ORDINANCE NO. 23-\_\_\_\_

relating to

CITY OF DALLAS, TEXAS COMBINATION TAX AND REVENUE CERTIFICATES OF OBLIGATION SERIES 2023

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AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF CITY OF DALLAS, TEXAS, COMBINATION TAX AND REVENUE CERTIFICATES OF OBLIGATION, SERIES 2023 IN THE AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED \$61,500,000; LEVYING A TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF; PRESCRIBING THE FORM OF SAID CERTIFICATES; APPROVING AND AWARDING THE SALE OF THE CERTIFICATES AND APPROVING THE EXECUTION OF A PURCHASE AGREEMENT; APPROVING THE OFFICIAL STATEMENT; AND ENACTING PROVISIONS INCIDENT AND RELATING TO THE SUBJECT

WHEREAS, under the provisions of Subchapter C, Chapter 271, Texas Local Government Code, as amended, the City of Dallas, Texas (the "City"), is authorized to issue certificates of obligation for the purposes specified in this Ordinance and for the payment of all or a portion of the contractual obligations for professional services, including that of engineers, attorneys, and financial advisors in connection therewith, and to sell the same for cash as herein provided; and

WHEREAS, the City is authorized to provide that such obligations will be payable from and secured by the levy of a direct and continuing ad valorem tax against all taxable property within the City, in combination with all or a part of certain revenues of the City's Municipal Drainage Utility System (the "System") remaining after payment of any obligations of the City payable in whole or in part from a lien or pledge of such revenues that would be superior to the obligations to be authorized herein as authorized by Chapter 1502, Texas Government Code; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has found and determined that it is necessary and in the best interests of the City and its citizens that it issue such certificates of obligation authorized by this Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to a resolution heretofore passed by this governing body, notice of intention to issue certificates of obligation of the City payable as provided in this Ordinance was published in a newspaper of general circulation in the City in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas, such certificates of obligation to be issued for the purpose of paying contractual obligations to be incurred for the purposes set forth in Section 3.1 hereof; and

WHEREAS, no petition of any kind has been filed with the City Secretary, any member of the City Council or any other official of the City, protesting the issuance of such certificates of obligation; and

WHEREAS, this City Council is now authorized and empowered to proceed with the issuance of said certificates of obligation and to sell the same for cash; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to delegate to the Authorized Officer, pursuant to Chapter 1371, Texas Government Code, as amended, and the parameters of this Ordinance, the authority to approve the amount, the interest rates, the price and term of the Certificates

authorized hereby; and to otherwise take such actions as are necessary and appropriate to effect the sale of the Certificates; and

WHEREAS, the meeting at which this Ordinance is considered is open to the public as required by law, and public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by Chapter 551, Texas Government Code, as amended; therefore,

#### BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS:

#### ARTICLE I

#### DEFINITIONS AND OTHER PRELIMINARY MATTERS

#### Section 1.1 Definitions.

Unless otherwise expressly provided or unless the context clearly requires otherwise in this Ordinance, the following terms shall have the meanings specified below:

"Authorized Officer" means the City Manager of the City, and in his absence, any Assistant City Manager.

"Certificate" means any of the Certificates.

"Certificate Date" means the date designated as the initial date of the Certificates by Section 3.2(a) of this Ordinance.

"Certificates" means the certificates of obligation authorized to be issued by Section 3.1 of this Ordinance and designated as "City of Dallas, Texas, Combination Tax and Revenue Certificates of Obligation, Series 2023."

"City" means the City of Dallas, Texas.

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

"Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and, with respect to a specific section thereof, such reference shall be deemed to include (a) the Regulations promulgated under such section, (b) any successor provision of similar import hereafter enacted, (c) any corresponding provision of any subsequent Internal Revenue Code and (d) the regulations promulgated under the provisions described in (b) and (c) including applicable regulations, published rulings and court decisions.

"Designated Payment/Transfer Office" means (i) with respect to the initial Paying Agent/Registrar named herein, its office in St. Paul, Minnesota, or at such other location designated by the Paying Agent/Registrar and (ii) with respect to any successor Paying Agent/Registrar, the office of such successor designated and located as may be agreed upon by the City and such successor.

"DTC" means The Depository Trust Company of New York, New York, or any successor securities depository.

"DTC Participant" shall mean brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, clearing corporations and certain other organizations on whose behalf DTC was created to hold securities to facilitate the clearance and settlement of securities transactions among DTC Participants.

"EMMA" means the Electronic Municipal Market Access system.

"Event of Default" means any event of default as defined in Section 10.1 of this Ordinance.

"Financial Obligation" means a (a) debt obligation; (b) derivative instrument entered into in connection with, or pledged as security or a source of payment for, an existing or planned debt obligation; or (c) guarantee of a debt obligation or any such derivative instrument; provided that "financial obligation" shall not include municipal securities (as defined in the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) as to which a final official statement (as defined in the Rule) has been provided to the MSRB consistent with the Rule.

"Fiscal Year" means such fiscal year as shall from time to time be set by the City Council.

"Initial Certificate" means the initial certificate authorized by Section 3.4 of this Ordinance.

"Interest and Sinking Fund" means the interest and sinking fund established by Section 2.2 of this Ordinance.

"Interest Payment Date" means the date or dates upon which interest on the Certificates is scheduled to be paid until their respective dates of maturity or prior redemption, such dates being February 15 and August 15 of each year, commencing on the date set forth in the Pricing Certificate.

"MSRB" means the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board.

"Net Revenues" means the gross revenues of the System less the expenses of operation and maintenance as said expenses are defined by Chapter 1502, Texas Government Code, as amended.

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

"Paying Agent/Registrar" means initially the paying agent/registrar designated by the Authorized Officer in the Pricing Certificate.

"Pricing Certificate" means a certificate or certificates to be signed by the Authorized Officer.

"Prior Lien Bonds" means any and all bonds or other obligations of the City presently outstanding or that may be hereafter issued, payable from and secured by a first lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues or by a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues subordinate to a first lien and pledge of such Net Revenues but superior to the lien and pledge of the Surplus Revenues made for the Certificates.

"Project" means the purposes for which the Certificates are issued as set forth in Section 3.1.

"Purchaser" means the initial purchaser of the Certificates set forth in the Pricing Certificate.

"Record Date" means the last business day of the month next preceding an Interest Payment Date.

"Register" means the Register specified in Section 3.6(a) of this Ordinance.

"Regulations" means the applicable proposed, temporary or final Treasury Regulations promulgated under the Code or, to the extent applicable to the Code, under the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as such regulations may be amended or supplemented from time to time.

"Representative" means the representative of the Underwriters.

"Representations Letter" means the Blanket Letter of Representations between the City and DTC.

"Rule" means SEC Rule 15c2-12, as amended from time to time.

"SEC" means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.

"Surplus Revenues" means an amount not to exceed \$1000, of the revenues of the System available after deduction of the reasonable expenses of operation and maintenance of the System and payment of all debt service, reserve and other requirements with respect to all of the City's revenue bonds and other obligations heretofore or hereafter issued that are payable from and secured by a lien on and pledge of all or part of the net revenues of the System "Surplus Revenue Fund" means the surplus revenue fund established by Section 2.3 of this Ordinance.

"System" as used in this Ordinance means the City's Municipal Drainage Utility System.

"Unclaimed Payments" means money deposited with the Paying Agent/Registrar for the payment of principal of, redemption premium, if any, or interest on the Certificates as the same come due and payable or money set aside for the payment of Certificates duly called for redemption prior to maturity.

"Underwriters" mean the underwriters identified in a Purchase Agreement as set forth in Section 7.1 herein.

## Section 1.2 <u>Findings.</u>

The declarations, determinations, and findings declared, made, and found in the preamble to this Ordinance are hereby adopted, restated, and made a part of the operative provisions hereof.

## Section 1.3 <u>Table of Contents, Titles, and Headings.</u>

The table of contents, titles, and headings of the Articles and Sections of this Ordinance have been inserted for convenience of reference only and are not to be considered a part hereof and shall not in any way modify or restrict any of the terms or provisions hereof and shall never be considered or given any effect in construing this Ordinance or any provision hereof or in ascertaining intent, if any question of intent should arise.

## Section 1.4 <u>Interpretation.</u>

- (a) Unless the context requires otherwise, words of the masculine gender shall be construed to include correlative words of the feminine and neuter genders and vice versa, and words of the singular number shall be construed to include correlative words of the plural number and vice versa.
- (b) This Ordinance and all the terms and provisions hereof shall be liberally construed to effectuate the purposes set forth herein.

#### ARTICLE II

#### SECURITY FOR THE CERTIFICATES; INTEREST AND SINKING FUND

## Section 2.1 <u>Payment of the Certificates.</u>

- (a) Pursuant to the authority granted by the Texas Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, there shall be levied and there is hereby levied for the current year and for each succeeding year thereafter while any of the Certificates or any interest thereon is outstanding and unpaid, an ad valorem tax on each one hundred dollars valuation of taxable property within the City, at a rate sufficient, within the limit prescribed by law, to pay the debt service requirements of the Certificates, being (i) the interest on the Certificates, and (ii) a sinking fund for their redemption at maturity or a sinking fund of two percent per annum (whichever amount is the greater), when due and payable, full allowance being made for delinquencies and costs of collection.
- (b) The ad valorem tax thus levied shall be assessed and collected each year against all property appearing on the tax rolls of the City most recently approved in accordance with law, and the money thus collected shall be deposited as collected to the Interest and Sinking Fund.
- (c) Said ad valorem tax, the collections therefrom, and all amounts on deposit in or required hereby to be deposited to the Interest and Sinking Fund are hereby pledged and

committed irrevocably to the payment of the principal of and interest on the Certificates when and as due and payable in accordance with their terms and this Ordinance.

- (d) The amount of taxes to be provided annually for the payment of principal of and interest on the Certificates shall be determined and accomplished in the following manner:
  - (i) The City's annual budget shall reflect (a) the amount of debt service requirements to become due on the Certificates in the next succeeding Fiscal Year of the City, (b) the amount on deposit in the Surplus Revenue Fund and the Interest and Sinking Fund, as of the date such budget is prepared (after giving effect to any payments required to be made during the remainder of the then current Fiscal Year), and (c) the amount of Surplus Revenues estimated and budgeted to be available for the payment of such debt service requirements on the Certificates during the next succeeding Fiscal Year of the City.
  - (ii) The amount required to be provided in the succeeding Fiscal Year of the City from ad valorem taxes shall be the amount, if any, the debt service requirements to be paid on the Certificates in the next succeeding Fiscal Year of the City exceeds the sum of (a) the amount shown to be on deposit in the Surplus Revenue Fund and the Interest and Sinking Fund (after giving effect to any payments required to be made during the remainder of the then current Fiscal Year) at the time the annual budget is prepared, and (b) the Surplus Revenues shown to be budgeted and available for payment of said debt service requirements on the Certificates.
  - (iii) Following the final approval of the annual budget of the City, the governing body of the City shall, by ordinance, levy an ad valorem tax at a rate sufficient to produce taxes in the amount determined in paragraph (ii) above, to be utilized for purposes of paying the principal of and interest on the Certificates in the next succeeding Fiscal Year of the City.
- (e) If the liens and provisions of this Ordinance shall be released in a manner permitted by Article XI hereof, then the collection of such ad valorem tax may be suspended or appropriately reduced, as the facts may permit, and further deposits to the Interest and Sinking Fund may be suspended or appropriately reduced, as the facts may permit. In determining the aggregate principal amount of outstanding Certificates, there shall be subtracted the amount of any Certificate for which money has been deposited in accordance with Article XI herein.
- (f) The City hereby covenants and agrees that the Surplus Revenues are hereby irrevocably pledged equally and ratably to the payment of the principal of, redemption premium, if any, and interest on the Certificates, as the same become due.

## Section 2.2 <u>Interest and Sinking Fund.</u>

The City hereby establishes a special fund or account to be designated the "City of Dallas, Texas, Combination Tax and Revenue Certificates of Obligation, Series 2023, Interest and Sinking Fund" (the "Interest and Sinking Fund") said fund to be maintained at an official depository bank of the City separate and apart from all other funds and accounts of the City.

Money on deposit in or required by this Ordinance to be deposited to the Interest and Sinking Fund shall be used solely for the purpose of paying the interest on and principal of the Certificates when and as due and payable in accordance with their terms and this Ordinance.

## Section 2.3 <u>Surplus Revenue Fund.</u>

The City hereby establishes a special fund or account to be designated the "City of Dallas, Texas, Combination Tax and Revenue Certificates of Obligation, Series 2023, Surplus Revenue Fund" (the "Surplus Revenue Fund") said fund to be maintained at an official depository bank of the City separate and apart from all other funds and accounts of the City, and shall in no event be diverted or drawn upon for any purpose other than those herein provided. All Surplus Revenues shall be paid over and deposited into the Surplus Revenue Fund. The Surplus Revenues shall be appropriated and employed in the following order:

- (a) <u>First</u>: For deposit to the Interest and Sinking Fund to provide for the payment of the debt service requirements of the Certificates in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Ordinance; and
- (b) <u>Second</u>: After all the requirements of subparagraph (a) above have been provided for, whether by the collection of an ad valorem tax levied in this Ordinance or by the use of the pledged Surplus Revenues, the Surplus Revenues may be used for any lawful purpose.

## ARTICLE III

# AUTHORIZATION; GENERAL TERMS AND PROVISIONS REGARDING THE CERTIFICATES

## Section 3.1 <u>Authorization.</u>

The City's certificates of obligation to be designated "City of Dallas, Texas, Combination Tax and Revenue Certificates of Obligation, Series 2023" (the "Certificates"), are hereby authorized to be issued and delivered in accordance with the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, specifically Subchapter C, Chapter 271, Texas Local Government Code, as amended, Chapter 1371 Texas Government Code, as amended, and Chapter XXI, of the City's Home-Rule Charter. The Certificates shall be issued in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$61,500,000 for the purposes of evidencing the indebtedness of the City for all or any part of the costs associated with (i) planning, designing, constructing, reconstructing, improving, extending, reconfiguring, and expanding streets, circulation elements, thoroughfares, intersections, alleys, medians, sidewalks, bridges, and median improvements; and acquiring rights-of-way in connection therewith (the "Project"); (ii) professional services incurred in connection with item (i); and (iii) to pay the costs incurred in connection with the issuance of the Certificates

## Section 3.2 Date, Denomination, Maturities, and Interest.

(a) The Certificates shall be dated the date set forth in the Pricing Certificate. The Certificates shall be in fully registered form, without coupons, in the denomination of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof and shall be numbered separately from one upward, except the Initial Certificate, which shall be numbered T-1.

- (b) The Certificates shall mature on February 15 in the years and in the principal amounts set forth in the Pricing Certificate.
- (c) Interest shall accrue and be paid on each Certificate respectively until its maturity or prior redemption from the later of the date of their delivery to the Purchaser (the "Delivery Date") or the most recent Interest Payment Date to which interest has been paid or provided for at the rates per annum for each respective maturity specified in the schedule contained in subsection (b) above. Such interest shall be payable semiannually on February 15 and August 15 of each year, commencing on the date set forth in the Pricing Certificate, computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months.

## Section 3.3 Medium, Method, and Place of Payment.

- (a) The principal of, redemption premium, if any, and interest on the Certificates shall be paid in lawful money of the United States of America.
- (b) Interest on the Certificates shall be payable to the Owners as shown in the Register at the close of business on the Record Date.
- (c) Interest shall be paid by check, dated as of the Interest Payment Date, and sent first class United States mail, postage prepaid, by the Paying Agent/Registrar to each Owner, at the address thereof as it appears in the Register, or by such other customary banking arrangement acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar and the Owner; provided, however, that the Owner shall bear all risk and expense of such alternative banking arrangement. At the option of an Owner of at least \$1,000,000 principal amount of the Certificates, interest may be paid by wire transfer to the bank account of such Owner on file with the Paying Agent/Registrar.
- (d) The principal of each Certificate shall be paid to the Owner thereof on the due date, whether at the maturity date or the date of prior redemption thereof, upon presentation and surrender of such Certificate at the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar.
- (e) If the date for the payment of the principal of or interest on the Certificates shall be a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or day on which banking institutions in the city where the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar is located are required or authorized by law or executive order to close, then the date for such payment shall be the next succeeding day that is not a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or day on which banking institutions are required or authorized to close, and payment on such date shall for all purposes be deemed to have been made on the due date thereof as specified in Section 3.2 of this Ordinance.
- (f) Unclaimed Payments shall be segregated in a special escrow account and held in trust, uninvested by the Paying Agent/Registrar, for the account of the Owners of the Certificates to which the Unclaimed Payments pertain. Subject to Title 6 of the Texas Property Code. Unclaimed Payments remaining unclaimed by the Owners entitled thereto for three years after the applicable payment or redemption date shall be applied to the next payment on the Certificates thereafter coming due; to the extent any such moneys remain three years after the retirement of all outstanding Certificates, such moneys shall be paid to the City to be used for

any lawful purpose. Thereafter, neither the City, the Paying Agent/Registrar, nor any other person shall be liable or responsible to any Owners of such Certificates for any further payment of such unclaimed moneys or on account of any such Certificates, subject to Title 6 of the Texas Property Code.

## Section 3.4 Execution and Registration of Certificates.

- (a) The Certificates shall be executed on behalf of the City by the Mayor and countersigned by the City Secretary and the City Manager, by their manual or facsimile signatures, and the official seal of the City shall be impressed or placed in facsimile thereon. Such facsimile signatures on the Certificates shall have the same effect as if each of the Certificates had been signed manually and in person by each of said officers, and such facsimile seal on the Certificates shall have the same effect as if the official seal of the City had been manually impressed upon each of the Certificates.
- (b) In the event that any officer of the City whose manual or facsimile signature appears on the Certificates ceases to be such officer before the authentication of such Certificates or before the delivery thereof, such manual or facsimile signature nevertheless shall be valid and sufficient for all purposes as if such officer had remained in such office.
- (c) Except as provided below, no Certificate shall be valid or obligatory for any purpose or be entitled to any security or benefit of this Ordinance unless and until there appears thereon the Certificate of Paying Agent/Registrar substantially in the form provided herein, duly authenticated by manual execution by an officer or duly authorized signatory of the Paying Agent/Registrar. It shall not be required that the same officer or authorized signatory of the Paying Agent/Registrar sign the Certificate of Paying Agent/Registrar on all of the Certificates. In lieu of the executed Certificate of Paying Agent/Registrar described above, the Initial Certificate delivered at the Closing Date shall have attached thereto the Comptroller's Registration Certificate substantially in the form provided herein, manually executed by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, or by his duly authorized agent, which Certificate shall be evidence that the Certificate has been duly approved by the Attorney General of the State of Texas, that it is a valid and binding obligation of the City, and that it has been registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas.
- (d) On the Closing Date, one initial Certificate representing the entire principal amount of all Certificates, payable in stated installments to the Purchaser, or its designee, executed by the Mayor and countersigned by the City Secretary and the City Manager of the City, approved by the Attorney General, and registered and manually signed by the Comptroller of Public Accounts, will be delivered to the Purchaser or its designee. Upon payment for the Initial Certificate, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall cancel the Initial Certificate and deliver a single registered, definitive Certificate for each maturity, in the aggregate principal amount thereof, to DTC on behalf of the Purchaser. To the extent the Paying Agent/Registrar is eligible to participate in DTC's FAST System, as evidenced by agreement between the Paying Agent/Registrar and DTC, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall hold the definitive Certificates in safekeeping for DTC.

## Section 3.5 Ownership.

- (a) The City, the Paying Agent/Registrar, and any other person may treat the person in whose name any Certificate is registered as the absolute owner of such Certificate for the purpose of making and receiving payment as herein provided (except interest shall be paid to the person in whose name such Certificate is registered on the Record Date), and for all other purposes, whether or not such Certificate is overdue, and neither the City nor the Paying Agent/Registrar shall be bound by any notice or knowledge to the contrary.
- (b) All payments made to the Owner of a Certificate shall be valid and effectual and shall discharge the liability of the City and the Paying Agent/Registrar upon such Certificate to the extent of the sums paid.

## Section 3.6 Registration, Transfer, and Exchange.

- (a) So long as any Certificates remain outstanding, the City shall cause the Paying Agent/Registrar to keep at the Designated Payment/Transfer Office a register in which, subject to such reasonable regulations as it may prescribe, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall provide for the registration and transfer of Certificates in accordance with this Ordinance.
- (b) The ownership of a Certificate may be transferred only upon the presentation and surrender of the Certificate at the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar with such endorsement or other evidence of transfer as is acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar. No transfer of any Certificate shall be effective until entered in the Register.
- (c) The Certificates shall be exchangeable upon the presentation and surrender thereof at the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar for a Certificate or Certificates of the same maturity and interest rate and in a denomination or denominations of any integral multiple of \$5,000, and in an aggregate principal amount equal to the unpaid principal amount of the Certificates presented for exchange. The Paying Agent/Registrar is hereby authorized to authenticate and deliver Certificates exchanged for other Certificates in accordance with this Section.
- (d) Each exchange Certificate delivered by the Paying Agent/Registrar in accordance with this Section shall constitute an original contractual obligation of the City and shall be entitled to the benefits and security of this Ordinance to the same extent as the Certificate or Certificates in lieu of which such exchange Certificate is delivered.
- (e) No service charge shall be made to the Owner for the initial registration, subsequent transfer, or exchange for a different denomination of any of the Certificates. The Paying Agent/Registrar, however, may require the Owner to pay a sum sufficient to cover any tax or other governmental charge that is authorized to be imposed in connection with the registration, transfer, or exchange of a Certificate.
- (f) Neither the City nor the Paying Agent/Registrar shall be required to issue, transfer, or exchange any Certificate called for redemption, in whole or in part, where such redemption is scheduled to occur within forty-five (45) calendar days after the transfer or

exchange date; provided, however, such limitation shall not be applicable to an exchange by the Owner of the uncalled principal balance of a Certificate.

## Section 3.7 Cancellation.

All Certificates paid or redeemed before scheduled maturity in accordance with this Ordinance, and all Certificates in lieu of which exchange Certificates or replacement Certificates are authenticated and delivered in accordance with this Ordinance, shall be cancelled and proper records made regarding such payment, redemption, exchange, or replacement. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall then return such cancelled Certificates to the City or may in accordance with law destroy such cancelled Certificates and periodically furnish the City with certificates of destruction of such Certificates.

## Section 3.8 <u>Temporary Certificates.</u>

- (a) Following the delivery and registration of the Initial Certificate and pending the preparation of definitive Certificates, the City may execute and, upon the City's request, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall authenticate and deliver, one or more temporary Certificates that are printed, lithographed, typewritten, mimeographed, or otherwise produced, in any denomination, substantially of the tenor of the definitive Certificates in lieu of which they are delivered, without coupons, and with such appropriate insertions, omissions, substitutions, and other variations as the officers of the City executing such temporary Certificates may determine, as evidenced by their signing of such temporary Certificates.
- (b) Until exchanged for Certificates in definitive form, such Certificates in temporary form shall be entitled to the benefit and security of this Ordinance.
- (c) The City, without unreasonable delay, shall prepare, execute and deliver to the Paying Agent/Registrar; thereupon, upon the presentation and surrender of the Certificate or Certificates in temporary form to the Paying Agent/Registrar, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall authenticate and deliver in exchange therefor a Certificate or Certificates of the same maturity and series, in definitive form, in the authorized denomination, and in the same aggregate principal amount, as the Certificate or Certificates in temporary form surrendered. Such exchange shall be made without the making of any charge therefor to any Owner.

## Section 3.9 Replacement Certificates.

- (a) Upon the presentation and surrender to the Paying Agent/Registrar of a mutilated Certificate, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall authenticate and deliver in exchange therefor a replacement Certificate of like tenor and principal amount, bearing a number not contemporaneously outstanding. The City or the Paying Agent/Registrar may require the Owner of such Certificate to pay a sum sufficient to cover any tax or other governmental charge that is authorized to be imposed in connection therewith and any other expenses connected therewith.
- (b) In the event that any Certificate is lost, apparently destroyed or wrongfully taken, the Paying Agent/Registrar, pursuant to the applicable laws of the State of Texas and in the absence of notice or knowledge that such Certificate has been acquired by a bona fide purchaser, shall authenticate and deliver a replacement Certificate of like tenor and principal amount,

bearing a number not contemporaneously outstanding, provided that the Owner first complies with the following requirements:

- (i) furnishes to the Paying Agent/Registrar satisfactory evidence of his or her ownership of and the circumstances of the loss, destruction, or theft of such Certificate;
- (ii) furnishes such security or indemnity as may be required by the Paying Agent/Registrar to save it and the City harmless;
- (iii) pays all expenses and charges in connection therewith, including, but not limited to, printing costs, legal fees, fees of the Paying Agent/Registrar, and any tax or other governmental charge that is authorized to be imposed; and
- (iv) satisfies any other reasonable requirements imposed by the City and the Paying Agent/Registrar.
- (c) If, after the delivery of such replacement Certificate, a bona fide purchaser of the original Certificate in lieu of which such replacement Certificate was issued presents for payment such original Certificate, the City and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall be entitled to recover such replacement Certificate from the person to whom it was delivered or any person taking therefrom, except a bona fide purchaser, and shall be entitled to recover upon the security or indemnity provided therefor to the extent of any loss, damage, cost, or expense incurred by the City or the Paying Agent/Registrar in connection therewith.
- (d) In the event that any such mutilated, lost, apparently destroyed, or wrongfully taken Certificate has become or is about to become due and payable, the Paying Agent/Registrar, in its discretion, instead of issuing a replacement Certificate, may pay such Certificate when it becomes due and payable.
- (e) Each replacement Certificate delivered in accordance with this Section shall constitute an original additional contractual obligation of the City and shall be entitled to the benefits and security of this Ordinance to the same extent as the Certificate or Certificates in lieu of which such replacement Certificate is delivered.

## Section 3.10 Book-Entry-Only System.

- (a) Notwithstanding any other provision hereof, upon initial issuance of the Certificates, the Certificates shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC. The definitive Certificates shall be initially issued in the form of a single separate certificate for each of the maturities thereof.
- (b) With respect to Certificates registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, the City and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall have no responsibility or obligation to any DTC Participant or to any person on behalf of whom such a DTC Participant holds an interest in the Certificates. Without limiting the immediately preceding sentence, the City and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall have no responsibility or obligation with respect to (i) the accuracy of the records of DTC, Cede & Co. or any DTC Participant with respect to any ownership interest in the Certificates, (ii) the delivery to any DTC Participant or any other person, other than an

Owner, as shown on the Register, of any notice with respect to the Certificates, including any notice of redemption, or (iii) the payment to any DTC Participant or any other person, other than an Owner, as shown in the Register of any amount with respect to principal of, premium, if any, or interest on the Certificates. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Ordinance to the contrary, the City and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall be entitled to treat and consider the person in whose name each Certificate is registered in the Register as the absolute owner of such Certificate for the purpose of payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on Certificates, for the purpose of giving notices of redemption and other matters with respect to such Certificate, for the purpose of registering transfer with respect to such Certificate, and for all other purposes whatsoever. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall pay all principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Certificates only to or upon the order of the respective Owners as shown in the Register, as provided in this Ordinance, or their respective attorneys duly authorized in writing, and all such payments shall be valid and effective to fully satisfy and discharge the City's obligations with respect to payment of, premium, if any, and interest on the Certificates to the extent of the sum or sums so paid. No person other than an Owner, as shown in the Register, shall receive a certificate evidencing the obligation of the City to make payments of amounts due pursuant to this Ordinance. Upon delivery by DTC to the Paying Agent/Registrar of written notice to the effect that DTC has determined to substitute a new nominee in place of Cede & Co., the word "Cede & Co." in this Ordinance shall refer to such new nominee of DTC.

(c) The Representations Letter previously executed and delivered by the City, and applicable to the City's obligations delivered in book-entry-only form to DTC as securities depository, is hereby ratified and approved for the Certificates.

# Section 3.11 <u>Successor Securities Depository; Transfer Outside Book-Entry-Only</u> System.

In the event that the City determines that it is in the best interest of the City and the beneficial owners of the Certificates that they be able to obtain certificated Certificates, or in the event DTC discontinues the services described herein, the City shall (i) appoint a successor securities depository, qualified to act as such under Section 17(a) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, notify DTC and DTC Participants of the appointment of such successor securities depository and transfer one or more separate Certificates to such successor securities depository; or (ii) notify DTC and DTC Participants of the availability through DTC of certificated Certificates and cause the Paying Agent/Registrar to transfer one or more separate registered Certificates to DTC Participants having Certificates credited to their DTC accounts. In such event, the Certificates shall no longer be restricted to being registered in the Register in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, but may be registered in the name of the successor securities depository, or its nominee, or in whatever name or names Owners transferring or exchanging Certificates shall designate, in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance.

## Section 3.12 Payments to Cede & Co.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Ordinance to the contrary, so long as the Certificates are registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, all payments with respect to principal of, premium, if any, and interest on such Certificates, and all notices with

respect to such Certificates shall be made and given, respectively, in the manner provided in the Representations Letter of the City to DTC.

#### ARTICLE IV

#### REDEMPTION OF CERTIFICATES BEFORE MATURITY

## Section 4.1 Optional Redemption.

- (a) The Certificates shall be subject to redemption at the option of the City at such times, in such amounts, in such manner and at such redemption prices as may be designated and provided for in the Pricing Certificate.
- (b) The City, at least forty-five (45) days before the redemption date, unless a shorter period shall be satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar, shall notify the Paying Agent/Registrar of such redemption date and of the principal amount of Certificates to be redeemed.

## Section 4.2 Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption.

- (a) Certificates designated as "Term Certificates," if any, in the Pricing Certificate are subject to scheduled mandatory redemption and will be redeemed by the City, in part at a price equal to the principal amount thereof, without premium, plus accrued interest to the redemption date, out of moneys available for such purpose in the Interest and Sinking Fund for such Certificates, on the dates and in the respective principal amounts as set forth in the Pricing Certificate.
- (b) At least forty-five (45) days prior to each scheduled mandatory redemption date, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall select for redemption by lot, or by any other customary method that results in a random selection, or such other method specified in the Pricing Certificate, a principal amount of Term Certificates equal to the aggregate principal amount of such Term Certificates to be redeemed, shall call such Term Certificates for redemption on such scheduled mandatory redemption date, and shall give notice of such redemption, as provided in Section 4.4.

The principal amount of the Term Certificates required to be redeemed on any redemption date pursuant to subparagraph (a) of this Section 4.2 shall be reduced, at the option of the City, by the principal amount of any Term Certificates which, at least 45 days prior to the mandatory sinking fund redemption date (i) shall have been acquired by the City at a price not exceeding the principal amount of such Term Certificates plus accrued interest to the date of purchase thereof, and delivered to the Paying Agent/Registrar for cancellation, or (ii) shall have been redeemed pursuant to the optional redemption provisions hereof and not previously credited to a mandatory sinking fund redemption.

## Section 4.3 Partial Redemption.

(a) If less than all of the Certificates are to be redeemed pursuant to Section 4.1, the City shall determine the maturity or maturities and the amounts thereof to be redeemed and shall direct the Paying Agent/Registrar to call by lot or other customary method that results in a

random selection of the Certificates, or portions thereof and maturity or maturities and in such principal amounts, for redemption.

- (b) A portion of a single Certificate of a denomination greater than \$5,000 may be redeemed, but only in a principal amount equal to \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall treat each \$5,000 portion of the Certificate as though it were a single Certificate for purposes of selection for redemption.
- (c) Upon surrender of any Certificate for redemption in part, the Paying Agent/Registrar, in accordance with Section 3.6 of this Ordinance, shall authenticate and deliver an exchange Certificate or Certificates in an aggregate principal amount equal to the unredeemed portion of the Certificate so surrendered.
- (d) The Paying Agent/Registrar shall promptly notify the City in writing of the principal amount to be redeemed of any Certificate as to which only a portion thereof is to be redeemed.

## Section 4.4 Notice of Redemption to Owners.

- (a) The City shall give notice of any redemption of Certificates by sending or causing the Paying Agent/Registrar to send notice of such redemption by first class United States mail, postage prepaid, not less than 30 days before the date fixed for redemption, to the Owner of each Certificate (or part thereof) to be redeemed, at the address shown on the Register at the close of business on the Business Day next preceding the date of mailing such notice.
- (b) The notice shall state the redemption date, the redemption price, the place at which the Certificates are to be surrendered for payment, and, if less than all the Certificates outstanding are to be redeemed, an identification of the Certificates or portions thereof to be redeemed.
- The City reserves the right to give notice of its election or direction to redeem Certificates under Section 4.1 conditioned upon the occurrence of subsequent events. Such notice may state (i) that the redemption is conditioned upon the deposit of moneys and/or authorized securities, in an amount equal to the amount necessary to effect the redemption, with the Paying Agent/Registrar, or such other entity as may be authorized by law, no later than the redemption date or (ii) that the City retains the right to rescind such notice at any time prior to the scheduled redemption date if the City delivers a certificate of the City to the Paying Agent/Registrar instructing the Paying Agent/Registrar to rescind the redemption notice, and such notice and redemption shall be of no effect if such moneys and/or authorized securities are not so deposited or if the notice is rescinded. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall give prompt notice of any such rescission of a conditional notice of redemption to the affected Owners. Any Certificates subject to conditional redemption where redemption has been rescinded shall remain Outstanding, and the rescission shall not constitute an event of default. Further, in the case of a conditional redemption, the failure of the City to make moneys and/or authorized securities available in part or in whole on or before the redemption date shall not constitute an event of default.

(d) Any notice given as provided in this Section shall be conclusively presumed to have been duly given, whether or not the Owner receives such notice.

## Section 4.5 <u>Payment Upon Redemption</u>.

- (a) Before or on each redemption date, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall make provision for the payment of the Certificates to be redeemed on such date by setting aside and holding in trust an amount from the Interest and Sinking Fund or otherwise received by the Paying Agent/Registrar from the City sufficient to pay the principal of and accrued interest on such Certificates.
- (b) Upon presentation and surrender of any Certificate called for redemption at the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar on or after the date fixed for redemption, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall pay the principal of and accrued interest on such Certificate to the date of redemption from the money set aside for such purpose.

## Section 4.6 <u>Effect of Redemption</u>.

- (a) Notice of redemption having been given as provided in Section 4.4 of this Ordinance and subject to any conditions or rights reserved by the City under Section 4.4(c), the Certificates or portions thereof called for redemption shall become due and payable on the date fixed for redemption and, unless the City defaults in the payment of the principal thereof, premium, if any, or accrued interest thereon, such Certificates or portions thereof shall cease to bear interest from and after the date fixed for redemption, whether or not such Certificates are presented and surrendered for payment on such date.
- (b) If any Certificate or portion thereof called for redemption is not so paid upon presentation and surrender of such Certificate for redemption, such Certificate or portion thereof shall continue to bear interest at the rate stated on the Certificate until paid or until due provision is made for the payment of same.
- Section 4.7 <u>Lapse of Payment</u>. Money set aside for the redemption of Certificates and remaining unclaimed by the Owners of such Certificates shall be subject to the provisions of Section 3.3(f) hereof.

#### ARTICLE V

#### PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR

#### Section 5.1 Appointment of Initial Paying Agent/Registrar.

(a) The City hereby appoints UMB Bank, N.A., as its registrar and transfer agent to keep such books or records and make such transfers and registrations under such reasonable regulations as the City and the Paying Agent/Registrar may prescribe; and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall make such transfers and registrations as herein provided. It shall be the duty of the Paying Agent/Registrar to obtain from the Owners and record in the Register the address of the Owner of each Certificate to which payments with respect to the Certificates shall be mailed, as provided herein. The City or its designee shall have the right to inspect the

Register during regular business hours of the Paying Agent/Registrar, but otherwise the Paying Agent/Registrar shall keep the Register confidential and, unless otherwise required by law, shall not permit their inspection by any other entity.

- (b) The City hereby further appoints the Paying Agent/Registrar to act as the paying agent for paying the principal of and interest on the Certificates. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall keep proper records of all payments made by the City and the Paying Agent/Registrar with respect to the Certificates, and of all exchanges and replacements of such Certificates, as provided in this Ordinance.
- (c) Paying Agent/Registrar Contract. The City and the Paying Agent/Registrar have entered into a Paying Agent/Registrar Contract (the "Contract") effective as of July 1, 2018, outlining the services to be provided by the Paying Agent/Registrar with respect to certain obligations issued by the City after July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2023. By accepting the positions of paying agent and registrar, the Paying Agent agrees that in the event that it shall resign its position as Paying Agent/Registrar, it will continue to serve in such capacity until such time as a successor assumes such duties under this Ordinance. In addition, the Paying Agent agrees that, so long as required by Texas law, a true and correct copy of the Register shall at all times be maintained in the State of Texas.

#### Section 5.2 Qualifications.

Each Paying Agent/Registrar shall be a commercial bank, a 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 and registrar for the Certificates.

## Section 5.3 <u>Maintaining Paying Agent/Registrar.</u>

- (a) At all times while any of the Certificates are outstanding, the City will maintain a Paying Agent/Registrar that is qualified under Section 5.2 of this Ordinance.
- (b) If the Paying Agent/Registrar resigns or otherwise ceases to serve as such, the City will promptly appoint a replacement.

## Section 5.4 Termination.

The City, upon not less than sixty (60) days' notice, reserves the right to terminate the appointment of any Paying Agent/Registrar by delivering to the entity whose appointment is to be terminated written notice of such termination.

## Section 5.5 <u>Notice of Change to Owners.</u>

Promptly upon each change in the entity serving as Paying Agent/Registrar, the City will cause notice of the change to be sent to each Owner by first class United States mail, postage prepaid, at the address in the Register, stating the effective date of the change and the name and mailing address of the replacement Paying Agent/Registrar and the address of its Designated Payment/Transfer Office.

## Section 5.6 Agreement to Perform Duties and Functions.

By accepting the appointment as Paying Agent/Registrar and executing the Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement, the Paying Agent/Registrar is deemed to have agreed to the provisions of this Ordinance and that it will perform the duties and functions of Paying Agent/Registrar prescribed thereby.

## Section 5.7 <u>Delivery of Records to Successor.</u>

If a Paying Agent/Registrar is replaced, such Paying Agent, promptly upon the appointment of the successor, will deliver the Register (or a copy thereof) and all other pertinent books and records relating to the Certificates to the successor Paying Agent/Registrar.

#### ARTICLE VI

#### FORM OF THE CERTIFICATES

#### Section 6.1 Form Generally.

- (a) The Certificates, including the Registration Certificate of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, the Certificate of the Paying Agent/Registrar, and the Assignment form to appear on each of the Certificates, (i) shall be substantially in the form set forth in this Article, with such appropriate insertions, omissions, substitutions, and other variations as are permitted or required by this Ordinance or the Pricing Certificate, and (ii) may have such letters, numbers, or other marks of identification (including identifying numbers and letters of the Committee on Uniform Securities Identification Procedures of the American Bankers Association) and such legends and endorsements (including any reproduction of an opinion of counsel) thereon as, consistently herewith, may be determined by the City or by the officers executing such Certificates, as evidenced by their execution thereof.
- (b) Any portion of the text of any Certificates may be set forth on the reverse side thereof, with an appropriate reference thereto on the face of the Certificates.
- (c) The definitive Certificates, if any, shall be typewritten, photocopied, printed, lithographed, or engraved, and may be produced by any combination of these methods or produced in any other similar manner, all as determined by the officers executing such Certificates, as evidenced by their execution thereof.
- (d) The Initial Certificate submitted to the Attorney General of the State of Texas may be typewritten and photocopied or otherwise reproduced.

## Section 6.2 Form of the Certificates.

The form of the Certificates, including the form of the Registration Certificate of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, the form of Certificate of the Paying Agent/Registrar and the form of Assignment appearing on the Certificates, shall be substantially as follows:

#### Form of Certificate. (a)

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INTEREST RATE:	MATURITY DATE:	DELIVERY DATE:	CUSIP NUMBER:
%	February 15,	1	
The City of lareceived, hereby prom	Dallas (the "City"), in the hises to pay to	ne County of Dallas, Sta	te of Texas, for value
later of the Delivery interest has been paid provided for, at the paday year of twelve 3	assigns, on the Ma DOLLARS and to Date specified above or or provided for until payer annum rate of interests 0-day months, such interest, commencing	to pay interest on such printerest of such principal a specified above, computerest to be paid semiannual	ncipal amount from the payment date to which mount has been paid or d on the basis of a 360-
in lawful money of Certificate at the corp Office"), of UMB Ba Designated Payment/ check dated as of the the registered owner Agent/Registrar or b Agent/Registrar and t all risk and expenses least \$1,000,000 prince	of this Certificate shall be the United States of Ar orate trust office in ank, N.A., or, with respective of such su interest payment date, and at the address shown y such other customary he registered owner; provof such customary banking sipal amount of the Certification.	merica upon presentation	and surrender of this nated Payment/Transfer Agent/Registrar, at the Certificate is payable by ying Agent/Registrar to as kept by the Paying ceptable to the Paying stered owner shall bear ption of an Owner of at d by wire transfer to the

payment of interest on this Certificate, the registered owner shall be the person in whose name

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Information to be inserted from the Pricing Certificate. <sup>2</sup>Information to be inserted from the Pricing Certificate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Information to be inserted from the Pricing Certificate.

this Certificate is registered at the close of business on the "Record Date," which shall be the last business day of the month next preceding such interest payment date.

If the date for the payment of the principal of or interest on this Certificate shall be a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or day on which banking institutions in the city where the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar is located are required or authorized by law or executive order to close, the date for such payment shall be the next succeeding day that is not a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or day on which banking institutions are required or authorized to close, and payment on such date shall have the same force and effect as if made on the original date payment was due.

This Certificate is one of a series of fully registered certificates dated \_\_\_\_\_\_\_4 specified in the title hereof issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_\_\_5 (herein referred to as the "Certificates"), issued pursuant to a certain ordinance of the City (the "Ordinance") for the purpose of paying contractual obligations to be incurred for authorized public improvements (collectively, the "Project"), as described in the Ordinance, and to pay the contractual obligations for professional services of attorneys, financial advisors and other professionals in connection with the Project and the issuance of the Certificates.

[The City has reserved the option to redeem the Certificates maturing on or after \_\_\_\_\_\_6, in whole or in part before their respective scheduled maturity dates, on\_\_\_\_\_\_7, or on any date thereafter, at a price equal to the principal amount of the Certificates so called for redemption plus accrued interest to the date fixed for redemption. If less than all of the Certificates are to be redeemed, the City shall determine the maturity or maturities and the amounts thereof to be redeemed and shall direct the Paying Agent/Registrar to call by lot the Certificates, or portions thereof, within such maturity and in such principal amounts, for redemption.

Certificates maturing on February 15 in each of the years \_\_\_\_\_<sup>8</sup> through \_\_\_\_<sup>9</sup>, inclusive (the "Term Certificates"), are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption prior to their scheduled maturity, and will be redeemed by the City, in part at a redemption price equal to the principal amount thereof, without premium, plus interest accrued to the redemption date, on the dates and in the principal amounts shown in the following schedule:

Term Certificates Maturing February 15, 20\_\_\_\_<sup>10</sup>

Redemption Date

Principal Amount

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Information to be inserted from the Pricing Certificate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>Information to be inserted from the Pricing Certificate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>Information to be inserted from the Pricing Certificate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>Information to be inserted from the Pricing Certificate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup>Information to be inserted from the Pricing Certificate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup>Information to be inserted from the Pricing Certificate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup>Information to be inserted from the Pricing Certificate.

The Paying Agent/Registrar will select by lot or by any other customary method that results in a random selection the specific Term Certificates (or with respect to Term Certificates having a denomination in excess of \$5,000, each \$5,000 portion thereof) to be redeemed by mandatory redemption. The principal amount of Term Certificates required to be redeemed on any redemption date pursuant to the foregoing mandatory sinking fund redemption provisions hereof shall be reduced, at the option of the City, by the principal amount of any Certificates which, at least 45 days prior to the mandatory sinking fund redemption date (i) shall have been acquired by the City at a price not exceeding the principal amount of such Certificates plus accrued interest to the date of purchase thereof, and delivered to the Paying Agent/Registrar for cancellation, or (ii) shall have been redeemed pursuant to the optional redemption provisions hereof and not previously credited to a mandatory sinking fund redemption.

Notice of such redemption or redemptions shall be given by first class mail, postage prepaid, not less than thirty (30) days before the date fixed for redemption, to the registered owner of each of the Certificates to be redeemed in whole or in part. Notice having been so given, the Certificates or portions thereof designated for redemption shall become due and payable on the redemption date specified in such notice; from and after such date, notwithstanding that any of the Certificates or portions thereof so called for redemption shall not have been surrendered for payment, interest on such Certificates or portions thereof shall cease to accrue. ]<sup>11</sup>

The City reserves the right to give notice of its election or direction to redeem Certificates conditioned upon the occurrence of subsequent events. Such notice may state (i) that the redemption is conditioned upon the deposit of moneys and/or authorized securities, in an amount equal to the amount necessary to effect the redemption, with the Paying Agent/Registrar, or such other entity as may be authorized by law, no later than the redemption date, or (ii) that the City retains the right to rescind such notice at any time on or prior to the scheduled redemption date if the City delivers a certificate of the City to the Paying Agent/Registrar instructing the Paying Agent/Registrar to rescind the redemption notice and such notice and redemption shall be of no effect if such moneys and/or authorized securities are not so deposited or if the notice is rescinded. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall give prompt notice of any such rescission of a conditional notice of redemption to the affected Owners. Any Certificates subject to conditional redemption and such redemption has been rescinded shall remain Outstanding and the rescission of such redemption shall not constitute an event of default. Further, in the case of a conditional redemption, the failure of the City to make moneys and or authorized securities available in part or in whole on or before the redemption date shall not constitute an event of default.

As provided in the Ordinance, and subject to certain limitations therein set forth, this Certificate is transferable upon surrender of this Certificate for transfer at the designated office of the Paying Agent/Registrar with such endorsement or other evidence of transfer as is acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar; thereupon, one or more new fully registered Certificates of the

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup>Redemption provisions to be inserted from the Pricing Certificate.

same stated maturity, of authorized denominations, bearing the same rate of interest, and for the same aggregate principal amount will be issued to the designated transferee or transferees.

Neither the City nor the Paying Agent/Registrar shall be required to issue, transfer or exchange any Certificate called for redemption where such redemption is scheduled to occur within forty five (45) calendar days of the transfer or exchange date; provided, however, such limitation shall not be applicable to an exchange by the registered owner of the uncalled principal balance of a Certificate.

The City, the Paying Agent/Registrar, and any other person may treat the person in whose name this Certificate is registered as the owner hereof for the purpose of receiving payment as herein provided (except interest shall be paid to the person in whose name this Certificate is registered on the Record Date) and for all other purposes, whether or not this Certificate be overdue, and neither the City nor the Paying Agent/Registrar shall be affected by notice to the contrary.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED AND RECITED that the issuance of this Certificate and the series of which it is a part is duly authorized by law; that all acts, conditions, and things to be done precedent to and in the issuance of the Certificates have been properly done and performed and have happened in regular and due time, form, and manner as required by law; that ad valorem taxes upon all taxable property in the City have been levied for and pledged to the payment of the debt service requirements of the Certificates within the limit prescribed by law; that, in addition to said taxes, further provisions have been made for the payment of the debt service requirements of the Certificates by pledging to such purpose Surplus Revenues, as defined in the Ordinance, in an amount not to exceed \$1000, of the City's Municipal Drainage Utility System; that when so collected, such taxes and Surplus Revenues shall be appropriated to such purposes; and that the total indebtedness of the City, including the Certificates, does not exceed any constitutional or statutory limitation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City has caused this Certificate to be executed by the manual or facsimile signature of the Mayor of the City and countersigned by the manual or facsimile signature of the City Secretary and the City Manager, and the official seal of the City has been duly impressed or placed in facsimile on this Certificate.

City Manager, City of Dallas, Texas	Mayor, City of Dallas, Texas
City Secretary, City of Dallas, Texas	
[SEAL]	

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General of the State of Texas to the effect t required by law, that he finds that it has been	that this en issuand and bin	ed in conformity with the Constitution and laws ding obligation of the City of Dallas, Texas;
Witness my hand and seal of office	at Aus	tin, Texas,
[SEAL]		Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas
(c) Form of Certificate of Paying	ng Agen	nt/Registrar.
The following Certificate of Paying Certificate if the Comptroller's Registration	_	/Registrar may be deleted from the Initial ficate appears thereon.
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of certificates of obligation was approved by	by the Acounts	of the State of Texas, and that this is one of the
		as Paying Agent/Registrar
Dated: By:		Authorized Signatory
<sup>12</sup> Information to be inserted from the Pricing Certifi	icate.	

## (d) Form of Assignment.

#### **ASSIGNMENT**

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned hereby sells, assigns, and transfers unto (print or typewrite name, address and Zip Code of transferee):

nber:) the within Certificate rocably constitutes and appoints asfer the within Certificate on the books kept for
bstitution in the premises.
NOTICE: The signature on this Assignment must correspond with the name of the
registered owner as it appears on the face of the within Certificate in every particular and must be guaranteed in a manner acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar.

# Authorized Signatory

- (e) The Initial Certificate shall be in the form set forth in paragraphs (a), (b) and (d) of this Section, except for the following alterations:
  - (i) immediately under the name of the Certificate the headings "INTEREST RATE" and "MATURITY DATE" shall both be completed with the expression "As shown below" and the words "CUSIP NUMBER" deleted; and
  - (ii) in the first paragraph of the Certificate, the words "on the maturity date specified above" shall be deleted and the following will be inserted: "on August 15 in each of the years, in the principal installments and bearing interest at the per annum rates set forth in the following schedule:

Years Principal Installments Interest Rate

(Information to be inserted from Pricing Certificate)

## Section 6.3 <u>CUSIP Registration.</u>

The City may secure identification numbers through the CUSIP Global Services managed by FactSet Research Systems Inc. on behalf of the American Bankers Association, and may authorize the printing of such numbers on the face of the Certificates. It is expressly provided, however, that the presence or absence of CUSIP numbers on the Certificates shall be of no significance or effect in regard to the legality thereof and neither the City nor the attorneys approving said Certificates as to legality are to be held responsible for CUSIP numbers incorrectly printed on the Certificates.

## Section 6.4 Legal Opinion.

The approving legal opinions of Bracewell LLP and West & Associates, L.L.P., Co-Bond Counsel, may be attached to or printed on the reverse side of each Certificate over the certification of the City Secretary of the City, which may be executed in facsimile.

## Section 6.5 <u>Bond Insurance.</u>

Information pertaining to bond insurance, if any, may be printed on each Certificate.

#### **ARTICLE VII**

#### SALE AND DELIVERY OF CERTIFICATES; DEPOSIT OF PROCEEDS

## Section 7.1 <u>Sale of Certificates; Official Statement.</u>

(a) The Certificates may be sold at a negotiated sale to the Underwriters, a competitive or private placement sale to the Purchasers, in one or more series from time to time, all in accordance with the terms of this Ordinance, including this Section 7.1(a), provided that all of the conditions set forth in this Section 7.1(a) can be satisfied. As authorized by Chapter 1371, Texas Government Code, as amended, the Authorized Officer is authorized to act on behalf of the City upon determining that the conditions set forth in this Section 7.1(a) can be satisfied, in selling and delivering the Certificates and carrying out the other procedures specified in this Ordinance, including determining whether to acquire bond insurance for the Certificates, enter into a credit agreement with respect to the Certificates, whether to sell the Certificates in a competitive or negotiated sale, the aggregate principal amount of each series of Certificates, whether the Certificates shall be in one or more series from time to time, and price at which each of the Certificates will be sold, the number and designation of series of Certificates to be issued, whether the Certificates will be taxable or tax-exempt, the form in which the Certificates shall be issued, the years in which the Certificates will mature, the principal amount to mature in each of such years, the rate of interest to be borne by each such maturity, the first interest payment date, the initial date from which interest will accrue, the dates, prices and terms upon and at which the Certificates shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of the City and shall be subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption, and all other matters relating to the issuance, sale and delivery of the Certificates, all of which shall be specified in the Pricing Certificate; subject to the following conditions:

- (i) the Certificates shall not bear interest at rates in excess of the maximum rate allowed under Section 1204.006, Texas Government Code;
- (ii) the aggregate principal amount of the Certificates authorized to be issued for the purposes described in Section 3.01 shall not exceed the limits described in that Section;
  - (iii) no Certificate shall mature later than February 15, 2033; and
- (iv) the Certificates to be issued prior to delivery, must have been rated by a nationally recognized rating agency for municipal securities in one of the four highest rating categories for long term obligations.
- (b) The authority granted to the Authorized Officer under Section 7.1(a) shall expire on a date 365 days from the date of this Ordinance, unless otherwise extended by the Board by separate action.
- (c) If any series of Certificates are sold in a negotiated or private placement sale, the Authorized Officer is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver one or more bond purchase agreements (the "Purchase Agreement"), which Purchase Agreement shall be in the form approved by the Authorized Officer. The Authorized Officer is hereby authorized and directed to approve the final terms and provisions of the Purchase Agreement in accordance with the terms of the Pricing Certificate and this Ordinance, which final terms shall be determined to be the most advantageous reasonably attainable by the City, such approval and determination being evidenced by its execution thereof by the Authorized Officer. All officers, agents and representatives of the City are hereby authorized to do any and all things necessary or desirable to satisfy the conditions set out therein and to provide for the issuance and delivery of the Certificates. The Initial Certificate shall initially be registered in the name of the Representative or such other entity as may be specified in the Purchase Agreement.
- Official Statements and Official Notices of Sale for use in the initial offering and sale of each series of Certificates and authorizes the Authorized Officer to approve the final form(s) of the Preliminary Official Statement(s) and Notice of Sale and to deem the Preliminary Official Statement(s) (with such addenda, supplements or amendments as may be approved by the Authorized Officer) final within the meaning and for the purposes of paragraph (b)(1) of Rule 15c2-12 under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 on behalf of the City. The City hereby authorizes the preparation of one or more Official Statements reflecting the terms of the applicable Purchase Agreement(s) and/or Notice(s) of Sale and other relevant information. The Authorized Officer is hereby authorized and directed to authorize the use and distribution of such final Official Statement by the Purchasers or Underwriters in the offering and sale of the Certificates (in the form and with such appropriate variations as shall be approved by the Authorized Officer and the Purchasers).
- (e) All officers of the City are authorized to take such actions and to execute such documents, certificates and receipts as they may deem necessary and appropriate in order to consummate the delivery of the Certificates in accordance with the terms of sale therefore

including, without limitation, the Purchase Agreement, if any. Further, in connection with the submission of the record of proceedings for the Certificates to the Attorney General of the State of Texas for examination and approval of such Certificates, the appropriate officer of the City is hereby authorized and directed to issue a check of the City payable to the Attorney General of the State of Texas as a nonrefundable examination fee in the amount required by Chapter 1202, Texas Government Code (such amount to be the lesser of (i) 1/10th of 1% of the principal amount of the Certificates or (ii) \$9,500).

- (f) The obligation of the Underwriters or Purchasers to accept delivery of the Certificates is subject to the Underwriters or Purchasers being furnished with the final, approving opinions of Bracewell LLP and West & Associates L.L.P., Co-Bond Counsel for the City, which opinions shall be dated as of and delivered on the Closing Date.
- (g) If sold pursuant to a private placement sale, the Authorized Officer is authorized to prepare and execute a private placement agreement with a placement agent.

#### Section 7.2 Control and Delivery of Certificates.

- (a) The City Manager, and in his absence, the Chief Financial Officer of the City is hereby authorized to have control of the Initial Certificate and all necessary records and proceedings pertaining thereto pending investigation, examination, and approval of the Attorney General of the State of Texas, registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas and registration with, and initial exchange or transfer by, the Paying Agent/Registrar.
- (b) After registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts, delivery of the Certificates shall be made to the Representative under and subject to the general supervision and direction of the City Manager, against receipt by the City of all amounts due to the City under the terms of sale.
- (c) In the event the Mayor, City Secretary or City Manager is absent or otherwise unable to execute any document or take any action authorized herein, the Mayor Pro Tem, any Assistant City Secretary, and any Assistant City Manager, respectively, shall be authorized to execute such documents and take such actions, and the performance of such duties by the Mayor Pro Tem, the Assistant City Secretary, and any Assistant City Manager shall for the purposes of this Ordinance have the same force and effect as if such duties were performed by the Mayor, City Secretary, and City Manager, respectively.

## Section 7.3 <u>Deposit of Proceeds.</u>

Proceeds of the Certificates received on the Closing Date in the amount set forth in the Pricing Certificate shall be deposited to a special account of the City, such moneys to be dedicated and used solely for the purposes for which the Certificates are being issued as herein provided.

#### ARTICLE VIII

## **INVESTMENTS**

## Section 8.1 Investments.

(a) Money in the Interest and Sinking Fund or the Surplus Revenue Fund created by this Ordinance, at the option of the City, may be invested in such securities or obligations as permitted under applicable law.

Any securities or obligations in which such money is so invested shall be kept and held in trust for the benefit of the Owners and shall be sold and the proceeds of sale shall be timely applied to the making of all payments required to be made from the fund from which the investment was made.

## Section 8.2 Investment Income.

- (a) Interest and income derived from investment of the Interest and Sinking Fund and the Surplus Revenue Fund shall be credited to their respective funds.
- (b) Interest and income derived from investment of the funds to be deposited pursuant to Section 7.3 hereof shall be credited to the account where deposited until the acquisition or construction of said projects is completed and thereafter, to the extent such interest and income are present, such interest and income shall be deposited to the Interest and Sinking Fund.

#### ARTICLE IX

#### PARTICULAR REPRESENTATIONS AND COVENANTS

## Section 9.1 <u>Payment of the Certificates.</u>

On or before each Interest Payment Date while any of the Certificates are outstanding and unpaid, there shall be made available to the Paying Agent/Registrar, out of the Interest and Sinking Fund, money sufficient to pay such interest on and principal of, redemption premium, if any, and interest on the Certificates as will accrue or mature on the applicable Interest Payment Date or date of prior redemption.

## Section 9.2 Other Representations and Covenants.

- (a) The City will faithfully perform, at all times, any and all covenants, undertakings, stipulations, and provisions contained in this Ordinance and in each Certificate; the City will promptly pay or cause to be paid the principal of, redemption premium, if any, and interest on each Certificate on the dates and at the places and manner prescribed in such Certificate; and the City will, at the times and in the manner prescribed by this Ordinance, deposit or cause to be deposited the amounts of money specified by this Ordinance.
- (b) The City is duly authorized under the laws of the State of Texas to issue the Certificates; all action on its part for the creation and issuance of the Certificates has been duly

and effectively taken; and the Certificates in the hands of the Owners thereof are and will be valid and enforceable obligations of the City in accordance with their terms.

## Section 9.3 Federal Income Tax Matters.

- (a) <u>General</u>. The City covenants not to take any action or omit to take any action that, if taken or omitted, would cause the interest on the Certificates to be includable in gross income for federal income tax purposes. In furtherance thereof, the City covenants to comply with sections 103 and 141 through 150 of the Code and the provisions set forth in the Federal Tax Certificate executed by the City in connection with the Certificates.
- (b) No Private Activity Bonds. The City covenants that it will use the proceeds of the Certificates (including investment income) and the property financed, directly or indirectly, with such proceeds so that the Certificates will not be "private activity bonds" within the meaning of section 141 of the Code. Furthermore, the City will not take a deliberate action (as defined in section 1.141-2(d)(3) of the Regulations) that causes the Certificates to be a "private activity bond" unless it takes a remedial action permitted by section 1.141-12 of the Regulations.
- (c) <u>No Federal Guarantee</u>. The City covenants not to take any action or omit to take any action that, if taken or omitted, would cause the Certificates to be "federally guaranteed" within the meaning of section 149(b) of the Code, except as permitted by section 149(b)(3) of the Code.
- (d) <u>No Hedge Bonds</u>. The City covenants not to take any action or omit to take action that, if taken or omitted, would cause the Certificates to be "hedge bonds" within the meaning of section 149(g) of the Code.
- (e) <u>No Arbitrage Bonds.</u> The City covenants that it will make such use of the proceeds of the Certificates (including investment income) and regulate the investment of such proceeds of the Certificates so that the Certificates will not be "arbitrage bonds" within the meaning of section 148(a) of the Code.
- (f) <u>Required Rebate</u>. The City covenants that, if the City does not qualify for an exception to the requirements of section 148(f) of the Code, the City will comply with the requirement that certain amounts earned by the City on the investment of the gross proceeds of the Certificates, be rebated to the United States.
- (g) <u>Information Reporting</u>. The City covenants to file or cause to be filed with the Secretary of the Treasury an information statement concerning the Certificates in accordance with section 149(e) of the Code.
- (h) <u>Record Retention</u>. The City covenants to retain all material records relating to the expenditure of the proceeds (including investment income) of the Certificates and the use of the property financed, directly or indirectly, thereby until three years after the last Certificate is redeemed or paid at maturity (or such other period as provided by subsequent guidance issued by the Department of the Treasury) in a manner that ensures their complete access throughout such retention period.

- (i) <u>Registration</u>. If the Certificates are "registration-required bonds" under section 149(a)(2) of the Code, the Certificates will be issued in registered form.
- (j) <u>Favorable Opinion of Bond Counsel</u>. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the City will not be required to comply with any of the federal tax covenants set forth above if the City has received an opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel that such noncompliance will not adversely affect the excludability of interest on the Certificates from gross income for federal income tax purposes.
- (k) <u>Continuing Compliance</u>. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Ordinance, the City's obligations under the federal tax covenants set forth above will survive the defeasance and discharge of the Certificates for as long as such matters are relevant to the excludability of interest on the Certificates from gross income for federal income tax purposes.
- (l) Official Intent. For purposes of section 1.150-2(d) of the Regulations, to the extent that an official intent to reimburse by the City has not been adopted for a particular project, this Ordinance serves as the City's official declaration of intent to use proceeds of the Certificates issued in the maximum amount authorized by this Ordinance to reimburse itself for certain expenditures paid in connection with the projects set forth herein. Any such reimbursement will only be made (i) for an original expenditure paid no earlier than 60 days prior to the date hereof and (ii) not later than 18 months after the later of (A) the date the original expenditure is paid or (B) the date on which the project to which such expenditure relates is placed in service or abandoned, but in no event more than three years after the original expenditure is paid.

#### ARTICLE X

## **DEFAULT AND REMEDIES**

## Section 10.1 Events of Default.

Each of the following occurrences or events for the purpose of this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an Event of Default:

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

## Section 10.2 Remedies for Default.

(a) Upon the happening of any Event of Default, then any Owner or an authorized representative thereof, including but not limited to a trustee or trustees therefor, may proceed against the City for the purpose of protecting and enforcing the rights of the Owners under this

Ordinance by mandamus or other suit, action or special proceeding in equity or at law in any court of competent jurisdiction for any relief permitted by law, including the specific performance of any covenant or agreement contained herein, or thereby to enjoin any act or thing that may be unlawful or in violation of any right of the Owners hereunder or any combination of such remedies.

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

#### Section 10.3 Remedies Not Exclusive.

- (a) No remedy herein conferred or reserved is intended to be exclusive of any other available remedy, but each and every such remedy shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy given hereunder or under the Certificates or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity; provided, however, that notwithstanding any other provision of this Ordinance, the right to accelerate the debt evidenced by the Certificates shall not be available as a remedy under this Ordinance.
- (b) The exercise of any remedy herein conferred or reserved shall not be deemed a waiver of any other available remedy.

#### ARTICLE XI

#### DISCHARGE

## Section 11.1 Discharge.

The Certificates may be defeased, discharged or refunded in any manner permitted by applicable law.

## ARTICLE XII

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

Section 12.1 <u>Amendments</u>. This Ordinance shall constitute a contract with the Owners, be binding on the City, and shall not be amended or repealed by the City so long as any Certificate remains outstanding except as permitted in this Section. The City may, without consent of or notice to any Owners, from time to time and at any time, amend this Ordinance in any manner not detrimental to the interests of the Owners, including the curing of any ambiguity, inconsistency, or formal defect or omission herein. In addition, the City may, with the written consent of the Owners of the Certificates holding a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Certificates then outstanding, amend, add to, or rescind any of the provisions of this Ordinance; provided that, without the consent of all Owners of outstanding Certificates, no such amendment, addition, or rescission shall (i) extend the time or times of payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Certificates, reduce the principal amount thereof, the redemption price, or the rate of interest thereon, or in any other way modify the terms of payment of the principal of, or interest on the Certificates, (ii) give any preference to any Certificate over any other

Certificate, or (iii) reduce the aggregate principal amount of Certificates required to be held by Owners for consent to any such amendment, addition, or rescission.

- Section 12.2 <u>Attorney General Modification</u>. In order to obtain the approval of the Certificates by the Attorney General of the State of Texas, any provision of this Ordinance may be modified, altered or amended after the date of its adoption if required by the Attorney General in connection with the Attorney General's examination as to the legality of the Certificates and approval thereof in accordance with the applicable law. Such changes, if any, shall be provided to the City Secretary and the City Secretary shall insert such changes into this Ordinance as if approved on the date hereof.
- Section 12.3 <u>Partial Invalidity</u>. If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall for any reason be held to be invalid or unenforceable, the invalidity or unenforceability of such section, paragraph, clause or provision shall not affect any of the remaining provisions of this Ordinance.
- Section 12.4 <u>No Personal Liability</u>. No recourse shall be had for payment of the principal of or interest on any Certificates or for any claim based thereon, or on this Ordinance, against any official or employee of the City or any person executing any Certificates.

#### ARTICLE XIII

#### CONTINUING DISCLOSURE UNDERTAKING

## Section 13.1 <u>Annual Reports.</u>

- (a) The City shall provide annually to the MSRB, (1) within six months after the end of each fiscal year of the City, financial information and operating data with respect to the City of the general type included in the final Official Statement, being information described in the Pricing Certificate, including financial statements of the City if audited financial statements of the City are then available, and (2) if not provided as part such financial information and operating data, audited financial statements of the City within 12 months after the end of each fiscal year, when and if available. Any financial statements so to be provided shall be (i) prepared in accordance with the accounting principles prescribed by the Generally Accepted Accounting Principles or such other accounting principles as the City may be required to employ, from time to time, by State law or regulation, and (ii) audited, if the City commissions an audit of such statements and the audit is completed within the period during which they must be provided. If the audit of such financial statements is not complete within 12 months after any such fiscal year end, then the City shall file unaudited financial statements within such 12-month period and audited financial statements for the applicable fiscal year, when and if the audit report on such statements becomes available.
- (b) If the City changes its fiscal year, it will notify the MSRB of the change (and of the date of the new fiscal year end) prior to the next date by which the City otherwise would be required to provide financial information and operating data pursuant to this Section.
- (c) The financial information and operating data to be provided pursuant to this Section may be set forth in full in one or more documents or may be included by specific

referenced to any document (including an official statement or other offering document, if it is available from the MSRB) that theretofore has been provided to the MSRB or filed with the SEC.

## Section 13.2 Notice of Disclosure Events.

- (a) 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:
  - (i) Principal and interest payment delinquencies;
  - (ii) Non-payment related defaults, if material;
  - (iii) Unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties:
  - (iv) Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties;
    - (v) Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform;
  - (vi) 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;
    - (vii) Modifications to rights of holders of the Certificates, if material;
    - (viii) Bond calls, if material, and tender offers;
    - (ix) Defeasances;
  - (x) Release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the Certificates, if material;
    - (xi) Rating changes;
    - (xii) Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the City;
  - (xiii) 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;
  - (xiv) Appointment of a successor Paying Agent/Registrar or change in the name of the Paying Agent/Registrar, if material;

- (xv) 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
- (xvi) 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.

Any event described in (xii), is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent, or similar officer for an obligated person in a proceeding under the U.S. Bankruptcy code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the obligated person, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governing body and officials or officers in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order 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 obligated person; and the City intends the words used in the immediately preceding paragraphs (xv) and (xvi) and the definition of financial obligations in those sections to have the same meanings as when they are used in rule and sec release no. 34-83885, dated August 20, 2018.

(b) The City shall provide to the MSRB, in an electronic format as prescribed by the MSRB, in a timely manner, notice of a failure by the City to provide required annual financial information and notices of material events in accordance with Sections 13.1 and 13.2. All documents provided to the MSRB pursuant to this section shall be accompanied by identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB.

## Section 13.3 Limitations, Disclaimers and Amendments.

- (a) The City shall be obligated to observe and perform the covenants specified in this Article for so long as, but only for so long as, the City remains an "obligated person" with respect to the Certificates within the meaning of the Rule, except that the City in any event will give notice of any Certificate calls and any defeasances that cause the City to be no longer an "obligated person."
- (b) The provisions of this Article are for the sole benefit of the Owners and beneficial owners of the Certificates, and nothing in this Article, express or implied, shall give any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim hereunder to any other person. The City undertakes to provide only the financial information, operating data, financial statements, and notices which it has expressly agreed to provide pursuant to this Article and does not hereby undertake to provide any other information that may be relevant or material to a complete presentation of the City's financial results, condition, or prospects or hereby undertake to update any information provided in accordance with this Article or otherwise, except as expressly provided herein. The City does not make any representation or warranty concerning such information or its usefulness to a decision to invest in or sell Certificates at any future date.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHALL THE CITY BE LIABLE TO THE OWNER OR BENEFICIAL OWNER OF ANY CERTIFICATE OR ANY OTHER PERSON, IN CONTRACT OR TORT, FOR DAMAGES RESULTING IN WHOLE OR IN PART FROM ANY BREACH BY THE CITY, WHETHER NEGLIGENT OR WITHOUT FAULT ON ITS PART, OF ANY COVENANT SPECIFIED IN THIS ARTICLE, BUT EVERY RIGHT AND REMEDY OF ANY SUCH PERSON, IN CONTRACT OR TORT, FOR OR ON ACCOUNT OF ANY SUCH BREACH SHALL BE LIMITED TO AN ACTION FOR MANDAMUS OR SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE.

- (c) No default by the City in observing or performing its obligations under this Article shall constitute a breach of or default under the Ordinance for purposes of any other provisions of this Ordinance.
- (d) Nothing in this Article is intended or shall act to disclaim, waive, or otherwise limit the duties of the City under federal and state securities laws.
- The provisions of this Article may be amended by the City 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, but only if (i) the provisions of this Article, as so amended, would have permitted an underwriter to purchase or sell Certificates in the primary offering of the Certificates 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 Owners of a majority in aggregate principal amount (or any greater amount required by any other provisions of this Ordinance that authorizes such an amendment) of the Outstanding Certificates consent to such amendment or (B) an entity or individual person that is unaffiliated with the City (such as nationally recognized bond counsel) determines that such amendment will not materially impair the interests of the Owners and beneficial owners of the Certificates. If the City so amends the provisions of this Article, it shall include with any amended financial information or operating data next provided in accordance with Section 12.1 an explanation, in narrative form, of the reasons for the amendment and of the impact of any change in type of financial information or operating data so provided.

## Section 13.4 Amendments to the Rule.

In the event the Authorized Officer, in consultation with Co-Bond Counsel and the City's financial advisor, determines that it is necessary or desirable to amend the provisions of Article XII in order to facilitate compliance with amendments to the Rule and related guidance from the SEC, the Authorized Officer may make such changes in the Pricing Certificate for the Certificates.

## ARTICLE XIV

## EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY

## Section 14.1 <u>Effective Immediately.</u>

Notwithstanding the provisions of the City Charter, this Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its adoption at this meeting pursuant to Section 1201.028, Texas Government Code.

# FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED, AND EFFECTIVE this $12^{th}$ day of April, 2023.

## APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Title: Interim City Attorney
City of Dallas, Texas

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