations or constraints that is essential to their analyses for making decisions or assessing accountability. This Statement will become effective for reporting periods after June 15, 2024, and the impact has not yet been determined.

GASB Statement No. 103, Financial Reporting Model Improvements – The objective of this Statement is to improve key components of the financial reporting model to enhance its effectiveness in providing information that is essential to their analyses for making decisions or assessing accountability. This Statement will become effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2025, and the impact has not yet been determined.

GASB Statement No. 104, *Disclosure of Certain Capital Assets* – The objective of this Statement is to provide users of government financial statements with essential information about certain types of capital assets. This Statement requires certain types of capital assets to be presented separately in the note disclosures, including right-to-use assets related to leases, Subscription-Based Information Technology Arrangements, and public-private or public-public partnerships. Other intangible assets are also required to be presented separately by major class. Additional disclosures have also been required held for sale. This Statement will become effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2025, and the impact has not yet been determined.

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REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL GENERAL FUND

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		Budgeted Original	Am	Final		Actual Amounts		Positive (Negative)
REVENUES		Original	_	rinai		Amounts		(Negative)
Property taxes	\$	9,452,099	\$	9,442,099	\$	9,484,939	\$	42,840
Sales taxes		3,500,000		4,609,200		4,553,482		(55,718)
Franchise taxes		800,000		965,000		1,204,204		239,204
Road impact fees		-		-		6,011,692		6,011,692
Park development fees		-		-		3,202,000		3,202,000
License and permits		2,540,000		4,140,000		4,385,202		245,202
Charges for services		53,800		241,000		246,437		5,437
Fines and forfeitures		610,000		948,000		940,863		(7,137)
Platting and development		500,000		1,320,000		1,325,341		5,341
Intergovernmental		151,700		212,400		216,800		4,400
Lease Investment earnings		125,000 241,664		125,000 3,341,664		109,975 3,170,264		(15,025) (171,400)
Miscellaneous		50,800		51,800		85,646		33,846
				25,396,163				
Total revenues		18,025,063		25,390,103		34,936,845		9,540,682
EXPENDITURES								
Current: General government:								
Administration		3,837,986		4,880,333		6,450,284		(1,569,951)
Planning and development		2,143,614		3,237,470		3,277,751		(40,281)
Code enforcement		186,410		184,250		174,937		9,313
Building maintenance		242,997		480,672		241,458		239,214
Communications		214,477		200,179		413,133		(212,954)
Total general government	_	6,625,484	_	8,982,904	_	10,557,563	_	(1,574,659)
Public safety:								
Police		4,382,897		4,591,398		4,290,548		300,850
Fire		3,577,276		3,770,715		3,623,647		147,068
Municipal court		433,843		515,836		573,101		(57,265)
Total public safety		8,394,016		8,877,949		8,487,296	_	390,653
Culture and recreation:								
Public library		513,165		522,163		532,308		(10,145)
Parks and recreation		1,409,702		1,414,739		1,502,877		(88,138)
Total culture and recreation		1,922,867		1,936,902		2,035,185		(98,283)
Public works:								
Streets		698,690		674,805		688,899		(14,094)
	_	698,690		674,805	_			
Total public works		090,090		074,603		688,899		(14,094)
Capital outlay		265,730		355,730		8,506,918		(8,151,188)
Debt service:								
Principal		499,411		499,411		499,411		-
Interest and fiscal charges	_	60,435		60,435		105,420		(44,985)
Total debt service	_	559,846		559,846	_	604,831		(44,985)
Total expenditures		18,466,633	_	21,388,136		30,880,692		(9,492,556)

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL GENERAL FUND

	Budgeted Original	l Amounts Final	Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	\$ (441,570)	\$ 4,008,027	\$ 4,056,153	\$ 48,126
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Proceeds from sale of capital assets	-	26,494	-	(26,494)
Issuance of debt	-	-	900,000	900,000
Issuance of leases			276,172	276,172
Transfers in	497,765	497,765	2,948,177	2,450,412
Transfers out			(1,728,080)	(1,728,080)
Total other financing sources (uses)	497,765	524,259	2,396,269	1,872,010
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	56,195	4,532,286	6,452,422	1,920,136
FUND BALANCE, BEGINNING	52,125,826	52,125,826	52,125,826	
FUND BALANCE, ENDING	\$ 52,182,021	\$ 56,658,112	\$ 58,578,248	\$ 1,920,136

NOTES TO BUDGETARY SCHEDULE

SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

Budgetary Information

Annual budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) for the General Fund, Debt Service Fund, TIF and Enterprise Funds. The original budget is adopted by the City Council prior to the beginning of the year. The legal level of control as defined by the City Charter is the fund level. The City Manager is authorized to transfer budgeted amounts between departments within any fund; however, any revisions that alter total expenditures of any fund must be approved by the City Council. Appropriations lapse at the end of the year. Several supplemental budget appropriations were made during the year.

Expenditures in Excess of Budgeted Appropriations

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SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN NET PENSION LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

Measurement Date December 31,	2014		2015	2016		2017	
A. Total pension liability							
Service cost Interest (on the Total Pension Liability) Changes of benefit terms	\$	214,284 144,926 -	\$ 273,760 171,825 -	\$	325,842 198,997 -	\$	368,325 302,767 1,037,592
Difference between expected and actual experience Change of assumptions		38,722 -	(14,746) 89,627		33,857 -		(53,040) -
Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions		(42,295)	 (44,530)		(61,534)		(98,867)
Net change in total pension liability		355,637	 475,936	_	497,162	_	1,556,777
Total pension liability - beginning		1,984,384	 2,340,021		2,815,957		3,313,119
Total pension liability - ending (a)	\$	2,340,021	\$ 2,815,957	\$	3,313,119	\$	4,869,896
B. Plan fiduciary net position							
Contributions - employer Contributions - employee Net investment income Benefit payments, including refunds of employee	\$	81,796 130,197 107,092	\$ 114,584 144,519 3,169	\$	146,688 165,883 159,684	\$	192,773 187,784 384,328
contributions Administrative expenses Other		(42,295) (1,118) (92)	 (44,530) (1,930) (95)		(61,534) (1,803) (96)		(98,867) (1,991) (102)
Net change in plan fiduciary net position		275,580	 215,717		408,822	_	663,925
Plan fiduciary net position - beginning		1,871,298	 2,146,878		2,362,595		2,771,417
Plan fiduciary net position - ending (b)	\$	2,146,878	\$ 2,362,595	\$	2,771,417	\$	3,435,342
C. Net pension liability - ending (a) - (b)	\$	193,143	\$ 453,362	\$	541,702	\$	1,434,554
D. Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of total pension liability		91.75%	83.90%		83.65%		70.54%
E. Covered payroll	\$	1,859,951	\$ 2,064,559	\$	2,369,763	\$	2,682,628
F. Net position liability as a percentage of covered payroll		10.38%	21.96%		22.86%		53.48%

2018	2019	2020		2021		2022		2023
\$ 495,439 342,747	\$ 550,485 394,623	\$ 626,629 445,845	\$	836,730 606,882 1,364,173	\$	963,145 716,545 -	\$	1,206,010 841,851
32,826 -	(67,127) 57,155	53,607 -		298,910		295,896 -		357,071 29,268
 (79,754)	 (180,249)	 (248,488)	_	(170,668)		(191,514)		(289,729)
 791,258	 754,887	 877,593	_	2,936,027	_	1,784,072		2,144,471
 4,869,896	 5,661,154	 6,416,041	_	7,293,634	_	10,229,661	_	12,013,733
\$ 5,661,154	\$ 6,416,041	\$ 7,293,634	\$	10,229,661	\$	12,013,733	\$	14,158,204
\$ 413,069 212,765 (103,060)	\$ 456,607 235,538 601,023	\$ 520,148 268,118 379,762	\$	1,256,907 311,880 772,582	\$	901,950 359,958 (592,797)	\$	1,133,312 454,363 997,946
(79,754) (1,989) (102)	(180,249) (3,386) (101)	 (248,488) (2,449) (96)		(170,668) (3,560) <u>24</u>		(191,514) (5,097) 6,082		(289,729) (6,294) (44)
 440,929	 1,109,432	 916,995		2,167,165		478,582		2,289,553
 3,435,342	 3,876,271	 4,985,703		5,902,698		8,069,863		8,548,445
\$ 3,876,271	\$ 4,985,703	\$ 5,902,698	\$	8,069,863	\$	8,548,445	\$	10,837,998
\$ 1,784,883	\$ 1,430,338	\$ 1,390,936	\$	2,159,798	\$	3,465,288	\$	3,320,206
68.47%	77.71%	80.93%		78.89%		71.16%		76.55%
\$ 3,039,506	\$ 3,364,825	\$ 3,830,253	\$	4,455,431	\$	5,142,249	\$	6,490,905
58.72%	42.51%	36.31%		48.48%		67.39%		51.15%

SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

Fiscal Year Ended September 30,	2015	2016	2017	2018
Actuarial determined contribution	\$ 105,230	\$ 141,014	\$ 180,435	\$ 343,590
Contributions in relation to the actuarially determined contribution	(105,230)	(141,014)	(180,435)	(343,590)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	-	-	-	-
Covered payroll	1,942,041	2,826,657	2,607,147	2,894,355
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	5.42%	4.99%	6.92%	11.87%

NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS

Valuation Date Actuarially determined contribution rates are calculated as of

December 31 and become effective in January 13 months

later.

Methods and Assumptions Used to Determine Contribution Rates:

Actuarial Cost Method Entry Age Normal

Amortization Method Level Percentage of Payroll, Closed

Remaining Amortization Period 22 years

Asset Valuation Method 10 Year smoothed fair value; 12% soft corridor

Inflation 2.50%

Salary Increases 3.50% to 11.85% including inflation

Investment Rate of Return 6.75%

Retirement Age Experience-based table of rates that are specific to the City's

plan of benefits. Last updated for the 2023 valuation pursuant

to an experience study of the period 2022.

Mortality Post-retirement: 2019 Municipal Retirees of Texas Mortality

Tables. Male rates are multiplied by 103% and female rates are multiplied by 105%. The rates are projected on a fully generational basis by the most recent Scale MP-2021 (with

immediate convergence).

Pre-retirement: PUB(10) mortality tables, with the 110% of the Public Safety table used for males and the 100% of the General Employee table used for females. The rates are projected on a fully generational basis by the most recent

Scale MP-2021 (with immediate convergence).

Other Information: There were no benefit changes during the year.

2019	2020	2021		2022	2023	2024
\$ 447,945	\$ 509,363	\$ 598,429	\$	850,336	\$ 1,094,107	\$ 1,293,331
 (447,945)	 (509,363)	 (598,429)	_(1,450,336)	(1,094,107)	(1,293,331)
-	-	-		(600,000)	-	
3,380,237	3,748,072	4,403,452	,	4,847,983	6,199,628	7,827,223
13.25%	13.59%	13.59%		29.92%	17.65%	16.52%

SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN TOTAL OPEB LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

Measurement Date December 31,	2017	2018	2019
A. Total OPEB liability			
Service Cost Interest on the total OPEB liability Difference between expected and actual experience Changes of assumptions and other inputs Benefit payments	\$ 6,170 2,785 6,749 - (537)	\$ 8,207 2,973 (14,588) (5,594) (608)	\$ 8,076 2,966 (9,204) 15,541 (1,009)
Net change in Total OPEB liability	15,167	(9,610)	16,370
Total OPEB liability - beginning	70,853	86,020	76,410
Total OPEB liability - ending	\$ 86,020	\$ 76,410	\$ 92,780
B. Covered-employee payroll	\$ 2,682,628	\$ 3,039,506	\$ 3,364,825
C. Total OPEB liability as a percentage of covered- employee payroll	3.21%	2.51%	2.76%

Notes to Schedule:

- This schedule is required to have 10 years of information, but the information prior to 2017 is not available.
- No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions.

	2020	2021		2022	2023		
\$	10,725 2,688 9,449 19,776 (766)	\$ 11,584 2,782 (5,781) 5,218 (2,673)	\$ 	14,398 2,782 (7,840) (58,250) (3,600)	\$ 	9,736 3,896 3,568 5,912 (3,895)	
	41,872	 11,130		(52,510)		19,217	
_	92,780	 134,652	_	145,782		93,272	
\$	134,652	\$ 145,782	\$	93,272	\$	112,489	
\$	3,830,253	\$ 4,455,431	\$	5,142,249	\$	6,490,905	
	3.52%	3.27%		1.81%		1.73%	

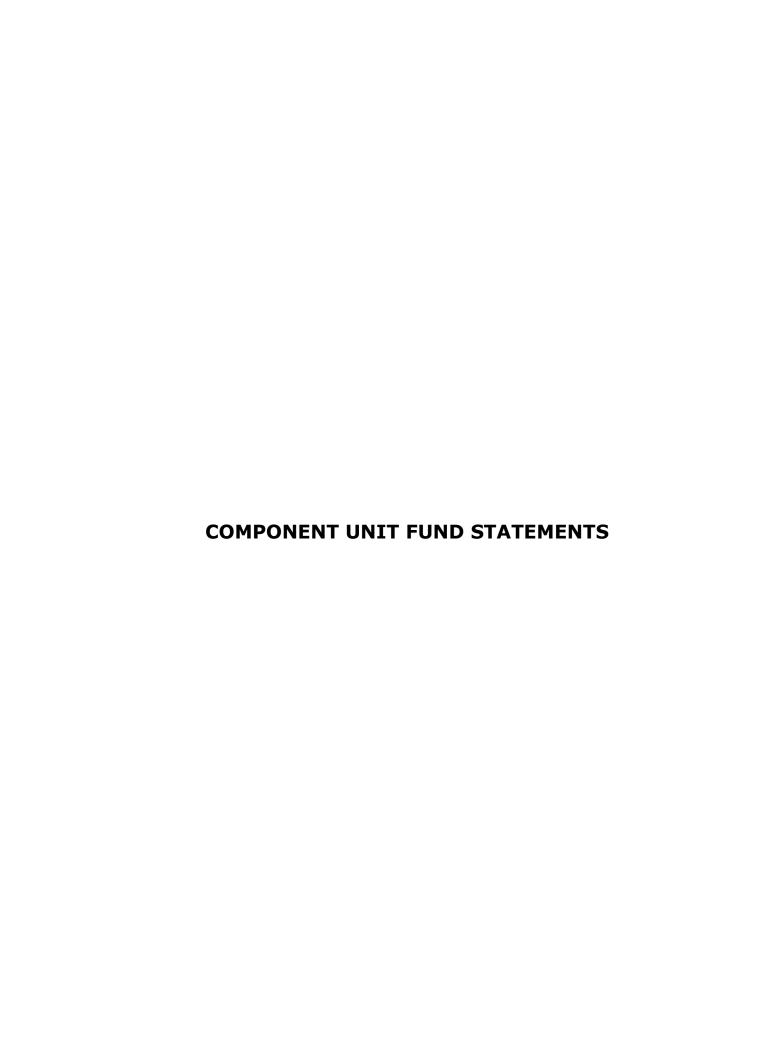


SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL DEBT SERVICE FUND

	Budgeted Original	Amounts Final	Actual	Variance With Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
REVENUES Property taxes	\$ 3,722,399	\$ 3,722,399	\$ 3,679,546	\$ (42,853)
Intergovernmental Investment earnings	750,877 -	750,877 -	1,434,323 73,879	683,446 73,879
Total revenues	4,473,276	4,473,276	5,187,748	714,472
EXPENDITURES				
Debt service: Principal	3,645,000	3,645,000	3,625,000	20,000
Interest and fiscal charges	3,845,626	3,845,626	3,848,893	(3,267)
Total expenditures	7,490,626	7,490,626	7,473,893	16,733
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(3,017,350)	(3,017,350)	(2,286,145)	731,205
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				/
Transfers in	2,887,350	2,887,350	2,319,900	(567,450)
Total other financing sources (uses)	2,887,350	2,887,350	2,319,900	(567,450)
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	(130,000)	(130,000)	33,755	163,755
FUND BALANCE, BEGINNING	1,239,039	1,239,039	1,239,039	
FUND BALANCE, ENDING	\$ 1,109,039	\$ 1,109,039	\$ 1,272,794	\$ 163,755

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL TIF FUND

	Budgeted Original	Amounts Final	Actual	Variance With Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
REVENUES	Original		Accuai	(Negative)
Property taxes	\$ 1,607,524	\$ 1,607,524	\$ 1,558,141	\$ (49,383)
Investment earnings	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	78,089	78,089
Total revenues	1,607,524	1,607,524	1,636,230	28,706
EXPENDITURES				
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	1,607,524	1,607,524	1,636,230	<u>28,706</u>
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Transfers out	(1,285,481)	(1,285,481)	(1,401,481)	(116,000)
Total other financing sources (uses)	(1,285,481)	(1,285,481)	(1,401,481)	(116,000)
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	322,043	322,043	234,749	(87,294)
FUND BALANCE, BEGINNING	1,605,003	1,605,003	1,605,003	
FUND BALANCE, ENDING	\$ 1,927,046	\$ 1,927,046	\$ 1,839,752	\$ (87,294)



BALANCE SHEET DISCRETELY PRESENTED COMPONENT UNITS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	Community Economic Development Development				
ASSETS Cash and investments Sales tax receivable Total assets	\$ 3,568,991 355,792 3,924,783	\$	6,238,212 355,792 6,594,004		
FUND BALANCES Restricted for: Community development Economic development Total fund balances Total liabilities and fund balances	\$ 3,924,783 - 3,924,783 3,924,783	\$	- 6,594,004 6,594,004 6,594,004		
Reconciliation of the balance sheet to the statement of net position:					
Total fund balances	\$ 3,924,783	\$	6,594,004		
Adjustments for the Statement of Net Position:					
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not current financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds.	 16,166		129,076		
Net position of the discretely presented component units	\$ 3,940,949	\$	6,723,080		

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE DISCRETELY PRESENTED COMPONENT UNITS

	ommunity evelopment	Economic Development		
REVENUES Sales tax Investment income Total revenues	\$ 2,271,793 143,750 2,415,543	\$	2,271,793 271,985 2,543,778	
EXPENDITURES Current: Community development Econcomic development Total expenditures	 1,032,798 - 1,032,798		- 783,661 783,661	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	 1,382,745		1,760,117	
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	 2,542,038		4,833,887	
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ 3,924,783	\$	6,594,004	

APPENDIX C

FORM OF BOND COUNSEL'S OPINION







Proposed Form of Opinion of Bond Counsel

An opinion in substantially the following form will be delivered by McCall, Parkhurst & Horton L.L.P., Bond Counsel, upon the delivery of the Certificates of Obligation, assuming no material changes in facts or law.

CITY OF MELISSA, TEXAS COMBINATION TAX AND LIMITED SURPLUS REVENUE CERTIFICATES OF OBLIGATION, SERIES 2025 IN THE AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$

AS BOND COUNSEL FOR THE CITY OF MELISSA, TEXAS (the "Issuer") in connection with the issuance of the certificates of obligation described above (the "Certificates"), we have examined into the legality and validity of the Certificates, which bear interest from the dates and mature on the dates, and are subject to redemption, in accordance with the terms and conditions stated in the text of the Certificates. Terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the meaning given in the ordinance of the Issuer authorizing the issuance and sale of the Certificates (the "Ordinance").

WE HAVE EXAMINED the applicable and pertinent provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, a transcript of certified proceedings of the Issuer, and other pertinent instruments authorizing and relating to the issuance of the Certificates, including the executed Certificates.

BASED ON SAID EXAMINATION, IT IS OUR OPINION that the Certificates have been duly authorized, issued, and delivered in accordance with law; and that the Certificates, except as may be limited by laws applicable to the Issuer relating to bankruptcy, reorganization and other similar matters affecting creditors' rights generally or by general principles of equity and sovereign immunity of political subdivisions which permit the exercise of judicial discretion, constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the Issuer; and that ad valorem taxes sufficient to provide for the payment of the interest on and principal of said Certificates have been levied and pledged for such purpose, within the limit prescribed by law, and that the Certificates are additionally secured by and payable from limited surplus revenues of the Issuer's waterworks and sewer system, remaining after payment of all operation and maintenance expenses thereof, and all debt service, reserve, and other requirements in connection with all of the Issuer's revenue bonds or other obligations (now or hereafter outstanding), which are payable from all or any part of the net revenues of the Issuer's waterworks and sewer system, as provided in the Ordinance.

IT IS FURTHER OUR OPINION, except as discussed below, that the interest on the Certificates is excludable from the gross income of the owners for federal income tax purposes under the statutes, regulations, published rulings, and court decisions existing on the date of this opinion. We are further of the opinion that the Certificates are not "specified private activity bonds" and that, accordingly, interest on the Certificates will not be included as an individual alternative minimum tax preference item under section 57(a)(5) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the "Code"). In expressing the aforementioned opinions, we have relied on certain representations, the accuracy of which we have not independently verified, and assume compliance with certain covenants, regarding the use and investment of the proceeds of the Certificates and the use of the property financed therewith. We call your attention to the fact that if such representations are



determined to be inaccurate or upon a failure by the Issuer to comply with such covenants, interest on the Certificates may become includable in gross income retroactively to the date of issuance of the Certificates.

EXCEPT AS STATED ABOVE, we express no opinion as to any other federal, state, or local tax consequences of acquiring, carrying, owning, or disposing of the Certificates, including the amount, accrual or receipt of interest on, the Certificates. Owners of the Certificates should consult their tax advisors regarding the applicability of any collateral tax consequences of owning the Certificates.

WE CALL YOUR ATTENTION TO THE FACT that the interest on tax-exempt obligations, such as the Certificates, may be includable in a corporation's adjusted financial statement income for purposes of determining the alternative minimum tax imposed on certain corporations by section 55 of the Code.

WE EXPRESS NO OPINION as to any insurance policies issued with respect to the payments due for the principal of and interest on the Certificates, nor as to any such insurance policies issued in the future.

OUR OPINIONS ARE BASED ON EXISTING LAW, which is subject to change. Such opinions are further based on our knowledge of facts as of the date hereof. We assume no duty to update or supplement our opinions to reflect any facts or circumstances that may thereafter come to our attention or to reflect any changes in any law that may thereafter occur or become effective. Moreover, our opinions are not a guarantee of result and are not binding on the Internal Revenue Service (the "Service"); rather, such opinions represent our legal judgment based upon our review of existing law and in reliance upon the representations and covenants referenced above that we deem 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 obligations is includable in gross income for federal income tax purposes. No assurance can be given whether or not the Service will commence an audit of the Certificates. If an audit is commenced, in accordance with its current published procedures the Service is likely to treat the Issuer as the taxpayer. We observe that the Issuer has covenanted not to take any action, or omit to take any action within its control, that if taken or omitted, respectively, may result in the treatment of interest on the Certificates as includable in gross income for federal income tax purposes.

OUR SOLE ENGAGEMENT in connection with the issuance of the Certificates is as Bond Counsel for the Issuer, and, in that capacity, we have been engaged by the Issuer for the sole purpose of rendering our opinions with respect to the legality and validity of the Certificates under the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and with respect to the exclusion from gross income of the interest on the Certificates for federal income tax purposes, and for no other reason or purpose. The foregoing opinions represent our legal judgment based upon a review of existing legal authorities that we deem relevant to render such opinions and are not a guarantee of a result. We have not been requested to investigate or verify, and have not independently investigated or verified, any records, data, or other material relating to the financial condition or capabilities of the Issuer, or the disclosure thereof in connection with the sale of the Certificates, and have not assumed any responsibility with respect thereto. We express no opinion and make no comment with respect to the marketability of the Certificates and have relied solely on certificates executed by officials



of the Issuer as to the current outstanding indebtedness of and assessed valuation of taxable property within, and the sufficiency of the pledged revenues of, the Issuer. Our role in connection with the Issuer's Official Statement prepared for use in connection with the sale of the Certificates has been limited as described therein.

Respectfully,

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