

TEXAS CONNECT LOCAL GOVERNMENT INVESTMENT POOL

Background

- The City invests in accordance with the Public Funds Investment Act (PFIA), ensuring safety and prudent management of public funds.
- Current investments types are:
 - Government-Backed Securities
 - State and Local Obligations
 - Deposits and Accounts

- Texas Connect is a pooled investment for Texas government entities, offering safety, liquidity, and yield under the Public Funds Investment Act.
- Texas Connect carries an AAAm rating from S&P Global Ratings
- □ Texas Connect Yield as of August 30, 2024, month end was 5.41%

- Investing a portion of the City's resources in Texas Connect would benefit the City by:
 - Providing greater diversification
 - Providing more flexibility
 - Providing a competitive return on the City's assets
- Participation in Texas Connect will not undermine the existing depository contract.

Staff recommends that City Council Approve the participation of the City in the Texas Connect investment pool, and authorize the City Manager, or designee, to execute the agreement.