#### OFFICIAL STATEMENT DATED OCTOBER 13, 2020

IN THE OPINION OF BOND COUNSEL, UNDER EXISTING LAW, INTEREST ON THE BONDS IS EXCLUDABLE FROM GROSS INCOME FOR FEDERAL INCOME TAX PURPOSES AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS IS NOT SUBJECT TO THE ALTERNATIVE MINIMUM TAX ON INDIVIDUALS. SEE "TAX MATTERS" FOR A DISCUSSION OF BOND COUNSEL'S OPINION.

The District has designated the Bonds as "qualified tax-exempt obligations." See "TAX MATTERS - Qualified Tax-Exempt Obligations."

NEW ISSUE - Book-Entry-Only

Ratings: S&P Global Ratings (AGM Insured) . . . . "AA" (stable outlook) Moody's Investors Service, Inc. (AGM Insured) . . . . "A2" (stable outlook) Moody's Investors Service (Underlying)..... "A3" See "BOND INSURANCE" and "RATINGS" herein

## \$9,035,000 FORT BEND COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 50 (A Political Subdivision of the State of Texas located within Fort Bend County, Texas) UNLIMITED TAX BONDS, SERIES 2020A

Dated: November 1, 2020 Due: September 1, as shown below

Principal of the above bonds (the "Bonds") is payable by the paying agent/registrar, initially, The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N. A., currently in Dallas, Texas, or any successor paying agent/registrar (the "Paying Agent," "Registrar" or "Paying Agent/Registrar"). Interest on the Bonds accrues from November 1, 2020, and is payable on March 1, 2021 (four-month interest payment), and on each September 1 and March 1 thereafter until the earlier of maturity or redemption. The Bonds are issued in denominations of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof in fully registered form only.

The Bonds will be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee for The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC"), which will act as securities depository for the Bonds. Beneficial owners of the Bonds will not receive physical certificates representing the Bonds, but will receive a credit balance on the books of the nominees of such beneficial owners. So long as Cede & Co. is the registered owner of the Bonds, the principal of and interest on the Bonds will be paid by the Paying Agent directly to DTC, which will, in turn, remit such principal and interest to its participants for subsequent disbursement to the beneficial owners of the Bonds as described herein. See "THE BONDS – Book-Entry-Only System."

The scheduled payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds when due will be guaranteed under a municipal bond insurance policy to be issued concurrently with the delivery of the Bonds by Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp. ("AGM" or the "Insurer").



### MATURITY SCHEDULE CUSIP Prefix (a): 346914

 $\$9,\!035,\!000\ Term\ Bonds, Due\ September\ 1,\,2050(b)(c),\,CUSIP\ Suffix\ PE8\ (a),\ Interest\ Rate\ 2.30\%\ (Yield\ 2.35\%)(d)$ 

- (a) CUSIP is a registered trademark of the American Bankers Association. CUSIP data is provided by CUSIP Global Services, managed by S&P Global Market Intelligence on behalf of the American Bankers Association. CUSIP numbers have been assigned to this issue by the CUSIP Service Bureau and are included solely for the convenience of the owners of the Bonds. This data is not intended to create a database and does not serve in any way as a substitute for the CUSIP services. Neither the District, the Financial Advisor (defined herein), nor the Underwriter (defined herein) take any responsibility for the accuracy of CUSIP numbers.
- (b) The Bonds are subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 (the "District"), as a whole or in part, on September 1, 2025, or any date thereafter, at a price equal to the principal amount thereof plus accrued interest from the most recent interest payment date to the date fixed for redemption.
- (c) Subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption by lot or other customary method of random selection on September 1 in the years and in the amounts set forth herein under the caption "THE BONDS Redemption Provisions."
- (d) Information with respect to the initial reoffering yields of the Bonds is the responsibility of the Underwriter. Initial reoffering yields represent the initial offering price to the public which has been established by the Underwriter for public offerings, and which subsequently may be changed. Accrued interest from November 1, 2020, is to be added to the price.

If fewer than all of the Bonds are redeemed at any time, the particular maturities and amounts of the Bonds to be redeemed shall be selected by the District in integral multiples of \$5,000 within any one maturity. If fewer than all of the Bonds of any given maturity are to be redeemed at any time, the particular Bonds to be redeemed shall be selected by such method of random selection as determined by the Registrar (or by DTC in accordance with its procedures while the Bonds are in book-entry-only form). The Registered Owner of any Bond, all or a portion of which has been called for redemption, shall be required to present same to the Registrar for payment of the redemption price on the portion of the Bond so called for redemption and issuance of a new Bond in the principal amount equal to the portion of such Bond not redeemed.

The Bonds constitute the ninth series of unlimited tax bonds issued by the District for the purpose of acquiring and constructing a waterworks, sanitary sewer and storm drainage system (the "System") to serve the District. THE BONDS ARE SUBJECT TO SPECIAL INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS DESCRIBED HEREIN. SEE "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS." Voters in the District authorized a total of \$156,300,000 principal amount of bonds for the purpose of acquiring and constructing the System or for refunding purposes, \$15,180,000 for refunding purposes only and \$21,700,000 for the purpose of acquiring and constructing recreational facilities or for refunding such bonds. Following the issuance of the Bonds, \$78,380,000 principal amount of unlimited tax bonds authorized by the District's voters for the acquisition or construction of the System or for refunding purposes, \$11,376,927.35 for refunding purposes only and \$21,700,000 for recreational facilities will remain authorized but unissued. See "THE BONDS – Issuance of Additional Debt."

The Bonds, when issued, constitute valid and binding obligations of the District, and are payable from the proceeds of an annual ad valorem tax, without legal limitation as to rate or amount, levied against all taxable property located within the District. See "THE BONDS – Source of Payment." Neither the State of Texas, the City of Houston, Texas, Fort Bend County, Texas, nor any political subdivision other than the District shall be obligated to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds. Neither the faith and credit nor the taxing power of the State of Texas, the City of Houston, Texas, or Fort Bend County, Texas, is pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds.

The Bonds are offered subject to prior sale, when, as and if issued by the District, subject among other things to the approval of the Attorney General of Texas and of Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP, Houston, Texas, Bond Counsel. Delivery of the Bonds is expected on or about November 12, 2020, at The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., Dallas Texas.

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#### USE OF INFORMATION IN OFFICIAL STATEMENT

No dealer, broker, salesman, or other person has been authorized to give any information or to make any representations other than those contained in this Official Statement and, if given or made, such other information or representations must not be relied upon as having been authorized by the District.

This Official Statement does not constitute, and is not authorized by the District for use in connection with, an offer to sell or the solicitation of any offer to buy in any state in which such offer or solicitation is not authorized or in which the person making such offer or solicitation is not qualified to do so or to any person to whom it is unlawful to make such offer or solicitation.

All of the summaries of the statutes, orders, resolutions, contracts, audits, and engineering and other related reports set forth in the Official Statement are made subject to all of the provisions of such documents. These summaries do not purport to be complete statements of such provisions, and reference is made to such documents, copies of which are available from the Financial Advisor.

This Official Statement contains, in part, estimates, assumptions, and matters of opinion which are not intended as statements of fact, and no representation is made as to the correctness of such estimates, assumptions, or matters of opinion, or that they will be realized. Any information and expressions of opinion herein contained are subject to change without notice, and neither the delivery of this Official Statement nor any sale made hereunder shall, under any circumstances, create any implication that there has been no change in the affairs of the District or other matters described herein since the date hereof. However, the District has agreed to keep this Official Statement current by amendment or sticker to reflect material changes in the affairs of the District and, to the extent that information actually comes to its attention, the other matters described in the Official Statement until delivery of the Bonds to the Underwriter (as hereinafter defined), and thereafter only as described under "OFFICIAL STATEMENT - Updating of Official Statement."

Neither the District nor the Underwriter makes any representations as to the accuracy, completeness, or adequacy of the information supplied by The Depository Trust Company for use in this Official Statement.

This Official Statement contains "forward-looking" statements within the meaning of Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, which generally can be identified with words or phrases such as "anticipates," "believes," "could," "estimates," "expects," "foresees," "may," "predict," "should," "will," or other words or phrases of similar import. All statements included in this Official Statement that any person expects or anticipates will, should or may occur in the future are forward-looking statements. These statements are based on assumptions and analyses made in light of experience and perceptions of historical trends, current conditions, and expected future developments as well as other factors the District believes are appropriate in the circumstances. However, whether actual results and developments conform with expectations and predictions is subject to a number of risks and uncertainties, including, without limitation, the information discussed under "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS" in this Official Statement, as well as additional factors beyond the District's control. The important risk factors and assumptions described under that caption and elsewhere herein could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed in any forward-looking statement. All of the forward-looking statements made in this Official Statement are qualified by these cautionary statements.

Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp. ("AGM" or the "Insurer") makes no representation regarding the Bonds or the advisability of investing in the Bonds. In addition, AGM has not independently verified, makes no representation regarding, and does not accept any responsibility for the accuracy or completeness of this Official Statement or any information or disclosure contained herein, or omitted herefrom, other than with respect to the accuracy of the information regarding AGM supplied by AGM and presented under the heading "BOND INSURANCE" and "APPENDIX C - SPECIMEN OF MUNICIPAL BOND INSURANCE POLICY."

#### SALE AND DISTRIBUTION OF THE BONDS

#### **Award of the Bonds**

After requesting competitive bids for the Bonds, the District has accepted the bid resulting in the lowest net interest cost to the District, which was tendered by SAMCO Capital Markets, Inc. (referred to herein as the "Underwriter" or the "Initial Purchaser") to purchase the Bonds bearing the interest rates shown under "MATURITY SCHEDULE" at a price of 97.884994% of the principal amount thereof plus accrued interest to the date of delivery, which resulted in a net effective interest rate of 2.373278%, as calculated pursuant to Chapter 1204, Texas Government Code, as amended.

#### Marketability

The District has no control over the reoffering yields or prices of the Bonds or over trading of the Bonds in the secondary market. Moreover, there is no assurance that a secondary market will be made in the Bonds. If there is a secondary market, the difference between the bid and asked prices of the Bonds may be greater than the difference between the bid and asked prices of bonds of comparable maturity and quality issued by more traditional municipal entities, as bonds of such entities are more generally bought, sold, or traded in the secondary market.

The prices and other terms respecting the offering and sale of the Bonds may be changed from time to time by the Underwriter after the Bonds are released for sale, and the Bonds may be offered and sold at prices other than the initial offering price, including sales to dealers who may sell the Bonds into investment accounts.

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

#### **Securities Laws**

No registration statement relating to the Bonds has been filed with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, in reliance upon exemptions provided thereunder. The Bonds have not been registered or qualified under the Securities Act of Texas in reliance upon various exemptions contained therein; nor have the Bonds been registered or qualified under the securities acts of any other jurisdictions. The District assumes no responsibility for registration or qualification of the Bonds under the securities laws of any jurisdiction in which the Bonds may be offered, sold, or otherwise transferred. This disclaimer of responsibility for registration or qualification for sale or other disposition of the Bonds should not be construed as an interpretation of any kind with regard to the availability of any exemption from securities registration or qualification provisions.

#### **BOND INSURANCE**

#### **Bond Insurance Policy**

Concurrently with the issuance of the Bonds, Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp. ("AGM") will issue its Municipal Bond Insurance Policy for the Bonds (the "Policy"). The Policy guarantees the scheduled payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds when due as set forth in the form of the Policy included as an appendix to this Official Statement.

The Policy is not covered by any insurance security or guaranty fund established under New York, California, Connecticut or Florida insurance law.

#### **Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp.**

AGM is a New York domiciled financial guaranty insurance company and an indirect subsidiary of Assured Guaranty Ltd. ("AGL"), a Bermuda-based holding company whose shares are publicly traded and are listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "AGO". AGL, through its operating subsidiaries, provides credit enhancement

products to the U.S. and international public finance (including infrastructure) and structured finance markets and, as of October 1, 2019, asset management services. Neither AGL nor any of its shareholders or affiliates, other than AGM, is obligated to pay any debts of AGM or any claims under any insurance policy issued by AGM.

AGM's financial strength is rated "AA" (stable outlook) by S&P Global Ratings, a business unit of Standard & Poor's Financial Services LLC ("S&P"), "AA+" (stable outlook) by Kroll Bond Rating Agency, Inc. ("KBRA") and "A2" (stable outlook) by Moody's Investors Service, Inc. ("Moody's"). Each rating of AGM should be evaluated independently. An explanation of the significance of the above ratings may be obtained from the applicable rating agency. The above ratings are not recommendations to buy, sell or hold any security, and such ratings are subject to revision or withdrawal at any time by the rating agencies, including withdrawal initiated at the request of AGM in its sole discretion. In addition, the rating agencies may at any time change AGM's long-term rating outlooks or place such ratings on a watch list for possible downgrade in the near term. Any downward revision or withdrawal of any of the above ratings, the assignment of a negative outlook to such ratings or the placement of such ratings on a negative watch list may have an adverse effect on the market price of any security guaranteed by AGM. AGM only guarantees scheduled principal and scheduled interest payments payable by the issuer of bonds insured by AGM on the date(s) when such amounts were initially scheduled to become due and payable (subject to and in accordance with the terms of the relevant insurance policy), and does not guarantee the market price or liquidity of the securities it insures, nor does it guarantee that the ratings on such securities will not be revised or withdrawn.

#### Current Financial Strength Ratings

On July 16, 2020, S&P announced it had affirmed AGM's financial strength rating of "AA" (stable outlook). AGM can give no assurance as to any further ratings action that S&P may take.

On December 19, 2019, KBRA announced it had affirmed AGM's insurance financial strength rating of "AA+" (stable outlook). AGM can give no assurance as to any further ratings action that KBRA may take.

On August 13, 2019, Moody's announced it had affirmed AGM's insurance financial strength rating of "A2" (stable outlook). AGM can give no assurance as to any further ratings action that Moody's may take.

For more information regarding AGM's financial strength ratings and the risks relating thereto, see AGL's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2019.

#### Capitalization of AGM

#### At June 30, 2020:

- The policyholders' surplus of AGM was approximately \$2,667 million.
- The contingency reserves of AGM \$1,018 million. Such amount includes 100% of AGM's contingency reserve and 60.7% of MAC's contingency reserve.
- The net unearned premium reserves and net deferred ceding commission income of AGM and its subsidiaries (as described below) were approximately \$2,048 million. Such amount includes (i) 100% of the net unearned premium reserve and deferred ceding commission income of AGM, (ii) the net unearned premium reserves and net deferred ceding commissions of AGM's wholly owned subsidiary Assured Guaranty (Europe) plc ("AGE"), and (iii) 60.7% of the net unearned premium reserve of MAC.

The policyholders' surplus of AGM and the contingency reserves, net unearned premium reserves and deferred ceding commission income of AGM and MAC were determined in accordance with statutory accounting principles. The net unearned premium reserves and net deferred ceding commissions of AGE were determined in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Incorporation of Certain Documents by Reference

Portions of the following documents filed by AGL with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") that relate to AGM are incorporated by reference into this Official Statement and shall be deemed to be a part hereof:

- (i) the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2019 (filed by AGL with the SEC on February 28, 2020);
- (ii) the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended March 31, 2020 (filed by AGL with the SEC on May 8, 2020); and
- (ii) the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended June 30, 2020 (filed by AGL with the SEC on August 7, 2020).

All information relating to AGM included in, or as exhibits to, documents filed by AGL with the SEC pursuant to Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, excluding Current Reports or portions thereof "furnished" under Item 2.02 or Item 7.01 of Form 8-K, after the filing of the last document referred to above and before the termination of the offering of the Bonds shall be deemed incorporated by reference into this Official Statement and to be a part hereof from the respective dates of filing such documents. Copies of materials incorporated by reference are available over the internet at the SEC's website at http://www.sec.gov, at AGL's website at http://www.assuredguaranty.com, or will be provided upon request to Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp.: 1633 Broadway, New York, New York 10019, Attention: Communications Department (telephone (212) 974-0100). Except for the information referred to above, no information available on or through AGL's website shall be deemed to be part of or incorporated in this Official Statement.

Any information regarding AGM included herein under the caption "BOND INSURANCE - Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp." or included in a document incorporated by reference herein (collectively, the "AGM Information") shall be modified or superseded to the extent that any subsequently included AGM Information (either directly or through incorporation by reference) modifies or supersedes such previously included AGM Information. Any AGM Information so modified or superseded shall not constitute a part of this Official Statement, except as so modified or superseded.

#### Miscellaneous Matters

AGM makes no representation regarding the Bonds or the advisability of investing in the Bonds. In addition, AGM has not independently verified, makes no representation regarding, and does not accept any responsibility for the accuracy or completeness of this Official Statement or any information or disclosure contained herein, or omitted herefrom, other than with respect to the accuracy of the information regarding AGM supplied by AGM and presented under the heading "BOND INSURANCE".

#### BOND INSURANCE RISK FACTORS

In the event of default of the payment of principal or interest with respect to the Bonds when all or some becomes due, any owner of the Bonds shall have a claim under the Policy for such payments.

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

The long-term ratings on the Bonds are dependent in part on the financial strength of the Insurer and its claim paying ability. The Insurer's financial strength and claims paying ability are predicated upon a number of factors which could change over time. No assurance is given that the long-term ratings of the Insurer and of the ratings on the Bonds insured by the Insurer will not be subject to downgrade and such event could adversely affect the market price of the Bonds or the marketability (liquidity) for the Bonds. See "BOND INSURANCE" and "RATINGS" herein. As is stated in this

Official Statement under the caption "NO MATERIAL ADVERSE CHANGE," the rating of the Insurer's creditworthiness by any rating agency does not in any manner affect the District's financial condition, and thus any change to such rating, including a downgrade thereof, at any time, does not constitute a change, material or otherwise, in the District's financial condition, and therefore cannot be a basis for termination by the Underwriters of their obligations to take up and pay for the Bonds.

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

Neither the District nor the Underwriters have made independent investigation into the claims paying ability of the Insurer and no assurance or representation regarding the financial strength or projected financial strength of the Insurer is given. Thus, when making an investment decision, potential investors should carefully consider the ability of the District to pay principal and interest on the Bonds and the claims paying ability of the Insurer, particularly over the life of the investment. See "BOND INSURANCE" herein for further information provided by the Insurer and the Policy, which includes further instructions for obtaining current financial information concerning the Insurer.

#### **RATINGS**

The Bonds have received an insured rating of "AA" (stable outlook) from S&P Global Ratings ("S&P"), a business unit of Standard & Poor's Financial Services LLC and "A2" (stable outlook) from Moody's Investors Service ("Moody's"), based upon the issuance of the Policy by the Insurer at the time of delivery of the Bonds. The underlying credit rating of the Bonds assigned by Moody's is "A3."

An explanation of the significance of the foregoing ratings may only be obtained from S&P and Moody's. The foregoing ratings express only the view of S&P and Moody's at the time the ratings are given. Furthermore, a security rating is not a recommendation to buy, sell or hold securities. There is no assurance that the ratings will continue for any given period of time or that it will not be revised downward or withdrawn entirely by S&P and Moody's, if, in its judgment, circumstances so warrant. Any such downward change in or withdrawal of such ratings may have an adverse effect on the market price of the Bonds.

The District is not aware of any ratings assigned the Bonds other than the ratings of S&P and Moody's.

#### OFFICIAL STATEMENT SUMMARY

The following summary of certain information contained herein is qualified in its entirety by the detailed information and financial statements appearing elsewhere in this Official Statement. The reader should refer particularly to sections that are indicated for more complete information.

#### THE BONDS

The Issuer	Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 (the "District") is a political subdivision of the State of Texas located within Fort Bend County, Texas. See "THE DISTRICT - Authority."
Description	\$9,035,000 Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2020A, are dated November 1, 2020. Interest on the Bonds accrues from November 1, 2020, and is payable on March 1, 2021 (fourmonth interest payment), and on each September 1 and March 1 thereafter until maturity or prior redemption. The Bonds are issued as term bonds maturing on September 1, 2050, in the principal amount set forth on the cover page of this Official Statement (collectively, the "Term Bonds"). The Bonds are issued in fully registered form and will be issued in denominations of \$5,000 of principal amount or integral multiples thereof. The Bonds are subject to redemption, in whole or in part, prior to their scheduled maturities, on September 1, 2025, or on any date thereafter at the option of the District. Upon redemption, the Bonds will be payable at a price equal to the principal amount of the Bonds, or portions thereof, so called for redemption, plus accrued interest to the date of redemption. In addition to being subject to optional redemption, the Term Bonds are also subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption on September 1 in the years and in the amounts as is more completely described in this Official Statement under the caption "THE BONDS - Redemption Provisions. See "THE BONDS."
Book-Entry-Only System	The definitive Bonds will be initially registered and delivered only to Cede & Co., the nominee of DTC (defined herein), pursuant to the Book-Entry-Only System described herein. Beneficial ownership of the Bonds may be acquired in denominations of \$5,000 or integral multiples thereof. No physical delivery of the Bonds will be made to the beneficial owners thereof. Principal of and interest on the Bonds will be payable by the Paying Agent/Registrar (hereinafter defined) to Cede & Co., which will make distribution of the amounts so paid to the participating members of DTC for subsequent payment to the beneficial owners of the Bonds (see "THE BONDS - Book-Entry-Only System").
Source of Payment	Principal of and interest on the Bonds are payable from the proceeds of an annual ad valorem tax, without legal limitation as to rate or amount, levied upon all taxable property within the District. See "THE BONDS - Source of Payment," "TAX

DATA - Tax Rate Calculations," and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Factors Affecting Taxable Values and Tax Payments."

District Bankruptcy .....

On December 17, 1991, the District filed an application with the Texas Water Commission (the "TWC") (now the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (the "TCEQ")) requesting authorization to file a petition in bankruptcy under Chapter 9 of the United States Bankruptcy Code. By order dated May 14, 1992, the TWC approved the District's application and on February 16, 1994, the District filed a voluntary petition in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas, Case No. 94-41165-H4-9, for relief under Chapter 9 of the United States Bankruptcy Code. Fort Bend County Levee Improvement District No. 12 ("FBLID No. 12"), within whose boundaries the District is located, had on May 27, 1993, filed an application with the TWC requesting authorization to file a petition in bankruptcy under Chapter 9 of the United States Bankruptcy Code, which request was approved by the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission, successor to the TWC (now the TCEQ) by Order dated September 9, 1993. On September 30, 1993, FBLID No. 12 filed a voluntary petition in the Bankruptcy Court, Case No. 93-47142-H4-9, for relief under Chapter 9 of the Bankruptcy Code. The cases were handled together after the filing with the Bankruptcy Court by the District. On December 1, 1994, the District and FBLID No. 12 filed a Joint Plan of Adjustment of their debts with the Bankruptcy Court (the "Plan"), and FBLID No. 12 filed a Second Amendment to the Joint Plan of Adjustment on February 22, 1995. The Plan, as amended, provided among other things that as of the effective date of the plan, the District's remaining outstanding Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 1987 (the "Series 1987 Bonds") would be amended and modified as set forth in the plan. On February 24, 1995, the Bankruptcy Court entered the confirmation order approving the Joint Plan of Adjustment and the Second Amendment to the Joint Plan of Adjustment of the District and FBLID No. 12 (the "Amended Plan"), and the Amended Plan became effective on March 29, 1995 (the "Effective Date").

The Plan provided for five classes of claims against the District:

Class M-1: Administrative Expense Claims

Class M-2: Priority Claims

Class M-3: MUD 50 Bond Claims

Class M-4: Claims of Delinquent Tax Counsel

Class M-5: General Unsecured Claims

As set forth in the Amended Plan, and pursuant to the Amended and Restated Resolution Authorizing the Issuance of \$4,065,000 Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 1987, adopted by the

District on March 1, 1995, Amended Bonds were delivered by the District in exchange for the Series 1987 Bonds (Class M-3 Claims). In 2007, the District issued its \$6,970,000 Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2007 to refund all of the Amended Bonds. The District has fully satisfied the Class M-1, M-3 and M-4 claims pursuant to the terms of the Amended Plan. There were no Class M-2 or M-5 claims. Therefore, no Claim remains outstanding under the Amended Plan.

Use of Proceeds .....

Proceeds of the sale of the Bonds will be used by the District to (i) finance the District's cost of acquisition or construction of a wastewater treatment plant, phase 1; (ii) pay land costs for a sub-regional detention basin; (iii) pay for administrative and issuance costs, legal fees, fiscal agent's fees, fees to the TCEQ and the Attorney General of Texas, non-construction engineering fees; and (iv) pay certain financing costs related to the issuance of the BAN (defined below) and the Bonds. The District will also retire its Bond Anticipation Note, Series 2019 (the "BAN"), including the payment of principal of and interest thereon, with a portion of the proceeds of the sale of the Bonds. The District utilized the proceeds of the BAN to interim finance certain of the aforementioned facilities that it is financing with the sale of the Bonds. See "THE BONDS - Use and Distribution of Bond Proceeds."

Payment Record .....

The Bonds constitute the ninth series of unlimited tax bonds issued by the District for the purpose of acquiring and constructing a waterworks, sanitary sewer, and storm drainage system (the "System") to serve the District. The District previously issued its \$4,065,000 Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 1987 (the "Series 1987 Bonds") to acquire and construct components of the System. The District defaulted on the payment of principal of and interest on the Series 1987 Bonds, filed bankruptcy, and adjusted its debt. Pursuant to such bankruptcy, the Series 1987 Bonds were amended (the "Amended Bonds") by the District in accordance with the "Amended and Restated Resolution Authorizing the Issuance of \$4,065,000 Tax Bonds, Series 1987." Home construction and development in the District were recommenced in 1999. The District issued \$6,970,000 Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2007 (the "Series 2007 Refunding Bonds"), the proceeds of which were used to refund all of the Amended Bonds. The District has issued its Unlimited Tax Bonds. Series 2009 (the "Series 2009 Bonds"); Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2011 (the "Series 2011 Bonds"); Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2011A (the "Series 2011A Bonds"); Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2013 (the "Series 2013 Bonds"); Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2015 (the "Series 2015 Bonds") Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2016 (the "Series 2016 Bonds") and Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2018A (the "Series 2018A Bonds") to acquire and construct components of the System, and Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2014 (the "Series 2014 Refunding Bonds"), Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2015 (the "Series 2015 Refunding Bonds"), Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2017 (the "Series 2017 Refunding Bonds"), Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2018 (the "Series 2018 Refunding Bonds") and Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2020 (the "Series 2020 Refunding Bonds") to refund outstanding bonds of the District. Collective reference is made in this Official Statement to all of the District's prior issued debt as the "Prior Bonds." See "DISTRICT BANKRUPTCY." Before the issuance of the Bonds, the principal amount of the Prior Bonds that has not been previously retired by the District is \$63,215,000 (the "Outstanding Bonds"). Upon the issuance of the Bonds, the District's total direct bonded indebtedness outstanding, consisting of the Outstanding Bonds plus the Bonds, will be \$72,250,000.

Authorized But Unissued Bonds . . . . . . . . . . .

\$78,380,000 bonds for water, sewer and drainage facilities, or for refunding purposes, \$11,376,927.35 bonds for refunding purposes only and \$21,700,000 bonds for recreational facilities or refunding such bonds will remain authorized but unissued after issuance of the Bonds. See "THE BONDS - Authority for Issuance" and - "Issuance of Additional Debt." In addition to the components of the System that the District has financed with the proceeds of the Prior Bonds and that the District is financing with the proceeds of the Bonds, the District expects to finance the acquisition or construction of additional components of the System with the proceeds of bonds, if any, to be issued by the District in the future. The District's Engineer estimates that the currently authorized but unissued bonds for water, sewer, and drainage facilities will be sufficient to finance all such facilities needed to serve the entire District. See "THE BONDS - Issuance of Additional Debt" and - " Use and Distribution of Bond Proceeds," "FUTURE DEVELOPMENT," "THE SYSTEM," and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Future Debt."

Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp. ("AGM"). See "BOND INSURANCE" and "BOND INSURANCE RISK FACTORS."

Municipal Bond Ratings .....

S&P Global Ratings (AGM insured).... "AA" (stable outlook). Moody's Investors Service, Inc. (AGM insured).... "A2" (stable outlook). Moody's Investors Service, Inc. (Underlying)...."A3." See "BOND INSURANCE" and "RATINGS."

Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP, Bond Counsel, Houston, Texas. See "LEGAL MATTERS" and "TAX MATTERS."

McCall, Parkhurst & Horton L.L.P., Houston, Texas.

Qualified Tax-Exempt Obligations	The District has designated the bonds as "qualified tax-exempt obligations" within the meaning of Section 265(b) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. See "TAX MATTERS - Qualified Tax-Exempt Obligations."
THE	EDISTRICT
Description	The District, a municipal utility district created by order of the TWC, now the TCEQ, dated March 18, 1986, operates under the authority of Article XVI, Section 59 of the Constitution of Texas and Chapters 49 and 54 of the Texas Water Code. Pursuant to Chapter 7993 of the Texas Special District Local Laws Code, the District also maintains the authority of Article III, Section 52 of the Constitution of Texas, as well as the ability to establish and administer defined areas. The District is subject to the continuing supervision of the TCEQ. The District contains approximately 1,463.44 acres of land. The District is located approximately twenty-four miles southwest of the central business district of Houston, Texas, in the northern portion of Fort Bend County, Texas. The District is generally bounded on the north by FM 1093. Canal (Belew) Road forms a portion of the District in a north-south direction. Bellaire Boulevard traverses the District in an east-west direction. The Grand Parkway (SH 99) traverses the District in a north-south direction. The District is located approximately seven miles west of the intersection of FM 1093 and State Highway 6 and approximately 7 miles south of Interstate Highway 10. See "APPENDIX A - LOCATION MAP." The District is located entirely within the extraterritorial jurisdiction of the City of Houston, Texas, and lies wholly within Fort Bend County, Texas. Approximately 1,321.3 acres of land located in the District also lie within FBLID No. 12, which provides flood protection and outfall drainage to the District, and such land within the District is subject to taxation by FBLID No. 12. See "THE SYSTEM - Flood Protection and Drainage Facilities" and - "100-Year
	Flood Plain" and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS -

Development of the District .....

As of September 1, 2020, an aggregate of 1,469 homes have been constructed in the District, all of which have been sold to homeowners. Such homes had been constructed on the 1,471 fully-developed single-family residential lots that have been developed on a total of approximately 374.7 acres of land located in the District. 126 single-family residential lots on approximately 23.78 acres are currently under development within the District, with completion expected in approximately April 2021. In addition, a total of approximately 1,360,360 square feet of commercial improvements had been constructed on approximately 139.02 additional acres of land located within the District, and approximately 16,700 square feet of

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office condominiums are currently under construction within the District. See "Developers and Principal Land Owners" below.

Land within the District is being developed primarily for single-family residential and commercial usage. The development of Westpark Lakes, Section 1, Parkway Lakes, Sections 1 through 3, Lost Creek, Sections 1 through 5, Meadows of Parkway Lakes, Grand Meadows, Sections 1 through 4, and Grand Ridge Crossing (collectively including approximately 374.7 total acres, 1,471 total single-family residential lots), is complete in the District, including water supply and distribution, wastewater collection and treatment, and storm drainage facilities (the "System") and street paving. The development of Grand Trails (approximately 23.78 acres, 126 single-family residential lots) is currently underway within the District, with completion expected in approximately April 2021. A total of approximately 142.67 acres of land located within the District described below has been developed for commercial usage with the construction of water distribution, wastewater collection and storm drainage facilities and street paving to the perimeter thereof, and thus such land is available for the construction of above-ground commercial improvements. Commercial buildings have been constructed on approximately 139.02 of such approximately 142.67 acres.

A total of approximately 142.67 acres of land within the District has been developed for commercial usage on which approximately 139.02 acres of commercial improvements totaling approximately 1,360,360 square feet of building area have been constructed as follows. Approximately 76.56 of such approximately 142.67 acres contain a total of approximately 725,090 square feet of completed building area in the Shops at Bella Terra. Approximately 8.35 of such approximately 142.67 acres contain a total of approximately 54,468 square feet of completed building area in the Shops at Parkway Lakes. Completed commercial improvements located within the District in the Shops at Bella Terra, the Shops at Parkway Lakes and other commercial developments are set forth below. See "Developers and Principal Land Owners" below.

<u>The Shops at Bella Terra</u> - Approximately 725,090 total square feet of building area, including: Super Wal-Mart, Kohl's Department Store, 24 Hour Fitness, Best Buy, 9 retail strip centers, 10 freestanding commercial buildings including restaurants and a medical facility, and a Public Storage facility.

<u>Shops at Parkway Lakes</u> - Approximately 54,468 total square feet of building area comprised of 7 freestanding commercial buildings including a car wash, auto parts store, day care, and other tenants, and a retail strip center.

Additional Commercial Development - Approximately 580,802 total square feet of building area, including 11 freestanding commercial buildings, including a gas station/convenience store, 2 medical facilities, a senior living facility, a movie theater, a day care facility, an office building, Sam's Club store, auto parts store, a restaurant, and a retail strip center.

Approximately 5.2 acres of land within the District have been developed for commercial usage by Grand Park Professional Place, LLC, on which three office condominium buildings totaling approximately 16,700 square feet of building area on approximately 1.8 acres are currently under construction, with completion expected in approximately October 2020.

A total of approximately 604.9 acres of currently undeveloped land located within the District are available for future development. Approximately 10.92 of the undeveloped acres located within the District that are currently expected to be developed for multi-family residential and/or commercial usage are owned by The District at Parkway Lakes, Ltd. (described below under the caption "Developers and Principal Land Owners"). Approximately 26.75 of the currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by CNS Ventures LLC. Approximately 42.66 of the currently undeveloped acres located within the District that are currently expected to be developed for single-family residential usage are owned by 3535 Wilcrest, Ltd. According to the District's tax rolls, approximately 268.94 of such currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by WBH Ranches, L.P. ("WBH"). WBH has indicated to the District that it is proceeding with the development of the WBH property consisting of a mixed use commercial, retail, and multi-family development, but, to date, the District has not received a definitive land plan or build-out projections. Approximately 142.14 currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by Cathexis Legacy Holdings, LLC ("Cathexis"). See "Developers and Principal Land Owners" below. Approximately 113.47 currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by multiple additional parties, none of which has reported a definitive development plan to the District covering any of such acres. Since none of the owners of any of such currently undeveloped acres has any obligation to the District to develop any of such acres according to any timetable or at all, the District cannot represent whether or when the development of any of such acres might be undertaken. The remaining acreage within the District consists of drainage easements, detention ponds, rights-of-way, District wastewater and water plant sites, or is otherwise not available for future development.

The District financed its portion of the cost of the acquisition or construction of the components of the System that serve Westpark Lakes, Section 1, Parkway Lakes, Sections 1 through 3, Lost Creek, Sections 1 through 5, Meadows of Parkway Lakes, Grand Meadows, Sections 1 through 4, Shops at Bella Terra, Phases 2 through 5, Bellaire Boulevard, Bellaire Crossing at Parkway Lakes, Grand Lakes Crossing, the Stripes Tract, Southeast Corner, District West at Parkway Lakes, trunk facilities located in the right-of-way of Bellaire Boulevard, and certain other facilities, including storm drainage/detention pond facilities, water supply and interim wastewater treatment facilities, with portions of the proceeds of the sale of the Prior Bonds. In addition to the components of the System that the District has financed with the proceeds of the Prior Bonds and is financing with the proceeds of the Bonds, the District expects to finance the acquisition or construction of additional components of the System with the proceeds of bonds, if any, to be issued by the District in the future. See "THE BONDS - Issuance of Additional Debt," "FUTURE DEVELOPMENT," "THE SYSTEM," and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Future Debt."

Developers and Principal Land Owners . . . . . .

Descriptions of certain developers that have undertaken development projects to date in the District and of certain other principal land owners that own land that is located within the District follow. The developer of the 303 fully developed single-family residential lots located within the District that have been subdivided as Parkway Lakes, Sections 1 through 3 is Parkway Lakes Development, Inc., a Texas corporation ("PLDI") whose principal shareholder is Sun Coast Financial, Inc. PLDI has sold all of the Parkway Lakes, Sections 1 through 3 lots to home building companies that have constructed homes on all of such lots and have sold all of such homes to homeowners with the exception of two lots in Section 1 and one lot in Section 3 which are available for purchase.

Approximately 123.6 acres of land located within the District have been developed for commercial usage with the construction of water distribution, wastewater collection and storm drainage, and street paving to the perimeter thereof. Above-ground improvements aggregating approximately 779,558 square feet of completed building area known as The Shops at Bella Terra and The Shops at Parkway Lakes have been constructed on approximately 84.91 of such approximately 123.6 acres as is described above under the caption "Development of the District." The balance of such approximately 123.6 acres is contained within stormwater detention facilities and a Fort Bend County Drainage District easement. See "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Factors Affecting Taxable Values and Tax Payments - Principal Land Owners Obligations to the District."

Approximately 23.78 acres located within the District are owned by Meritage Homes of Texas, LLC ("Meritage"). According to Meritage, the development of Grand Trails (approximately 23.78 acres, 126 single-family residential lots) is currently underway within the District, with completion expected in approximately April 2021.

PLDI and Meritage are referred to herein together as the "Developers."

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FBLID No. 12 currently provides flood protection and major outfall drainage for approximately 4,045 acres of land, including approximately 1,321.3 acres that are located within

the District. FBLID No. 12 issued Unlimited Tax Levee Improvement Bonds, Series 1986 (the "FBLID No. 12 Series 1986 Bonds") to finance the facilities which have been constructed to accomplish flood protection and accommodate storm water drainage within FBLID No. 12, including the land located within the District. FBLID No. 12 defaulted on the FBLID No. 12 Series 1986 Bonds, filed bankruptcy and adjusted its debt. Home construction and development were recommenced in 1999. Pursuant to such bankruptcy, the FBLID No. 12 Series 1986 Bonds were amended by FBLID No. 12 (the "FBLID No. 12 Amended Bonds"). FBLID No. 12 issued its \$16,315,000 Unlimited Tax Levee Improvement Refunding Bonds, Series 2005 to refund all of the FBLID No. 12 Amended Bonds and to restructure its indebtedness, and Unlimited Tax Levee Improvement Refunding Bonds, Series 2012 and Unlimited Tax Levee Improvement Refunding Bonds, Series 2013 to refund portions of the FBLID No. 12 Series 2005 Refunding Bonds. In addition, FBLID No. 12 has issued Unlimited Tax Levee Improvement Refunding Bonds, Series 2019 to refund portions of the FBLID No. 12 Series 2012 Refunding Bonds, and Unlimited Tax Levee Improvement Refunding Bonds, Series 2020 to refund portions of the FBLID No. 12 Series 2012 and Series 2013 Refunding Bonds. FBLID No. 12 has \$10,750,000 bonds currently outstanding. FBLID No. 12 levies a tax on property located within FBLID No. 12, including the District, which tax is in addition to the tax levied by the District. FBLID No. 12's 2020 Assessed Valuation is \$2,538,292,339. FBLID No. 12 levied a tax of \$0.08 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2019, \$0.045 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation of which tax is a debt service tax and \$0.035 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation of which tax is a maintenance tax, and has levied a tax of \$0.075 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2020, \$0.04 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation of which tax is a debt service tax and \$0.035 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation of which tax is a maintenance tax.

The District levied a debt service tax in the amount of \$0.68 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2019, plus a maintenance tax of \$0.23 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation, and has levied the same tax rates for 2020. As is stated above, FBLID No. 12 has levied a total tax of \$0.075 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2020. Thus, the combined tax levies of the District and FBLID No. 12 are \$0.985 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2020. Such combined levy is higher than the tax rates levied by some municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area, but is within the range of tax rates being levied by municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area which are in stages of development comparable with the District. As is described in this Official Statement under the caption "TAX DATA - Estimated Overlapping Taxes," the aggregate of the 2019 tax levies of all units of government which levy taxes against the property located within the District which have not yet levied for 2020, plus the 2020 tax of the District and FBLID No. 12 is \$2.865 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation. Such aggregate levy is higher than the aggregate of the tax levies of some municipal utility districts located in the greater Houston metropolitan area, but is within the range of the aggregate tax levies of municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area which are in stages of development comparable with the District. To the extent that such composite tax rates are not competitive with competing developments, the growth of property tax values in the District and the investment quality or security of the Bonds could be adversely affected.

Prospective purchasers of the Bonds are reminded that development which has occurred to date or which is planned to occur on land covered by FBLID No. 12 other than the District creates assessed valuation of property against which taxes will be levied to pay debt service on bonds issued by districts other than the District. The development or lack thereof which occurs in the districts within FBLID No. 12 other than the District will have an effect on the level of indebtedness and debt service payments thereon of such districts and FBLID No. 12, which ultimately could affect the development of the District and the investment quality or security of the Bonds.

THE DISTRICT'S TAX IS LEVIED ONLY ON THE PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE DISTRICT. THEREFORE, THE INVESTMENT SECURITY AND QUALITY OF THE BONDS IS DEPENDENT UPON THE SUCCESSFUL DEVELOPMENT OF PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE DISTRICT AND THE PAYMENT AND COLLECTION OF TAXES LEVIED THEREON. NEVERTHELESS, THE PACE AND EXTENT OF DEVELOPMENT OF LAND IN THE DISTRICTS IN FBLID NO. 12 OTHER THAN THE DISTRICT WILL AFFECT THE TAX LEVIED BY FBLID NO. 12, AND THUS THE TOTAL TAX BURDEN ON LAND IN THE DISTRICT. SEE "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS."

Infectious Disease Outlook (COVID-19) .....

The World Health Organization has declared a pandemic following the outbreak of COVID-19, a respiratory disease caused by a new strain of coronavirus (the "Pandemic"), which is currently affecting many parts of the world, including the United States and Texas. As described herein under "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Infectious Disease Outlook (COVID-19)," federal, state and local governments have all taken actions to respond to the Pandemic, including disaster declarations by both the President of the United States and the Governor of Texas. Such actions are focused on limiting instances where the public can congregate or interact with each other, which affects economic growth within Texas.

Since the disaster declarations were made, the Pandemic has negatively affected travel, commerce, and financial markets locally and globally, and is widely expected to continue negatively affecting economic conditions and financial markets worldwide and within Texas.

Such adverse economic conditions, if they continue, could result in declines in the demand for residential and commercial property in the Houston area and could reduce or negatively affect property values or homebuilding activity within the District. The Bonds are secured by an unlimited ad valorem tax, and a reduction in property values may require an increase in the ad valorem tax rate required to pay the Bonds as well as the District's share of operations and maintenance expenses payable from ad valorem taxes.

While the potential impact of the Pandemic on the District cannot be quantified at this time, the continued outbreak of the Pandemic could have an adverse effect on the District's operations and financial condition. The financial and operating data contained herein are the latest available, but are as of dates and for periods prior to the economic impact of the Pandemic and measures instituted to slow it. Accordingly, they are not necessarily indicative of the economic impact of the Pandemic on the District's financial condition.

#### INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS

THE BONDS ARE SUBJECT TO SPECIAL INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS AS SET FORTH IN THIS OFFICIAL STATEMENT. PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS SHOULD CAREFULLY EXAMINE THE ENTIRE OFFICIAL STATEMENT BEFORE MAKING THEIR INVESTMENT DECISIONS, ESPECIALLY THE PORTION OF THE OFFICIAL STATEMENT ENTITLED "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS."

## SELECTED FINANCIAL INFORMATION (Unaudited)

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2020 Assessed Valuation	\$602,774,241(a)
Direct Debt: Outstanding Bonds The Bonds Total	\$ 63,215,000 9,035,000 \$ 72,250,000(b)
Estimated Overlapping Debt	\$ 48,130,430
Total Direct and Estimated Overlapping Debt	<u>\$120,380,430</u>
Direct Debt Ratio : as a percentage of 2020 Assessed Valuation	11.99%
Direct and Estimated Overlapping Debt Ratio : as a percentage of 2020 Assessed Valuation	19.97%
Debt Service Fund Balance as of September 8, 2020	\$ 3,363,882(c)
General Fund Balance as of September 8, 2020	\$ 5,002,759
2019 Tax Rate per \$100 of Assessed Valuation The District Debt Service Tax \$0.68 Maintenance Tax 0.23 Total Fort Bend County Levee Improvement District No. 12 Total	\$0.91(d) <u>0.08(d)</u> \$0.99(d)
2020 Tax Rate per \$100 of Assessed Valuation The District Debt Service Tax \$0.68 Maintenance Tax 0.23 Total Fort Bend County Levee Improvement District No. 12 Total	\$0.910(d) <u>0.075(d)</u> \$0.985(d)
Average Percentage of Total Tax Collections (2009-2018) as of August 31, 2020	99.96%
Tax Collections 2019 Levy (As of August 31, 2020. In process of collection.)	99.62%
Average Annual Debt Service Requirements on the Bonds and the Outstanding Bonds (2021-2050)	\$ 3,964,891
Maximum Annual Debt Service Requirement on the Bonds and the Outstanding Bonds (2039)	\$ 4,274,486

Tax Rate per \$100 of Assessed Valuation Required to Pay Average Annual	
Debt Service Requirements on the Bonds and the Outstanding Bonds	
(2021-2050) at 95% Tax Collections	
Based Upon 2020 Assessed Valuation	\$0.70
Tax Rate per \$100 of Assessed Valuation Required to Pay Maximum Annual	
Debt Service Requirement on the Bonds and the Outstanding Bonds	
(2039) at 95% Tax Collections	
Based Upon 2020 Assessed Valuation	\$0.75
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Number of Single Family Residences as of September 1, 2020	1,469

Completed Commercial Improvements - Approximately 1,360,360 Total Square Feet of Building Area, Including:

<u>The Shops at Bella Terra</u> - Approximately 725,090 total square feet of building area, including: Super Wal-Mart, Kohl's Department Store, 24 Hour Fitness, Best Buy, 9 retail strip centers, 10 freestanding commercial buildings including restaurants and a medical facility, and a Public Storage facility.

<u>Shops at Parkway Lakes</u> - Approximately 54,468 total square feet of building area comprised of 7 freestanding commercial buildings including a car wash, auto parts store, day care, and other tenants, and a retail strip center.

Additional Commercial Development - Approximately 580,802 total square feet of building area, including: 11 freestanding commercial buildings including a gas station/convenience store, 2 medical facilities, a senior living facility, a movie theater, a day care facility, an office building, Sam's Club store, auto parts store, a restaurant, and a retail strip center.

Commercial Improvements Under Construction - Approximately 16,700 Square Feet of Building Area Comprised of 3 Office Condominium Buildings

<sup>(</sup>a) As of January 1, 2020, and comprises the District's 2020 tax roll. All property located in the District is valued on the tax rolls by the Fort Bend Central Appraisal District (the "Appraisal District") at 100% of assessed value as of January 1 of each year. The District's tax roll is certified by the Fort Bend County Appraisal Review Board (the "Appraisal Review Board"). See "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Factors Affecting Taxable Values and Tax Payments" and "TAXING PROCEDURES." The District's tax roll is certified by the Fort Bend County Appraisal Review Board (the "Appraisal Review Board"). Such sum includes certain values which have not been certified by the Appraisal Review Board, including the value of certain properties which has been proposed by the Appraisal District but protested by the owners thereof to the Appraisal District. The Appraisal District has proposed the total of such protested values to be \$7,809,860. Since the District is unable to predict the amount of the District's final 2020 Assessed Valuation, 80% of such total protest value of \$7,809,860, or \$6,247,888, is included in the 2020 Assessed Valuation of \$602,774,241, enumerated in this Official Statement. Such final 2020 Assessed Valuation will not be determined until the valuation of all taxable property located within the District is certified by the Appraisal Review Board for 2020. See "TAXING PROCEDURES."

<sup>(</sup>b) In addition to the components of the System that the District has financed with the proceeds of the Prior Bonds and is financing with the proceeds of the Bonds, the District expects to finance the acquisition or construction of additional components of the System with the proceeds of bonds, if any, to be issued by the District in the future. See "THE BONDS - Issuance of Additional Debt" and - "Use and Distribution of Bond Proceeds," "FUTURE DEVELOPMENT," "THE SYSTEM" and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Future Debt."

<sup>(</sup>c) Neither Texas law nor the Bond Resolution requires the District to maintain any particular sum in the Debt Service Fund. Such fund balance reflects the timely payment by the District of the entirety of its debt service requirements on the Outstanding Bonds that were due for 2020. The initial payment on the Bonds consists of the payment of four months of interest thereon due on March 1, 2021.

(d) Approximately 1,321.3 acres of land located in the District also lie within FBLID No. 12 and are subject to taxation by FBLID No. 12. The District levied a debt service tax in the amount of \$0.68 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2019, plus a maintenance tax of \$0.23 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation, and has levied the same tax rates for 2020. As is stated above, FBLID No. 12 has levied a total tax of \$0.075 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2020. Thus, the combined tax levies of the District and FBLID No. 12 are \$0.985 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2020. Such combined levy is higher than the tax rates levied by some municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area, but is within the range of tax rates being levied by municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area which are in stages of development comparable with the District. As is described in this Official Statement under the caption "TAX DATA - Estimated Overlapping Taxes," the aggregate of the 2019 tax levies of all units of government which levy taxes against the property located within the District which have not yet levied for 2020, plus the 2020 tax of the District and FBLID No. 12 is \$2.865 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation. Such aggregate levy is higher than the aggregate of the tax levies of some municipal utility districts located in the greater Houston metropolitan area, but is within the range of the aggregate tax levies of municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area which are in stages of development comparable with the District. See "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Factors Affecting Taxable Values and Tax Payments" and -"Overlapping District Taxes and Functions."

# \$9,035,000 FORT BEND COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 50 UNLIMITED TAX BONDS SERIES 2020A

#### INTRODUCTION

This Official Statement provides certain information with respect to the issuance by Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 (the "District") of its Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2020A (the "Bonds"). The Bonds are issued pursuant to Article XVI, Section 59 of the Texas Constitution, the general laws of the State of Texas, including particularly Chapters 49 and 54, Texas Water Code, as amended, an Order of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (the "TCEQ") dated May 21, 2020, elections held within the District (see "THE BONDS - Authority for Issuance"), and a resolution authorizing issuance of the Bonds (the "Bond Resolution") adopted by the Board of Directors of the District (the "Board").

Included in this Official Statement are descriptions of the Bonds, the plan of financing, and certain information about the District and its finances. All descriptions of documents contained herein are only summaries and are qualified in their entirety by reference to each such document. Copies of such documents may be obtained from Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP, Phoenix Tower, 3200 Southwest Freeway, Suite 2600, Houston, Texas 77027, upon payment of duplication costs. Certain capitalized terms used in this Official Statement have the same meanings assigned to such terms in the Bond Resolution, except as otherwise indicated herein.

#### THE BONDS

#### General

The following is a description of some of the terms and conditions of the Bonds, which description is qualified in its entirety by reference to the resolution (the "Bond Resolution") of the Board of Directors of the District (the "Board") authorizing the issuance of the Bonds. A copy of the Bond Resolution may be obtained from the District upon written request made to the District's Financial Advisor, Rathmann & Associates, L.P., 8584 Katy Freeway, Suite 250, Houston, Texas 77024.

The Bonds are dated November 1, 2020. Interest accrues, at the rates shown on the cover hereof, from November 1, 2020, and is payable on March 1, 2021 (four-month interest payment), and on each September 1 and March 1 thereafter until the earlier of stated maturity or redemption. The Bonds are issued as term bonds maturing on September 1, 2050, in the principal amount set forth on the cover page of this Official Statement (collectively, the "Term Bonds"). The Bonds are issued in fully registered form and will be issued in denominations of \$5,000 of principal amount or integral multiples thereof. Principal of the Bonds will be payable by the paying agent/registrar, initially, The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., Dallas, Texas, or any successor paying agent/registrar (the "Paying Agent/Registrar," "Paying Agent" or "Registrar").

The Bonds will be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee for The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC"), which will act as securities depository for the Bonds. Beneficial owners of the Bonds will not receive physical certificates representing the Bonds, but will receive a credit balance on the books of the nominees of such beneficial owners. So long as Cede & Co. is the registered owner of the Bonds, the principal of and interest on the Bonds will be paid by the Paying Agent directly to DTC, which will, in turn, remit such principal and interest to its participants for subsequent disbursement to the beneficial owners of the Bonds as described below under "Book-Entry-Only System."

#### **Payment Record**

The Bonds constitute the ninth series of unlimited tax bonds issued by the District for the purpose of acquiring and constructing a waterworks, sanitary sewer, and storm drainage system (the "System") to serve the District previously issued its \$4,065,000 Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 1987 (the "Series 1987 Bonds") to acquire and construct

components of the System. The District defaulted on the payment of principal of and interest on the Series 1987 Bonds, filed bankruptcy, and adjusted its debt. Pursuant to such bankruptcy, the Series 1987 Bonds were amended (the "Amended Bonds") by the District in accordance with the "Amended and Restated Resolution Authorizing the Issuance of \$4,065,000 Tax Bonds, Series 1987." Home construction and development in the District were recommenced in 1999. The District issued \$6,970,000 Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2007 (the "Series 2007 Refunding Bonds"), the proceeds of which were used to refund all of the Amended Bonds. The District has issued its Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2009 (the "Series 2009 Bonds"); Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2011 (the "Series 2011 Bonds"); Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2011A (the "Series 2011A Bonds"); Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2013 (the "Series 2013 Bonds"); Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2015 (the "Series 2015 Bonds") Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2016 (the "Series 2016 Bonds") and Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2018A (the "Series 2018A Bonds") to acquire and construct components of the System, and Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2014 (the "Series 2014 Refunding Bonds"), Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2015 (the "Series 2015 Refunding Bonds"), Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2017 (the "Series 2017 Refunding Bonds"), Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2018 (the "Series 2018 Refunding Bonds") and Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2020 (the "Series 2020 Refunding Bonds") to refund outstanding bonds of the District. Collective reference is made in this Official Statement to all of the District's prior issued debt as the "Prior Bonds." See "DISTRICT BANKRUPTCY." Before the issuance of the Bonds, the principal amount of the Prior Bonds that has not been previously retired by the District is \$63,215,000 (the "Outstanding Bonds"). Upon the issuance of the Bonds, the District's total direct bonded indebtedness outstanding, consisting of the Outstanding Bonds plus the Bonds, will be \$72,250,000.

#### **Book-Entry-Only System**

This section describes how ownership of the Bonds is to be transferred and how the principal of and interest on the Bonds are to be paid to and credited by The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York, ("DTC") while the Bonds are registered in its nominee name. The information in this section concerning DTC and the Book-Entry-Only System has been provided by DTC for use in disclosure documents such as this Official Statement. The District and the Financial Advisor believe the source of such information to be reliable, but neither the District or the Financial Advisor takes any responsibility for the accuracy or completeness thereof.

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

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

DTC, the world's largest securities depository, is a limited-purpose trust company organized under the New York Banking Law, a "banking organization" within the meaning of the New York Banking Law, a member of the Federal Reserve System, a "clearing corporation" within the meaning of the New York Uniform Commercial Code, and a "clearing agency" registered pursuant to the provisions of Section 17A of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. DTC holds and provides asset servicing for over 3.5 million issues of U.S. and non-U.S. equity issues, corporate and municipal debt issues, and money market instruments (from over 100 countries) that DTC's participants ("Direct Participants") deposit with DTC. DTC also facilitates the post-trade settlement among Direct Participants of sales and other securities transactions in deposited securities, through electronic computerized book-entry transfers and pledges between Direct Participants' accounts. This eliminates the need for physical movement of securities certificates. Direct Participants include both U.S. and non-U.S. securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, clearing corporations, and certain other organizations. DTC is a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Depository Trust & Clearing Corporation ("DTCC"). DTCC is the holding company for DTC, National Securities Clearing Corporation and Fixed Income Clearing

Corporation, all of which are registered clearing agencies. DTCC is owned by the users of its regulated subsidiaries. Access to the DTC system is also available to others such as both U.S. and non-U.S. securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, and clearing corporations that clear through or maintain a custodial relationship with a Direct Participant, either directly or indirectly ("Indirect Participants"). DTC has a rating of "AA+" from S&P Global Ratings. The DTC Rules applicable to its Participants are on file with the Securities and Exchange Commission. More information about DTC can be found at www.dtcc.com.

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

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

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

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

Payments on the Bonds will be made to Cede & Co., or such other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. DTC's practice is to credit Direct Participants' accounts upon DTC's receipt of funds and corresponding detail information from the District or the Paying Agent/Registrar, on payable date in accordance with their respective holdings shown on DTC's records. Payments by Participants to Beneficial Owners will be governed by standing instructions and customary practices, as is the case with securities held for the accounts of customers in bearer form or registered in "street name," and will be the responsibility of such Participant and not of DTC, the Paying Agent/Registrar, or the District, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Payment to Cede & Co. (or such other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC) is the responsibility of the District or the Paying Agent/Registrar, disbursement of such payments to Direct Participants will be the responsibility of DTC, and disbursement of such payments to the Beneficial Owners will be the responsibility of DTC and Indirect Participants.

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

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

#### Use of Certain Terms in Other Sections of this Official Statement

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

#### **Record Date**

The record date for payment of the interest on any regularly scheduled interest payment date is defined as the 15th day of the month (whether or not a business day) preceding such interest payment date.

#### **Assignments, Transfers and Exchanges**

In the event the book-entry-only system is discontinued, the Bonds may be transferred, registered, and assigned only on the registration books of the Registrar, and such registration and transfer shall be without expense or service charge to the Registered Owner, except for any tax or other governmental charges required to be paid with respect to such registration and transfer. A Bond may be assigned by the execution of an assignment form on the Bonds or by other instrument of transfer and assignment acceptable to the Registrar. At any time after the date of delivery of the Bonds to the Initial Purchaser, any Bond may be transferred or exchanged upon its presentment and surrender at the office of the Registrar, duly endorsed for transfer, or accompanied by an assignment duly executed by the Registered Owner. To the extent possible, new Bonds issued in an exchange or transfer of Bonds will be delivered to the Registered Owner or assignee of the owner in not more than three business days after the receipt of the request in proper form to transfer or exchange the Bonds. New Bonds registered and delivered in an exchange or transfer shall be in denominations of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof for any one maturity and for a like aggregate principal amount as the Bond or Bonds surrendered for exchange or transfer. Neither the District nor the Registrar is required (1) to transfer or exchange any Bond during a period beginning at the opening of business on a Record Date and ending at the close of business on the next succeeding interest payment date, or (2) to transfer or exchange any Bond selected for redemption in whole or in part within thirty (30) calendar days of the redemption date. The District has agreed to replace mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen Bonds upon surrender of the mutilated Bonds, on receipt of satisfactory evidence of such destruction, loss, or theft and receipt by the District and the Registrar of security or indemnity to keep them harmless. The District will require payment of taxes, governmental charges, and other expenses in connection with any such replacement.

#### **Redemption Provisions**

#### Optional Redemption

The Bonds shall be subject to redemption and payment at the option of the District, in whole or from time to time in part, on September 1, 2025, or on any date thereafter, at a price equal to the principal amount thereof plus accrued interest to the date fixed for redemption.

#### Mandatory Redemption

The Bonds are also subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption by the District by lot or other customary method of random selection prior to scheduled maturity on September 1 in the years and in the amounts set forth below, subject to reduction by the amount of any prior optional redemption or cancellation, at a redemption price of par plus accrued interest to the date of redemption:

### \$9,035,000 Term Bonds Maturing on September 1, 2050 <u>Mandatory Redemption Dates</u> <u>Principal Amount</u>

September 1, 2046	\$ 555,000
September 1, 2047	585,000
September 1, 2048	620,000
September 1, 2049	3,555,000
September 1, 2050 (maturity)	3,720,000

On or before 30 days prior to each Mandatory Redemption Date set forth above, the Registrar shall (i) determine the principal amount of such Term Bonds that must be mandatorily redeemed on such Mandatory Redemption Date, after taking into account deliveries for cancellation and optional redemptions as more fully provided for below, (ii) select, by lot or other customary method of random selection, the Term Bonds or portions of Term Bonds to be mandatorily redeemed on such Mandatory Redemption Date, and (iii) give notice of such redemption as provided in the Bond Resolution. The principal amount of Term Bonds to be mandatorily redeemed on such Mandatory Redemption Date shall be reduced, at the option of the District, by the principal amount of Term Bonds, which, by the 45<sup>th</sup> day prior to such Mandatory Redemption Date, either has been purchased in the open market and delivered or tendered for cancellation by or on behalf of the District to the Registrar or optionally redeemed and which, in either case, has not previously been made the basis for a reduction under this sentence.

Notice of any redemption will be given by the Registrar at least thirty (30) days prior to the redemption date by sending such notice by first class mail to the Registered Owner of each Bond to be redeemed in whole or in part at the address shown on the bond register.

If fewer than all of the Bonds are optionally redeemed at any time, the particular amounts of Bonds to be redeemed shall be designated by the District in denominations of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof within any one maturity. If fewer than all of the Bonds are to be mandatorily redeemed, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall designate the Bonds to be mandatorily redeemed by method of random selection (or by DTC in accordance with its procedures while the Bonds are in book-entry-only form). In the event the book-entry-only system is discontinued, the Registered Owner of any Bond, all or a portion of which has been called for redemption, shall be required to present same to the Paying Agent/Registrar for payment of the redemption price on the portion of the Bond so called for redemption and issuance of a new Bond in the principal amount equal to the portion of such Bond not redeemed.

#### Replacement of Registrar

Provision is made in the Bond Resolution for replacement of the Paying Agent/Registrar. If the Paying Agent/Registrar is replaced by the District, the new paying agent/registrar shall act in the same capacity as the previous Paying Agent/Registrar. In order to act as Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds, any paying agent/registrar selected by the District shall be a national or state banking institution, organized and doing business under the laws of the United States of America or of any State, authorized under such laws to exercise trust powers, and subject to supervision or examination by federal or state authority.

#### **Authority for Issuance**

Voters of the District have authorized the issuance of a total of \$156,300,000 unlimited tax bonds at elections held on April 5, 1986, August 12, 2000, and May 6, 2017, for the purpose of financing the construction of waterworks, wastewater, and drainage facilities (the "System"), \$137,000,000 of which may be utilized for refunding purposes, and at an election held within the District on May 12, 1992, the voters of the District authorized \$15,180,000 unlimited tax refunding bonds that may only be utilized for refunding purposes. Voters also authorized the issuance of \$21,700,000 unlimited tax bonds for the purpose of financing the construction or recreational facilities at the election held on May 6, 2017. Following the issuance of the Bonds, \$78,380,000 bonds for waterworks, wastewater, and drainage facilities, or for refunding bonds issued for such purposes, \$11,376,927.35 bonds for refunding purposes only and \$21,700,000 for recreational facilities or for refunding bonds issued for such purposes will remain authorized but unissued. See

"Issuance of Additional Debt" below. The Bonds are issued by the District pursuant to the terms and provisions of the Bond Resolution; Article XVI, Section 59 of the Texas Constitution; Chapters 49 and 54 of the Texas Water Code, as amended; and an order of the TCEQ.

#### **Source of Payment**

The Outstanding Bonds and the Bonds are payable from the proceeds of an annual ad valorem tax, without legal limitation as to rate or amount, levied against all taxable property located within the District. In the Bond Resolution, the District covenants to levy a sufficient tax to pay principal of and interest on the Bonds, with full allowance being made for delinquencies, costs of collections, Registrar fees, and Appraisal District fees. Tax proceeds, after deduction for collection costs, will be placed in the Debt Service Fund and used solely to pay principal of and interest on the Bonds, and on additional bonds payable from taxes which may hereafter be issued, and Registrar fees.

The Bonds are obligations of the District and are not the obligations of the State of Texas, Fort Bend County, the City of Houston, or any entity other than the District.

#### **Issuance of Additional Debt**

The District's voters have authorized the issuance of \$156,300,000 unlimited tax bonds for construction of waterworks, wastewater, and drainage facilities, or for refunding purposes, and could authorize additional amounts. The District's voters also have authorized a total of \$15,180,000 unlimited tax bonds for refunding purposes and \$21,700,000 for construction of recreational facilities and refunding such bonds. After issuance of the Bonds, the District will be authorized to issue \$78,380,000 of the former referenced authorization, \$11,376,927.35 additional unlimited tax refunding bonds from the latter referenced authorization and \$21,700,000 for construction of recreational facilities or for refunding bonds issued for such purposes. The Bond Resolution imposes no limitation on the amount of additional parity bonds which may be issued by the District (if authorized by the District's voters and approved by the Board and, in the case of bonds for construction of facilities, by the TCEQ, if applicable). The District may issue additional unlimited tax bonds, with the approval of the TCEQ (as applicable), necessary to provide improvements and facilities consistent with the purposes for which the District was created.

The District has the right to issue the aforementioned bonds without the necessity of further voter authorization. Before issuing any additional bonds for waterworks, sanitary sewer, and drainage facilities, the District would have to obtain approval of the TCEQ for the issuance of such bonds and the projects to be financed thereby. Since the District has not financed all components of its System necessary to complete construction of the System, the District anticipates issuing additional bonds for such purposes as future development in the District necessitates. In addition to the above-mentioned bonds, the District has the right to issue such additional tax bonds, revenue bonds, or combination tax and revenue bonds as may be hereafter approved by the voters of the District. The District also has the right to issue revenue notes, bond anticipation notes, and tax anticipation notes without the necessity of voter approval. In addition, the District has the right to enter into contracts and to pledge its taxing power to secure any payments the District is required to make under such a contract, provided the provisions of the contract are approved by the voters of the District. The District further has the right to issue refunding bonds, in addition to the refunding bonds described above, with additional voter approval.

Based on present engineering cost estimates and on development plans supplied by the Developers (hereinafter defined), in the opinion of the District's consulting engineer, R.G. Miller Engineers, Inc. (the "Engineer"), the \$78,380,000 authorized but unissued bonds will be adequate to finance the extension of water supply and distribution, wastewater collection and treatment, and storm drainage facilities to serve all of the remaining undeveloped portions of the District. In addition to the components of the System that the District has financed with the proceeds of the Prior Bonds and is financing with the proceeds of the Bonds, the District expects to finance the acquisition or construction of additional components of the System with the proceeds of bonds, if any, to be issued by the District in the future. See "Use and Distribution of Bond Proceeds" below, "FUTURE DEVELOPMENT," "THE SYSTEM," and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Future Debt."

The District also is authorized by statute to engage in fire-fighting activities, including the issuing of bonds payable from taxes for such purposes. Before the District could issue such bonds, the following actions would be required: (a) authorization of a detailed fire plan and bonds for such purpose by the qualified voters in the District; (b) approval of the fire plan and bonds by the TCEQ; and (c) approval of bonds by the Attorney General of Texas. The Board has not considered developing a fire plan or calling an election at this time for such purposes. If additional debt obligations are issued in the future by the District, such issuance may increase gross debt/property ratios and might adversely affect the investment security of the Bonds. See "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Future Debt."

The District is authorized by statute to develop parks and recreational facilities, including the issuing of bonds payable from taxes for such purpose. Before the District could issue park bonds payable from taxes, the following actions would be required: (a) approval of the park project and bonds by the TCEQ; and (b) approval of the bonds by the Attorney General of Texas. If the District does issue park bonds, the outstanding principal amount of such bonds may not exceed an amount equal to one percent of the value of the taxable property in the District. Voters of the District have authorized the issuance of \$21,700,000 in bonds for construction of recreational facilities or for refunding bonds issued for such purposes.

Pursuant to Chapter 7993 of the Texas Special District Local Laws Code ("Chapter 7993"), the District is authorized to establish and administer defined areas (each a "Defined Area") as provided by Subchapter J of Chapter 54 of the Texas Water Code to pay for improvements, facilities, or services that primarily benefit the Defined Area, including water, sewer, and drainage facilities, park and recreational facilities, and road improvements. To date, the District has not established any Defined Areas within its boundaries. Should the District determine to establish a Defined Area, before the District could issue Defined Area bonds payable from Defined Area taxes, the following actions would be required: (i) authorization of Defined Area bonds and a Defined Area operation and maintenance tax by the qualified voters in the District; (b) approval of the project and bonds by the TCEQ, as applicable; and (c) approval of the bonds by the Attorney General of the State of Texas. Following a successful election within the Defined Area, the District may levy a Defined Area tax, such tax being in addition to, and exclusive of, the District's ad valorem debt service tax, for the purpose of financing public improvements consisting of certain water, sewer, and drainage facilities, park and recreational facilities, and road improvements to serve the property located within the Defined Area. No funds generated by any future Defined Area tax are being pledged as payment to the Bonds

Pursuant to Chapter 7993, the District is further authorized, consistent with Section 52, Article III of the Texas Constitution, the power to design, construct, and finance certain road facilities. Before the District could issue bonds to pay for such road facilities, the following actions would be required: (i) authorization of road facilities bonds and a road facilities operation and maintenance tax by the qualified voters in the District; and (ii) approval of the bonds by the Attorney General of the State of Texas.

#### No Arbitrage

The District certifies that based upon all facts and estimates now known or reasonably expected to be in existence on the date the Bonds are delivered and paid for, the District reasonably expects that the proceeds of the Bonds will not be used in a manner that would cause the Bonds, or any portion of the Bonds, to be "arbitrage bonds" under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), and the regulations prescribed thereunder. Furthermore, all officers, employees, and agents of the District have been authorized and directed to provide certifications of fact and estimates that are material to the reasonable expectations of the District as of the date the Bonds are delivered and paid for. In particular, all or any officers of the District are authorized to certify to the facts and circumstances and reasonable expectations of the District on the date the Bonds are delivered and paid for regarding the amount and use of the proceeds of the Bonds. Moreover, the District covenants that it shall make such use of the proceeds of the Bonds, regulate investment of proceeds of the Bonds, and take such other and further actions and follow such procedures, including, without limitation, calculating the yield on the Bonds, as may be required so that the Bonds shall not become "arbitrage bonds" under the Code and the regulations prescribed from time to time thereunder.

#### Annexation

Under existing Texas law, since the District lies wholly within the extraterritorial jurisdiction of the City of Houston, the District must conform to a City of Houston consent ordinance. Generally, the District may be annexed by the City of Houston without the District's consent, and the City cannot annex territory within the District unless it annexes the entire District; however, the City may not annex the District unless (i) such annexation has been approved by a majority of those voting in an election held for that purpose within the area to be annexed, and (ii) if the registered voters in the area to be annexed do not own more than 50 percent of the land in the area, a petition has been signed by more than 50 percent of the landowners consenting to the annexation. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, the described election and petition process does not apply during the term of a strategic partnership agreement between the City and the District specifying the procedures for full purpose annexation of all or a portion of the District. See "Strategic Partnership Agreement" below for a description of the terms of the Strategic Partnership Agreement between the City and the District.

If the District is annexed, the City of Houston will assume the District's assets and obligations (including the Bonds) and dissolve the District. Annexation of territory by the City of Houston is a policy-making matter within the discretion of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Houston, and therefore, the District makes no representation that the City of Houston will ever annex the District and assume its debt. Moreover, no representation is made concerning the ability of the City of Houston to make debt service payments should annexation occur.

#### **Strategic Partnership**

As of March 30, 2005, the District entered into a strategic partnership agreement (the "Agreement") with the City of Houston pursuant to Section 43.0751, Texas Local Government Code, whereby the commercial portion of the District was annexed into the City for limited purposes, while the balance of the District remains in the City's extraterritorial jurisdiction. The City and the District may amend the Agreement at any time, and have entered into three amendments to add additional commercial acreage in the District to the area that was annexed by the City for limited purposes. The most recent amendment between the District and the City was a Third Amended and Restated Strategic Partnership Agreement (the "Third Restatement") entered into as of May 8, 2012. As a result of the Agreement, as amended, the City imposes its one percent sales and use tax (but not its property taxes) with the area of limited purpose annexation, and remits one-half of the City's sales and use tax receipts from within the District to the District to be used for any lawful District purpose. In addition, the City agrees not to annex the District for general purposes for the 30-year term of the Agreement, as amended, thus, unless otherwise agreed by the City and the District, delaying for at least 30 years from the effective date of the Third Restatement (May 8, 2012), any dissolution of the District and assumption of its assets and liabilities (including the Bonds) by the City. The District has entered into Economic Development Agreements with certain developers of land within the District under which the District has agreed to make economic development grant payments to such developers from sales taxes collected and remitted to the District if certain development requirements are met. Funds received by the District under the Agreement are not pledged to the payment of the Bonds.

#### Consolidation

The District has the legal authority to consolidate with other districts and, in connection therewith, to provide for the consolidation of its assets (such as cash and the utility system), and liabilities (such as the Bonds), with the assets and liabilities of districts with which it is consolidating. Although no consolidation is presently contemplated by the District, no representation is made concerning the likelihood of consolidation in the future.

#### **Registered Owners' Remedies**

Pursuant to Texas law, the Bond Resolution provides that, in the event the District defaults in the payment of the principal of or interest on any of the Bonds when due, fails to make payments required by the Bond Resolution into the Debt Service Fund, or defaults in the observance or performance of any of the other covenants, conditions or obligations set forth in the Bond Resolution, any Registered Owner shall be entitled to seek a writ of mandamus from a court of

competent jurisdiction compelling and requiring the District to make such payments or to observe and perform such covenants, obligations or conditions. Such right is in addition to other rights the Registered Owners may be provided by the laws of the State of Texas.

In the event of default in the payment of principal of or interest on the Bonds, the Registered Owners may seek a writ of mandamus requiring the District to observe and perform its covenants and obligations to levy adequate taxes to make such payments. Except for the remedy of mandamus, the Bond Resolution does not specifically provide for remedies to a Registered Owner in the event of a District default, nor does it provide for the appointment of a trustee to protect and enforce the interests of the Registered Owners. There is no acceleration of maturity of the Bonds in the event of default and, consequently, the remedy of mandamus may have to be relied upon from year to year. Even if the Registered Owners could obtain a judgment against the District, such a judgment could not be enforced by direct levy and execution against the District's property. Further, the Registered Owners cannot themselves foreclose on the property of the District or sell property within the District in order to pay the principal of or interest on the Bonds. The enforceability of the rights and remedies of the Registered Owners may be further limited by laws relating to bankruptcy, reorganization or other similar laws of general application affecting the rights of creditors of political subdivisions such as the District. For example, a Chapter 9 bankruptcy proceeding by the District could delay or eliminate payment of principal or interest to the Registered Owners. See "Bankruptcy Limitation to Registered Owners' Rights" below.

#### **Bankruptcy Limitation to Registered Owners' Rights**

The enforceability of the rights and remedies of the Registered Owners may be limited by laws relating to bankruptcy, reorganization or other similar laws of general application affecting the rights of creditors of political subdivisions such as the District. Subject to the requirements of Texas law, the District may voluntarily proceed under Chapter 9 of the Federal Bankruptcy Code, 11 U.S.C. 901-946, if the District: (1) is generally authorized to file for federal bankruptcy protection by State law; (2) is insolvent or unable to meet its debts as they mature; (3) desires to effect a plan to adjust such debts; and (4) has either obtained the agreement of or negotiated in good faith with its creditors or is unable to negotiate with its creditors because negotiation is impracticable. Under Texas law, a municipal utility district such as the District must obtain the approval of the TCEQ prior to filing for bankruptcy. The TCEQ must investigate the financial condition of the District and will authorize the District to proceed only if the TCEQ determines that the District has fully exercised its rights and powers under Texas law and remains unable to meet its debts and other obligations as they mature.

If the District decides in the future to proceed voluntarily under the Federal Bankruptcy Code, the District would develop and file a plan for the adjustment of its debts and the Bankruptcy Court would confirm the District's plan if: (1) the plan complies with the applicable provisions of the Federal Bankruptcy Code; (2) all payments to be made in connection with the plan are fully disclosed and reasonable; (3) the District is not prohibited by law from taking any action necessary to carry out the plan; (4) administrative expenses are paid in full; and (5) the plan is in the best interests of creditors and is feasible. If such a plan were confirmed by the bankruptcy court, it could, among other things, affect a Registered Owner by reducing or eliminating the amount of indebtedness, deferring or rearranging the debt service schedule, reducing or eliminating the interest rate, modifying or abrogating collateral or security arrangements, substituting (in whole or in part) other securities, and otherwise compromising and modifying the rights and remedies of such Registered Owner's claim against the District.

The District may not be placed into bankruptcy involuntarily.

THE DISTRICT DEFAULTED ON ITS UNLIMITED TAX BONDS, SERIES 1987, FILED BANKRUPTCY, AND ADJUSTED ITS DEBT. PURSUANT TO SUCH BANKRUPTCY, THE SERIES 1987 BONDS WERE AMENDED BY THE DISTRICT (THE "AMENDED BONDS"). IN 2007, THE DISTRICT ISSUED THE SERIES 2007 REFUNDING BONDS, THE PROCEEDS OF THE SALE OF WHICH WERE USED TO REFUND ALL OF THE AMENDED BONDS. SEE "DISTRICT BANKRUPTCY" HEREIN.

#### Legal Investment and Eligibility to Secure Public Funds in Texas

The following is quoted from Section 49.186 of the Texas Water Code, and is applicable to the District:

- "(a) All bonds, notes, and other obligations issued by a district shall be legal and authorized investments for all banks, trust companies, building and loan associations, savings and loan associations, insurance companies of all kinds and types, fiduciaries, and trustees, and for all interest and sinking funds and other public funds of the state, and all agencies, subdivisions, and instrumentalities of the state, including all counties, cities, towns, villages, school districts, and all other kinds and types of districts, public agencies, and bodies politic."
- "(b) A district's bonds, notes, and other obligations are eligible and lawful security for all deposits of public funds of the state, and all agencies, subdivisions, and instrumentalities of the state, including all counties, cities, towns, villages, school districts, and all other kinds and types of districts, public agencies, and bodies politic, to the extent of the market value of the bonds, notes, and other obligations when accompanied by any unmatured interest coupons attached to them."

The Public Funds Collateral Act (Chapter 2257, Texas Government Code) also provides that bonds of the District (including the Bonds) are eligible as collateral for public funds.

No representation is made that the Bonds will be suitable for or acceptable to financial or public entities for investment or collateral purposes. No representation is made concerning other laws, rules, regulations, or investment criteria which apply to or which might be utilized by any of such persons or entities to limit the acceptability or suitability of the Bonds for any of the foregoing purposes. Prospective purchasers are urged to carefully evaluate the investment quality of the Bonds as to the suitability or acceptability of the Bonds for investment or collateral purposes.

#### **Defeasance**

The Bond Resolution provides that the District may discharge its obligations to the Registered Owners of any or all of the Bonds to pay principal, interest and redemption price thereon in any manner permitted by law. Under current Texas law, such discharge may be accomplished either (i) by depositing with the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas a sum of money equal to the principal of, premium, if any, and all interest to accrue on the Bonds to maturity or redemption or (ii) by depositing with any place of payment (paying agent) of the Bonds or other obligations of the District payable from revenues or from ad valorem taxes or both, or with a commercial bank or trust company designated in the proceedings authorizing such discharge, amounts sufficient to provide for the payment and/or redemption of the Bonds; provided that such deposits may be invested and reinvested only in (a) direct non-callable obligations of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America, (b) non-callable obligations of an agency or instrumentality of the United States, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by the agency or instrumentality and that, on the date the governing body of the District adopts or approves the proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than AAA or its equivalent, and (c) non-callable obligations of a state or an agency or a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of a state that have been refunded and that, on the date the governing body of the District adopts or approves the proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than AAA or its equivalent. The foregoing obligations may be in book entry form and shall mature and/or bear interest payable at such times and in such amounts as will be sufficient to provide for the scheduled payment and/or redemption of the Bonds. If any of such Bonds are to be redeemed prior to their respective dates of maturity, provision must have been made for giving notice of redemption as provided in the Bond Resolution.

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

expressly reserves the right to call the Bonds for redemption; (ii) gives notice of the reservation of that right to the owners of the Bonds immediately following the making of the firm banking and financial arrangements; and (iii) directs that notice of the reservation be included in any redemption notices that it authorizes.

There is no assurance that the current law will not be changed in the future in a manner which would permit investments other than those described above to be made with amounts deposited to defease the Bonds. Because the Bond Resolution does not contractually limit such investments, Registered Owners may be deemed to have consented to defeasance with such other investments, notwithstanding the fact that such investments may not be of the same investment quality of those currently permitted under Texas law.

#### **Use and Distribution of Bond Proceeds**

Proceeds of the sale of the Bonds will be used by the District to (i) finance the District's cost of acquisition or construction of the wastewater treatment plant, phase 1; (ii) pay land costs for a sub-regional detention basin; (iii) pay for administrative and issuance costs, legal fees, fiscal agent's fees, fees to the TCEQ and the Attorney General of Texas, non-construction engineering fees; and (iv) pay certain financing costs related to the issuance of the BAN (defined below) and the Bonds. The District will also retire its Bond Anticipation Note, Series 2019 (the "BAN"), including the payment of principal of and interest thereon, with a portion of the proceeds of the Bonds. The District utilized the proceeds of the BAN to interim finance certain of the aforementioned facilities that it is financing with the sale of the Bonds.

Constr	<u>District Share</u>	
A.	Developer Contribution Items	\$ 0
	None	
В.	District Items	
	1. 1.5 MGD Wastewater Treatment Plant	\$3,939,000
	2. Sub-Regional Detention Basin Land Costs	4,037,000
	Total District Items	\$7,976,000
	TOTAL CONSTRUCTION COSTS	\$7,976,000
Non-Construction Costs		
	1. Legal Fees	\$ 220,700
	2. Fiscal Agent Fees	180,700
	3. Bond Anticipation Note Interest	141,542
	4. Bond Discount	191,091
	5. Bond Issuance Expense	49,210
	6. Bond Anticipation Note Issuance Expense	94,000
	7. Bond Application Report	70,175
	8. Attorney General Fee	9,035

TOTAL BOND ISSUE REQUIREMENT	\$9.035.000
TOTAL NON-CONSTRUCTION COSTS	\$1,059,000
10. Contingencies*	<u>79,959</u>
9. TCEQ Bond Issuance Fee	22,588

<sup>\*</sup> The TCEQ directed that any surplus funds resulting from the sale of bonds at a lower interest rate than proposed shall be shown as a contingency line item. The use of these funds is subject to approval by the TCEQ.

In the instance that approved estimated amounts exceed actual costs, the difference comprises a surplus which may be expended for uses approved by the TCEQ. In the instance that actual costs exceed previously approved estimated amounts and contingencies, additional TCEQ approval and the issuance of additional bonds may be required. The Engineer has advised the District that the proceeds of the sale of the Bonds should be sufficient to reimburse the Developers for the costs of the above-described facilities. However, the District cannot and does not guarantee the sufficiency of such funds for such purposes.

## DISTRICT BANKRUPTCY

On December 17, 1991, the District filed an application with the Texas Water Commission (the "TWC") (now the TCEQ) requesting authorization to file a petition in bankruptcy under Chapter 9 of the United States Bankruptcy Code. By order dated May 14, 1992, the TWC approved the District's application, and on February 16, 1994, the District filed a voluntary petition in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas, Case No. 94-41165-H4-9, for relief under Chapter 9 of the United States Bankruptcy Code. Fort Bend County Levee Improvement District No. 12 ("FBLID No. 12"), within whose boundaries the District is located, had on May 27, 1993, filed an application with the TWC requesting authorization to file a petition in bankruptcy under Chapter 9 of the United States Bankruptcy Code, which request was approved by the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission, successor to the TWC (now the TCEQ) by Order dated September 9, 1993. On September 30, 1993, FBLID No. 12 filed a voluntary petition in the Bankruptcy Court, Case No. 93-47142-H4-9, for relief under Chapter 9 of the Bankruptcy Code. The cases were handled together after the filing with the Bankruptcy Court by the District. On December 1, 1994, the District and FBLID No. 12 filed a Joint Plan of Adjustment of their debts with the Bankruptcy Court (the "Plan"), and FBLID No. 12 filed a Second Amendment to the Joint Plan of Adjustment on February 22, 1995. The Plan, as amended, provided among other things that as of the effective date of the plan, the District's remaining outstanding Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 1987 (the "Series 1987 Bonds") would be amended and modified as set forth in the plan. On February 24, 1995, the Bankruptcy Court entered the confirmation order approving the Joint Plan of Adjustment and the Second Amendment to the Joint Plan of Adjustment of the District and FBLID No. 12 (the "Amended Plan"), and the Amended Plan became effective on March 29, 1995 (the "Effective Date").

The Plan provided for five classes of claims against the District:

Class M-1: Administrative Expense Claims

Class M-2: Priority Claims

Class M-3: MUD 50 Bond Claims

Class M-4: Claims of Delinquent Tax Counsel

Class M-5: General Unsecured Claims

As set forth in the Amended Plan, and pursuant to the Amended and Restated Resolution Authorizing the Issuance of \$4,065,000 Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 1987, adopted by the District on March 1, 1995, Amended Bonds were delivered by the District in exchange for the Series 1987 bonds (Class M-3 Claims). In 2007, the District issued its \$6,970,000 Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2007 to refund all of the Amended Bonds. The District has fully satisfied the Class M-1, M-3, and M-4 claims pursuant to the terms of the Amended Plan. There were no Class M-2 or M-5 claims. Therefore, no Claim remains outstanding under the Amended Plan.

#### THE DISTRICT

# **Authority**

The District is a municipal utility district created by an order of the TWC, predecessor of the TCEQ, dated March 18, 1986. The creation of the District was confirmed at an election held within the District on April 5, 1986, by a vote of four (4) "For" to none (0) "Against." The rights, powers, privileges, authority, and functions of the District are established by the general laws of the State of Texas pertaining to municipal utility districts, including Article XVI, Section 59 of the Constitution of Texas and Chapters 49 and 54 of the Texas Water Code. The District is subject to the continuing supervision of the TCEQ.

The District is empowered, among other things, to purchase, construct, operate, and maintain all works, improvements, facilities, and plants necessary for the supply of water; the collection, transportation, and treatment of wastewater; and the control and diversion of storm water.

Pursuant to Chapter 7993, the District is further authorized, consistent with Section 52, Article III of the Texas Constitution, the power to design, construct, and finance certain road facilities. Before the District could issue bonds to pay for such road facilities, the following actions would be required: (i) authorization of road facilities bonds and a road facilities operation and maintenance tax by the qualified voters in the District; and (ii) approval of the bonds by the Attorney General of the State of Texas.

Under certain limited circumstances the District also is authorized to construct, develop, and maintain park and recreational facilities. In addition, the District is authorized to establish, operate, and maintain a fire department, independently or with one or more other conservation and reclamation districts, and provide such facilities and services to the customers of the District.

The TCEQ exercises continuing supervisory jurisdiction over the District. In order to obtain the consent of Houston, within whose extraterritorial jurisdiction the District lies for creation of the District, the District has agreed to observe certain Houston requirements. These requirements limit the purposes for which the District may sell bonds to the acquisition and improvement of waterworks, wastewater, and drainage facilities, park and recreational facilities, fire-fighting facilities, and refunding purposes; limit the net effective interest rate on such bonds and other terms of such bonds; and require approval by Houston of the District's construction plans and specifications.

## **Description**

The District, a municipal utility district created by order of the TWC, now the TCEQ, dated March 18, 1986, operates under the authority of Article XVI, Section 59 of the Constitution of Texas and Chapters 49 and 54 of the Texas Water Code. Pursuant to Chapter 7993 of the Texas Special District Local Laws Code, the District also maintains the authority of Article III, Section 52 of the Constitution of Texas, as well as the ability to establish and administer defined areas. The District is subject to the continuing supervision of the TCEQ. The District contains approximately 1,463.44 acres of land. The District is located approximately twenty-four miles southwest of the central business district of Houston, Texas, in the northern portion of Fort Bend County, Texas. The District is generally bounded on the north by FM 1093. Canal (Belew) Road forms a portion of the District's west boundary and traverses a portion of the District in a northsouth direction. Bellaire Boulevard traverses the District in an east-west direction. The Grand Parkway (SH 99) traverses the District in a north-south direction. The District is located approximately seven miles west of the intersection of FM 1093 and State Highway 6 and approximately 7 miles south of Interstate Highway 10. See "APPENDIX A - LOCATION MAP." The District is located entirely within the extraterritorial jurisdiction of the City of Houston, Texas, and lies wholly within Fort Bend County, Texas. Approximately 1,321.3 acres of land located in the District also lie within FBLID No. 12, which provides flood protection and outfall drainage to the District, and such land within the District is subject to taxation by FBLID No. 12. See "THE SYSTEM - Flood Protection and Drainage Facilities" and - "100-Year Flood Plain" and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Overlapping District Taxes and Functions."

## **Management of the District**

The District is governed by the Board of Directors, consisting of five directors. The Board of Directors has control over and management supervision of all affairs of the District. Directors serve four-year staggered terms, and elections are held within the District in May in even numbered years. All of the Directors currently reside in the District.

The current members and officers of the Board, along with their respective terms of office, are listed below.

<u>Name</u>	Position	Term Expires <u>in May</u>
Craig Lewis	President	2024
Leon Bridges, Jr.	Vice President	2022
Vacant	Assistant Vice President	2022
Peter Lajoie	Secretary	2024
Reginald Stubblefield	Assistant Secretary	2022

The District does not have a general manager or any other employee, but has contracted for services, as follows.

## Tax Assessor/Collector

The District's Tax Assessor/Collector is Ms. Esther Flores of Tax Tech, Inc. Tax Tech, Inc. employees serve as tax assessor/collector for approximately 88 taxing jurisdictions. The Tax Assessor/Collector applies the District's tax levy to tax rolls prepared by the Fort Bend Central Appraisal District and bills and collects such levy.

## **Bookkeeper**

The District's bookkeeper is District Data Services, Inc. Such firm acts as bookkeeper for approximately 40 utility districts.

# **Utility System Operator**

The District's operator is Municipal District Services, L.L.C., which serves as operator for approximately 72 utility districts.

## Auditor

As required by the Texas Water Code, the District retains an independent auditor to audit the District's financial statements annually, which annual audit is filed with the TCEQ. The District's current auditor is Mark C. Eyring CPA, PLLC. A copy of the District's audit for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019, which was prepared by Mark C. Eyring CPA, PLLC, is included as "APPENDIX B" to this Official Statement.

# **Engineer**

The consulting engineer for the District is R.G. Miller Engineers, Inc. (the "Engineer").

## **Bond Counsel**

The District has engaged Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP, Houston, Texas, as general counsel to the District and as bond counsel ("Bond Counsel") in connection with the issuance of the Bonds. The fees to be paid Bond Counsel in connection with the issuance of the Bonds are based on a percentage of the Bonds actually issued and sold. Therefore, the payment of such fees is contingent upon the sale and delivery of the Bonds. See "LEGAL MATTERS."

## **Financial Advisor**

The District has engaged Rathmann & Associates, L.P. as financial advisor (the "Financial Advisor") to the District. The fee paid the Financial Advisor for services rendered in connection with the issuance of the Bonds is based on a percentage of the Bonds actually issued and sold. Therefore, the payment of such fee is contingent upon the sale and delivery of the Bonds. Rathmann & Associates, L.P. is an independent municipal advisor registered with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") and the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board (the "MSRB"). Rathmann & Associates, L.P.'s SEC registration number is 867-00217 and its MSRB registration number is K0161. Rathmann & Associates, L.P.'s SEC registration Forms MA and MA-1's, which constitute Rathmann & Associates, L.P.'s registration filings, may be accessed through http://www.sec.gov/edgar/searchedgar/companysearch.html.

## DEVELOPMENT OF THE DISTRICT

As of September 1, 2020, an aggregate of 1,469 homes have been constructed in the District, all of which have been sold to homeowners. Such homes had been constructed on the 1,471 fully-developed single-family residential lots that have been developed on a total of approximately 374.7 acres of land located in the District. 126 single-family residential lots on approximately 23.78 acres are currently under development within the District, with completion expected in approximately April 2021. In addition, a total of approximately 1,360,360 square feet of commercial improvements had been constructed on approximately 139.02 additional acres of land located within the District, and approximately 16,700 square feet of office condominiums are currently under construction within the District. See "DEVELOPERS AND PRINCIPAL LAND OWNERS" below.

Land within the District is being developed primarily for single-family residential and commercial usage. The development of Westpark Lakes, Section 1, Parkway Lakes, Sections 1 through 3, Lost Creek, Sections 1 through 5, Meadows of Parkway Lakes, Grand Meadows, Sections 1 through 4, and Grand Ridge Crossing (collectively including approximately 374.7 total acres, 1,471 total single-family residential lots), is complete in the District, including water supply and distribution, wastewater collection and treatment, and storm drainage facilities (the "System") and street paving. The development of Grand Trails (approximately 23.78 acres, 126 single-family residential lots) is currently underway within the District, with completion expected in approximately April 2021. A total of approximately 142.67 acres of land located within the District described below has been developed for commercial usage with the construction of water distribution, wastewater collection and storm drainage facilities and street paving to the perimeter thereof, and thus such land is available for the construction of above-ground commercial improvements. Commercial buildings have been constructed on approximately 139.02 of such approximately 142.67 acres.

A total of approximately 142.67 acres of land within the District has been developed for commercial usage on which approximately 139.02 acres of commercial improvements totaling approximately 1,360,360 square feet of building area have been constructed as follows. Approximately 76.56 of such approximately 142.67 acres contain a total of approximately 725,090 square feet of completed building area in the Shops at Bella Terra. Approximately 8.35 of such approximately 142.67 acres contain a total of approximately 54,468 square feet of completed building area in the Shops at Parkway Lakes. Completed commercial improvements located within the District in the Shops at Bella Terra, the Shops at Parkway Lakes and other commercial developments are set forth below. See "DEVELOPERS AND PRINCIPAL LAND OWNERS" below.

<u>The Shops at Bella Terra</u> - Approximately 725,090 total square feet of building area, including: Super Wal-Mart, Kohl's Department Store, 24 Hour Fitness, Best Buy, 9 retail strip centers, 10 freestanding commercial buildings including restaurants and a medical facility, and a Public Storage facility.

<u>Shops at Parkway Lakes</u> - Approximately 54,468 total square feet of building area comprised of 7 freestanding commercial buildings including a car wash, auto parts store, day care, and other tenants, and a retail strip center.

Additional Commercial Development - Approximately 580,802 total square feet of building area, including 11 freestanding commercial buildings including a gas station/convenience store, 2 medical facilities, a senior living facility, a movie theater, a day care facility, an office building, Sam's Club store, auto parts store, a restaurant, and a retail strip center.

Approximately 5.2 acres of land within the District have been developed for commercial usage by Grand Park Professional Place, LLC, on which three office condominium buildings totaling approximately 16,700 square feet of building area on approximately 1.8 acres are currently under construction, with completion expected in approximately October 2020.

A total of approximately 604.9 acres of currently undeveloped land located within the District are available for future development. Approximately 10.92 of the undeveloped acres located within the District that are currently expected to be developed for multi-family residential and/or commercial usage are owned by The District at Parkway Lakes, Ltd. (described below under the caption "DEVELOPERS AND PRINCIPAL LAND OWNERS"). Approximately 26.75 of the currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by CNS Ventures LLC. Approximately 42.66 of the currently undeveloped acres located within the District that are currently expected to be developed for single-family residential usage are owned by 3535 Wilcrest, Ltd. According to the District's tax rolls, approximately 268.94 of such currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by WBH Ranches, L.P. ("WBH"). WBH has indicated to the District that it is proceeding with the development of the WBH property consisting of a mixed use commercial, retail, and multi-family development, but, to date, the District has not received a definitive land plan or build-out projections. Approximately 142.14 currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by Cathexis Legacy Holdings, LLC ("Cathexis"). See "DEVELOPERS AND PRINCIPAL LAND OWNERS" below. Approximately 113.47 currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by multiple additional parties, none of which has reported a definitive development plan to the District covering any of such acres. Since none of the owners of any of such currently undeveloped acres has any obligation to the District to develop any of such acres according to any timetable or at all, the District cannot represent whether or when the development of any of such acres might be undertaken. The remaining acreage within the District consists of drainage easements, detention ponds, rightsof-way, District wastewater and water plant sites, or is otherwise not available for future development.

The District financed its portion of the cost of the acquisition or construction of the components of the System that serve Westpark Lakes, Section 1, Parkway Lakes, Sections 1 through 3, Lost Creek, Sections 1 through 5, Meadows of Parkway Lakes, Grand Meadows, Sections 1 through 4, Shops at Bella Terra, Phases 2 through 5, Bellaire Boulevard, Bellaire Crossing at Parkway Lakes, Grand Lakes Crossing, the Stripes Tract, Southeast Corner, District West at Parkway Lakes, trunk facilities located in the right-of-way of Bellaire Boulevard, and certain other facilities, including storm drainage/detention pond facilities, water supply and interim wastewater treatment facilities, with portions of the proceeds of the sale of the Prior Bonds. In addition to the components of the System that the District has financed with the proceeds of the Prior Bonds and is financing with the proceeds of the Bonds, the District expects to finance the acquisition or construction of additional components of the System with the proceeds of bonds, if any, to be issued by the District in the future. See "THE BONDS - Issuance of Additional Debt," "FUTURE DEVELOPMENT," "THE SYSTEM," and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Future Debt."

# **Land Development and Home Construction Summary**

The residential lot development and home construction activity which has been undertaken within the District as of September 1, 2020, is illustrated below.

	Lots		Homes						
					<u>U</u> :	<u>nder</u>			
			<u>Under</u>		Cons	truction	(	Completed	
Subdivision	<u>Developed</u>	<u>Acres</u>	Development	<u>Acres</u>	Sold	<u>Unsold</u>	Sold	<u>Unsold</u>	<u>Totals</u>
Westpark Lakes									
Section 1	192	54.4			0	0	192	0	192
Parkway Lakes									
Section 1	133	44.9			0	0	131	0	131
Section 2	78	25.4			0	0	78	0	78
Section 3	92	22.1			0	0	92	0	92
Lost Creek									
Section 1	157	42.4			0	0	157	0	157
Section 2	219	48.0			0	0	219	0	219
Section 3	78	20.0			0	0	78	0	78
Section 4	51	10.7			0	0	51	0	51
Section 5	51	10.3			0	0	51	0	51
Meadows of									
Parkway Lakes	91	20.0			0	0	91	0	91
Grand Meadows	S								
Section 1	64	12.7			0	0	64	0	64
Section 2	70	15.4			0	0	70	0	70
Section 3	103	23.9			0	0	103	0	103
Section 4	6	1.5			0	0	6	0	6
Grand Ridge									
Crossing*	86	23.0			0	0	86	0	86
Grand Trails			<u>126</u>	23.78	<u>0</u>	_0	0	_0	0
Totals	1,471	374.7	126	23.78	0	0	1,469	0	1,469

<sup>\*</sup> The land that has been developed and marketed as Grand Ridge Crossing was originally platted as Grand Lakes Crossing.

## DEVELOPERS AND PRINCIPAL LAND OWNERS

## Role of the Developer

In general, the activities of a developer in a municipal utility district such as the District include purchasing the land within the District, designing the subdivision, designing the utilities and streets to be constructed in the subdivision, designing any community facilities to be built, defining a marketing program and building schedule, securing necessary governmental approvals and permits for development, arranging for the construction of roads and the installation of utilities (including, in some cases, water, wastewater, and drainage facilities pursuant to the rules of the TCEQ, as well as gas, telephone, and electric service), and selling improved lots and commercial reserves to builders, developers, or other third parties. In most instances, the developer will be required to pay up to thirty percent of the cost of constructing certain of the water, wastewater, and drainage facilities in a utility district pursuant to the rules of the TCEQ. The District requested an exemption from such developer participation requirement with respect to the Prior Bonds on the basis of one of the criteria under TCEQ rules for such exemption. The TCEQ granted the request for such exemption in its Orders authorizing the District to issue the Prior Bonds. The relative success or failure of a developer to perform such activities in development of the property within a utility district may have a profound effect on the security of the unlimited tax bonds issued by a district. A developer is generally under no obligation to a district to develop the property which it owns in a district. Furthermore, there is no restriction on a developer's right to sell any or all of the land which it owns within a district. In addition, a developer is ordinarily a major taxpayer within a municipal utility district during the development phase of the property.

# **Description of the Developers and Principal Land Owners**

Descriptions of certain developers that have undertaken development projects to date in the District and of certain other principal land owners that own land that is located within the District follow. The developer of the 303 fully developed single-family residential lots located within the District that have been subdivided as Parkway Lakes, Sections 1 through 3 is Parkway Lakes Development, Inc., a Texas corporation ("PLDI") whose principal shareholder is Sun Coast Financial, Inc. PLDI has sold all of the Parkway Lakes, Sections 1 through 3 lots to home building companies that have constructed homes on all of such lots and have sold all of such homes to homeowners with the exception of two lots in Section 1 and one lot in Section 3 which are available for purchase.

Approximately 123.6 acres of land located within the District have been developed for commercial usage with the construction of water distribution, wastewater collection and storm drainage, and street paving to the perimeter thereof. Above-ground improvements aggregating approximately 779,558 square feet of completed building area known as The Shops at Bella Terra and The Shops at Parkway Lakes have been constructed on approximately 84.91 of such approximately 123.6 acres as is described above under the caption "DEVELOPMENT OF THE DISTRICT." The balance of such approximately 123.6 acres is contained within stormwater detention facilities and a Fort Bend County Drainage District easement. See "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Factors Affecting Taxable Values and Tax Payments - Principal Land Owner Obligations to the District."

Approximately 23.78 acres located within the District are owned by Meritage Homes of Texas, LLC ("Meritage"). According to Meritage, the development of Grand Trails (approximately 23.78 acres, 126 single-family residential lots) is currently underway within the District, with completion expected in approximately April 2021.

PLDI and Meritage are referred to herein together as the "Developers."

Approximately 5.2 acres of land within the District have been developed for commercial usage by Grand Park Professional Place, LLC, on which three office condominium buildings totaling approximately 16,700 square feet of building area on approximately 1.8 acres are currently under construction, with completion expected in approximately October 2020.

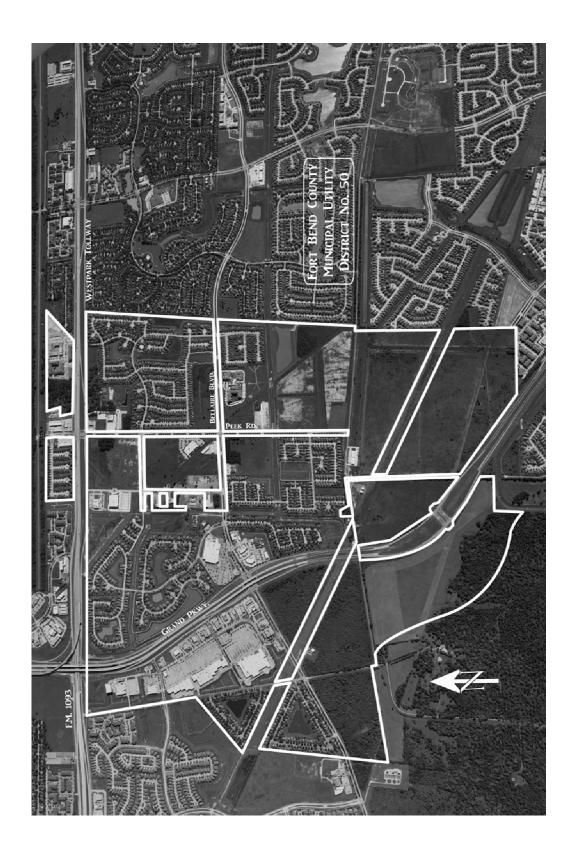
A total of approximately 604.9 acres of currently undeveloped land located within the District are available for future development. Approximately 10.92 of the undeveloped acres located within the District that are currently expected to be developed for multi-family residential and/or commercial usage are owned by The District at Parkway Lakes, Ltd.

Approximately 26.75 of the currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by CNS Ventures LLC. Approximately 42.66 of the currently undeveloped acres located within the District that are currently expected to be developed for single-family residential usage are owned by 3535 Wilcrest, Ltd. According to the District's tax rolls, approximately 268.94 of such currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by WBH. WBH has indicated to the District that it is proceeding with the development of the WBH property consisting of a mixed use commercial, retail, and multi-family development, but, to date, the District has not received a definitive land plan or build-out projections. Approximately 142.14 currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by Cathexis. Approximately 113.47 additional currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by multiple additional parties, none of which has reported a definitive development plan to the District covering any of such acres. Since none of the owners of any of such currently undeveloped acres has any obligation to the District to develop any of such acres according to any timetable or at all, the District cannot represent whether or when the development of any of such acres might be undertaken. See "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Factors Affecting Taxable Values and Tax Payments - Principal Land Owner/Developer Obligations to the District."

## **FUTURE DEVELOPMENT**

The District contains approximately 604.9 acres of land available for future development on which no development activity has yet been undertaken, which acres are currently expected to be developed for future single-family residential, multi-family residential, and/or commercial usage. Approximately 10.92 of the undeveloped acres located within the District that are currently expected to be developed for multi-family residential and/or commercial usage are owned by The District at Parkway Lakes, Ltd. Approximately 26.75 of the currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by CNS Ventures LLC. Approximately 42.66 of the currently undeveloped acres located within the District that are currently expected to be developed for single-family residential usage are owned by 3535 Wilcrest, Ltd. According to the District's tax rolls, approximately 268.94 of such currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by WBH. WBH has indicated to the District that it is proceeding with the development of the WBH property consisting of a mixed use commercial, retail, and multi-family development, but, to date, the District has not received a definitive land plan or build-out projections. Approximately 142.14 currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by Cathexis. Approximately 113.47 additional currently undeveloped acres located within the District are owned by multiple additional parties, none of which has reported a definitive development plan to the District covering any of such acres. Approximately 5.2 acres of land within the District have been developed for commercial usage by Grand Park Professional Place, LLC, on which three office condominium buildings totaling approximately 16,700 square feet of building area on approximately 1.8 acres are currently under construction, with completion expected in approximately October 2020. Approximately 23.78 acres located within the District are owned by Meritage Homes of Texas, LLC ("Meritage"), on which the development of Grand Trails (approximately 23.78 acres, 126 single-family residential lots) is currently underway, with completion expected in approximately April 2021. The remaining acreage within the District consists of drainage easements, detention ponds, rights-of-way, District wastewater and water plant sites, or is otherwise not available for future development. As is stated above under the caption "DEVELOPERS AND PRINCIPAL LAND OWNERS," since no owner of any of the currently undeveloped land located within the District is under any obligation to the District to undertake the development of any of such land, and may sell any of such land at its sole discretion, the District cannot represent when, or whether, any development of any of such land might be undertaken, or the ultimate usage of any of such land. The initiation of any new development beyond that described in this Official Statement will be dependent on several factors including, the completion of the ongoing construction of Water Plant No. 2 and the permanent Sewage Treatment Plant, and, to a great extent, the general and other economic conditions which would affect any party's ability to develop and sell residential lots and/or other property, including land developed for multi-family residential and/or commercial usage, of any home builder to sell completed homes, and of any party to construct and lease multi-family and/or commercial above-ground improvements described in this Official Statement under the caption "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS." If the undeveloped portions of the District are eventually developed, additions to the District's System required to service such undeveloped acreage may be financed by future issues (if any) of the District's bonds and developer contributions, if any, as required by the TCEQ. In addition to the components of the System that the District has financed with the proceeds of the Prior Bonds and expects to finance with the proceeds of the Bonds, the District expects to finance the acquisition or construction of additional components of the System with the proceeds of bonds, if any, to be issued by the District in the future. See "THE BONDS - Issuance of Additional Debt" and - "Use and Distribution of Bond Proceeds," "FUTURE DEVELOPMENT," "THE SYSTEM," and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Future Debt." The District's consulting engineer, R.G. Miller Engineers, Inc. (the "Engineer") currently estimates that the aforementioned \$78,380,000 authorized unlimited tax bonds which remain unissued will be adequate to finance the construction of all waterworks, wastewater, and drainage facilities that will be necessary to provide service to all of the currently undeveloped portions of the District. See "THE BONDS - Issuance of Additional Debt" and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Factors Affecting Taxable Values and Tax Payments."

# AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH OF THE DISTRICT (taken April 2020)



# PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN WITHIN THE DISTRICT (taken April 2020)













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# DISTRICT DEBT

# **Debt Service Requirement Schedule**

The following schedule sets forth the debt service requirements of the Outstanding Bonds and the principal and interest requirements of the Bonds.

		The B	Bonds	Total
	Outstanding	Principal		Debt Servi
<u>Year</u>	<b>Bonds</b>	(Due 9-1)	<u>Interest</u>	Requirement
2020	\$ 3,704,031			\$ 3,704,03
2021	3,749,056		\$ 173,171	3,922,22
2022	3,762,056		207,805	3,969,8
2023	3,758,681		207,805	3,966,4
2024	3,748,331		207,805	3,956,1
2025	3,767,450		207,805	3,975,2
2026	3,743,869		207,805	3,951,6
2027	3,737,906		207,805	3,945,7
2028	3,729,756		207,805	3,937,50
2029	3,719,244		207,805	3,927,0
2030	3,766,031		207,805	3,973,8
2031	3,775,844		207,805	3,983,6
2032	3,759,231		207,805	3,967,0
2033	3,740,031		207,805	3,947,8
2034	3,729,269		207,805	3,937,0
2035	3,710,519		207,805	3,918,3
2036	3,694,031		207,805	3,901,8
2037	3,794,744		207,805	4,002,5
2038	4,023,295		207,805	4,231,0
2039	4,066,681		207,805	4,274,4
2040	3,832,044		207,805	4,039,8
2041	3,846,675		207,805	4,054,4
2042	3,893,156		207,805	4,100,9
2043	3,898,031		207,805	4,105,8
2044	3,948,000		207,805	4,155,8
2045	3,964,000		207,805	4,171,8
2046	2,924,000	\$ 555,000*	207,805	3,686,8
2047	2,920,000	585,000*	195,040	3,700,0
2048	2,912,000	620,000*	181,585	3,713,5
2049	_,,,, ,	3,555,000*	167,325	3,722,3
2050		3,720,000*	85,650	3,805,5
	\$107,617,961	\$9,035,000	\$5,997,806	\$122,650,7

<sup>\*</sup> Represents mandatory sinking fund payments on Term Bonds.

## **Bonded Indebtedness**

2020 Assessed Valuation	\$602,774,241(a)
Direct Debt:	
Outstanding Bonds	\$ 63,215,000
The Bonds	9,035,000
Total	\$ 72,250,000(b)
Estimated Overlapping Debt	\$ 48,130,430
Total Direct and Estimated Overlapping Debt	<u>\$120,380,430</u>
Direct Debt Ratio	
: as a percentage of 2020 Assessed Valuation	11.99%
Direct and Estimated Overlapping Debt Ratio	
: as a percentage of 2020 Assessed Valuation	19.97%
Debt Service Fund Balance as of September 8, 2020	\$ 3,363,882(c)
General Fund Balance as of September 8, 2020	\$ 5,002,759
2019 Tax Rate per \$100 of Assessed Valuation	
The District	
Debt Service Tax \$0.68	
Maintenance Tax <u>0.23</u>	00.01/1
Total	\$0.91(d)
Total	0.08(d) \$0.99(d)
2020 Tax Rate per \$100 of Assessed Valuation	
The District	
Debt Service Tax \$0.68	
Maintenance Tax <u>0.23</u>	<b>#</b> 0.040/5
Total Dead County I are Information No. 12	\$0.910(d)
Fort Bend County Levee Improvement District No. 12	0.075(d) \$0.985(d)
1544	ψ0.703(u)

<sup>(</sup>a) As of January 1, 2020, and comprises the District's 2020 tax roll. All property located in the District is valued on the tax rolls by the Fort Bend Central Appraisal District (the "Appraisal District") at 100% of assessed value as of January 1 of each year. The District's tax roll is certified by the Fort Bend County Appraisal Review Board (the "Appraisal Review Board"). See "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Factors Affecting Taxable Values and Tax Payments" and "TAXING PROCEDURES." The District's tax roll is certified by the Fort Bend County Appraisal Review Board (the "Appraisal Review Board"). Such sum includes certain values which have not been certified by the Appraisal Review Board, including the value of certain properties which has been proposed by the Appraisal District but protested by the owners thereof to the Appraisal District. The Appraisal District has proposed the total of such protested values to be \$7,809,860. Since the District is unable to predict the amount of the District's final 2020 Assessed Valuation, 80% of such total protest value of \$7,809,860, or \$6,247,888, is included in the 2020 Assessed Valuation of \$602,774,241, enumerated in this Official Statement. Such final 2020 Assessed Valuation will not be determined until the valuation of all taxable property located within the District is certified by the Appraisal Review Board for 2020. See "TAXING PROCEDURES."

- (b) In addition to the components of the System that the District has financed with the proceeds of the Prior Bonds and is financing with the proceeds of the Bonds, the District expects to finance the acquisition or construction of additional components of the System with the proceeds of bonds, if any, to be issued by the District in the future. See "THE BONDS Issuance of Additional Debt" and "Use and Distribution of Bond Proceeds," "FUTURE DEVELOPMENT," "THE SYSTEM" and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS Future Debt."
- (c) Neither Texas law nor the Bond Resolution requires the District to maintain any particular sum in the Debt Service Fund. Such fund balance reflects the timely payment by the District of the entirety of its debt service requirements on the Outstanding Bonds that were due for 2020. The initial payment on the Bonds consists of the payment of four months of interest thereon due on March 1, 2021.
- Approximately 1,321.3 acres of land located in the District also lie within FBLID No. 12 and are subject to (d) taxation by FBLID No. 12. The District levied a debt service tax in the amount of \$0.68 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2019, plus a maintenance tax of \$0.23 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation, and has levied the same tax rates for 2020. As is stated above, FBLID No. 12 has levied a total tax of \$0.075 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2020. Thus, the combined tax levies of the District and FBLID No. 12 are \$0.985 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2020. Such combined levy is higher than the tax rates levied by some municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area, but is within the range of tax rates being levied by municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area which are in stages of development comparable with the District. As is described in this Official Statement under the caption "TAX DATA - Estimated Overlapping Taxes," the aggregate of the 2019 tax levies of all units of government which levy taxes against the property located within the District which have not yet levied for 2020, plus the 2020 tax of the District and FBLID No. 12 is \$2.865 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation. Such aggregate levy is higher than the aggregate of the tax levies of some municipal utility districts located in the greater Houston metropolitan area, but is within the range of the aggregate tax levies of municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area which are in stages of development comparable with the District. See "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Factors Affecting Taxable Values and Tax Payments" and -"Overlapping District Taxes and Functions."

# **Estimated Direct and Overlapping Debt Statement**

Other governmental entities whose boundaries overlap the District have outstanding bonds payable from ad valorem taxes. The following statement of direct and estimated overlapping ad valorem tax debt was developed from information contained in "Texas Municipal Reports," published by the Municipal Advisory Council of Texas, or other available information. Except for the amount relating to the District, the District has not independently verified the accuracy or completeness of such information, and no person is entitled to rely upon such information as being accurate or complete. Furthermore, certain of the entities listed below may have issued additional bonds since the dates stated in this table, and such entities may have programs requiring the issuance of substantial amounts of additional bonds, the amount of which cannot presently be determined. Political subdivisions overlapping the District are authorized by Texas law to levy and collect ad valorem taxes for operation, maintenance and/or general revenue purposes in addition to taxes for payment of their debt, and some are presently levying and collecting such taxes.

	Debt as of	Estimate	ed Overlapping
Taxing Jurisdiction	<b>September 2, 2020</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Fort Bend County	\$642,391,310	0.7863%	\$ 5,051,317
Fort Bend County Levee Improvement District No. 12	10,750,000	21.7199	2,334,885
Lamar Consolidated Independent	10,730,000	21.71))	2,334,003
School District	1,138,945,000	3.5774	40,744,228
Total Estimated Overlapping Debt			\$ 48,130,430
The District (the Bonds and the Outstanding Bonds)			72,250,000
Total Direct & Estimated Overlapping Debt			\$120,380,430
Debt Ratios			
			% of 2020
			Assessed Valuation
Direct Debt			11.99%

# TAX DATA

19.97%

#### **Debt Service Tax**

All taxable property located within the District is subject to the assessment, levy, and collection by the District of an annual ad valorem tax, without legal limitation as to rate or amount, levied upon all taxable property within the District, sufficient to pay principal of and interest on the Outstanding Bonds, the Bonds, and any future tax-supported bonds which may be issued from time to time as authorized. The Board covenants in the Bond Resolution to assess and levy, for each year that all or any part of the Bonds remain outstanding and unpaid, a tax ample and sufficient to produce funds to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds when due. The actual rate of such tax will be determined from year to year as a function of the District's tax base, its debt service requirements, and available funds. The District levied a debt service tax of \$0.68 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2019, and has levied the same debt service tax rate for 2020, as is described below under the caption "Tax Rate Distribution."

## **Tax Rate Limitation**

Debt Service: Unlimited (no legal limit as to rate or amount).

Maintenance: \$5.75 per \$100 Assessed Valuation.

#### Maintenance Tax

The Board of Directors of the District has the statutory authority to levy and collect an annual ad valorem tax for maintenance of the District's improvements if such maintenance tax is authorized by vote of the District's electors. On May 2, 1992, the Board was authorized by a vote of the District's electors to levy such maintenance tax in an amount not to exceed \$5.75 per \$100 of assessed valuation. Such tax, when levied, is in addition to taxes which the District is authorized to levy for paying principal of and interest on the Bonds, the Outstanding Bonds, and any tax bonds which may be issued in the future. The District levied a maintenance tax of \$0.23 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2019, and has levied the same maintenance tax for 2020, as is described below under the caption "Tax Rate Distribution."

# **Historical Values and Tax Collection History**

The following statement of tax collections sets forth, in condensed form, the historical Assessed Valuation and tax collections of the District. Such summary has been prepared for inclusion herein based upon information obtained from District records. Reference is made to such records, including the District's annual audited financial statements, for more complete information.

				% Colle	<u>ctions</u>
	Assessed	Tax	Adjusted	Current &	Year Ending
Tax Year	<b>Valuation</b>	Rate(a)	<u>Levy</u>	Prior Years (b)	9/30
2009	\$284,254,056	\$0.90	\$2,558,287	99.99%	2010
2010	283,860,916	0.90	2,554,748	99.98	2011
2011	308,825,902	0.90	2,779,433	99.99	2012
2012	333,273,972	0.91	3,032,793	99.99	2013
2013	351,609,758	0.91	3,199,649	99.99	2014
2014	373,973,414	0.91	3,403,158	99.99	2015
2015	437,076,814	0.91	3,977,399	99.97	2016
2016	470,466,496	0.91	4,281,245	99.95	2017
2017	501,481,145	0.91	4,563,478	99.93	2018
2018	538,926,742	0.91	4,904,260	99.79	2019
2019	564,767,105	0.91	5,139,381	99.62(c)	2020
2020	602,774,241(d)	0.91(e)	5,485,246(e)	(e)	2021

<sup>(</sup>a) Per \$100 of Assessed Valuation.

<sup>(</sup>b) Such percentages reflect cumulative total collections for each year from the time each respective annual tax was levied through August 31, 2020. The amount of tax collected for each levy on a current basis (by September 30 of the year following each respective annual levy) is not reflected in this statement.

<sup>(</sup>c) As of August 31, 2020. In process of collection.

<sup>(</sup>d) Such sum includes certain values which have not been certified by the Appraisal Review Board, including the value of certain properties which has been proposed by the Appraisal District but protested by the owners thereof to the Appraisal District. The Appraisal District has proposed the total of such protested values to be \$7,809,860. Since the District is unable to predict the amount of the District's final 2020 Assessed Valuation, 80% of such total protest value of \$7,809,860, or \$6,247,888, is included in the 2020 Assessed Valuation of \$602,774,241, enumerated in this Official Statement. Such final 2020 Assessed Valuation will not be determined until the valuation of all taxable property located within the District is certified by the Appraisal Review Board for 2020. See "TAXING PROCEDURES."

<sup>(</sup>e) The District has levied a debt service tax in the amount of \$0.68 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation plus a maintenance tax of \$0.23 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2020.

## **Tax Rate Distribution**

	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
Debt Service	\$0.68	\$0.68	\$0.68	\$0.68	\$0.68
Maintenance & Operations	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23
Total	\$0.91	\$0.91	\$0.91	\$0.91	\$0.91

# **Analysis of Tax Base**

The following table illustrates the composition of property located within the District for the past five years.

Type of Property	2020 Assessed <u>Valuation</u>	_ %	2019 Assessed <u>Valuation</u>	_%_	2018 Assessed <u>Valuation</u>	_ %
Land	\$190,073,969	31.53%	\$163,407,169	28.93%	\$154,664,030	28.70%
Improvements	379,774,253	63.00	369,276,697	65.39	357,312,650	66.30
Personal Property	36,902,180	6.12	40,945,900	7.25	37,768,577	7.01
Auto/Other	0	0	781,090	0.14	486,300	0.09
Agriculture	52,570	0.01	47,750	0.01	0	0.00
Uncertified	6,247,888	1.04	0	0	0	0.00
Less Exemptions	(10,276,619)	(1.70)	(9,691,501)	(1.72)	(11,304,815)	(2.10)
Total	\$602,774,241*	100.00%	\$564,767,105	100.00%	\$538,926,742	100.00%
Type of Property	2017 Assessed Valuation	%	2016 Assessed Valuation	_%_		
Type of Troperty	<u>valuation</u>		<u>v araation</u>			
Land	\$135,320,320	26.98%	\$123,194,190	26.19%		
Improvements	340,016,252	67.80	319,658,224	67.94		
Personal Property	36,993,959	7.38	36,694,380	7.80		
Auto/Other	416,940	0.08	332,790	0.07		
Less Exemptions	(11,266,326)	(2.25)	(9,413,088)	(2.00)		
Total	\$501,481,145	100.00%	\$470,466,496	100.00%		

<sup>\*</sup> Such sum includes certain values which have not been certified by the Appraisal Review Board, including the value of certain properties which has been proposed by the Appraisal District but protested by the owners thereof to the Appraisal District. The Appraisal District has proposed the total of such protested values to be \$7,809,860. Since the District is unable to predict the amount of the District's final 2020 Assessed Valuation, 80% of such total protest value of \$7,809,860, or \$6,247,888, is included in the 2020 Assessed Valuation of \$602,774,241, enumerated in this Official Statement. Such final 2020 Assessed Valuation will not be determined until the valuation of all taxable property located within the District is certified by the Appraisal Review Board for 2020. See "TAXING PROCEDURES."

# **Principal 2019 Taxpayers**

Based upon information supplied by the District's Tax Assessor/Collector, the following table lists principal District taxpayers, type of property owned by such taxpayers, and the assessed valuation of such property as of January 1, 2019. The information reflects the composition of property ownership reflected on the District's 2019 tax roll. See "DEVELOPERS AND PRINCIPAL LAND OWNERS."

<u>Taxpayer</u>	Type of Property	Assessed Valuation 2019 Tax Roll	% of 2019 Tax Roll
Shops at Bella Terra Owner LP (i)	Land and Improvements	\$ 47,315,598	8.38%
Wal-Mart Real Estate Business Trust	Land, Improvements and		
and Wal-Mart (ii)	Personal Property	17,475,840	3.09
BMSH I Katy TX LLC	Land, Improvements and		
•	Personal Property	17,451,200	3.09
Sam's Real Estate Business Trust #6867	Land, Improvements and		
and Sam's East Inc. (iii)	Personal Property	16,663,800	2.95
Westpark Springs, LLC	Land and Improvements	9,481,070	1.68
Bella Terra TRS Owner LLC (i)	Land and Improvements	8,422,300	1.49
Kohls Illinois, Inc.	Land, Improvements and		
	Personal Property	8,226,120	1.46
Health Care Reit Inc.	Land and Improvements	7,363,240	1.30
D-W North Tract LLC	Land	7,323,650	1.30
Store Capital Acquisitions LLC	Land and Improvements	6,867,690	1.22
	-	\$146,590,508	25.96%

<sup>(</sup>i) Related parties.

## **Tax Exemption**

The District has adopted a residential homestead exemption for persons 65 or older or disabled persons in the amount of \$20,000 of appraised value, and has not granted a general residential homestead exemption for 2019. See "TAXING PROCEDURES."

## **Additional Penalties**

The District has contracted with a delinquent tax attorney to collect certain delinquent taxes. In connection with that contract, the District can establish an additional penalty of twenty percent (20%) of the tax to defray the costs of collection. This 20% penalty applies to taxes that either: (1) become delinquent on or after February 1 of a year, but not later than May 1 of that year, and that remain delinquent on April 1 for personal property and July 1 for real property of the year in which they become delinquent or (2) become delinquent on or after June 1, pursuant to the Texas Tax Code.

<sup>(</sup>ii) Wal-Mart Real Estate Business Trust \$11,715,260; Wal-Mart \$5,760,580.

<sup>(</sup>iii) Sam's Real Estate Business Trust #6867 \$9,850,690; Sam's East Inc. \$6,813,110.

## **Tax Rate Calculations**

The tax rate calculations set forth below are presented to indicate the tax rates per \$100 of Assessed Valuation which would be required to meet certain debt service requirements if no growth in the District's tax base occurs beyond the 2020 Assessed Valuation. The calculations assume collection of 95% of taxes levied, no use of District funds on hand other than tax collections, and the sale of no bonds by the District except the Prior Bonds and the Bonds.

Average Annual Debt Service Requirements (2021-2050)	\$3,964,891
Tax Rate of \$0.70 on the 2020 Assessed Valuation (\$602,774,241) produces	\$4,008,449
Maximum Annual Debt Service Requirement (2039)	\$4,274,486
Tax Rate of \$0.75 on the 2020 Assessed Valuation (\$602,774,241) produces	\$4,294,766

The District levied a debt service tax in the amount of \$0.68 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2019, plus a maintenance tax of \$0.23 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation, and has levied the same tax rates for 2020. As the above table indicates, the 2020 debt service tax rate will not be sufficient to pay the average annual and the maximum annual debt service requirement on the Bonds and the Outstanding Bonds given taxable values in the District at the level of the 2020 Assessed Valuation, assuming the District will have a tax collection rate of 95%, no use of District funds on hand other than tax collections for such purpose, and the issuance of no additional bonds by the District other than the Bonds and the Prior Bonds. See "TAXING PROCEDURES" and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Factors Affecting Taxable Values and Tax Payments." However, as is illustrated above under the caption "Historical Values and Tax Collection History," the District had collected an average of 99.96% of its 2009 through 2018 tax levies as of August 31, 2020, and its 2019 tax levy was 99.62% collected as of such date. In addition, the District's Debt Service Fund balance was \$3,363,882 as of September 8, 2020. Although neither Texas law nor the Bond Resolution requires that any specific amount be retained in the Debt Service Fund at any time, the District has in the past applied earnings from the investment of monies held in the Debt Service Fund to meet the debt service requirements of the Prior Bonds (see "APPENDIX B - ANNUAL AUDIT REPORT"). Therefore, the District anticipates that it will be able to meet the debt service requirements on the Bonds and the Outstanding Bonds without increasing the tax rate for debt service above the debt service rate which the District has levied for 2020 - \$0.68 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation. However, the District can make no representation that the taxable property values in the District will increase in the future or will maintain a value sufficient to support the aforementioned tax rate or to justify continued payment of taxes by property owners. See "TAXING PROCEDURES" and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Factors Affecting Taxable Values and Tax Payments." In addition to the components of the System that the District has financed with the proceeds of the Prior Bonds and is financing with the proceeds of the Bonds, the District expects to finance the acquisition or construction of additional components of the System with the proceeds of bonds, if any, to be issued by the District in the future. See "THE BONDS - Issuance of Additional Debt" and - "Use and Distribution of Bond Proceeds," "FUTURE DEVELOPMENT," "THE SYSTEM," and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Future Debt."

## **Estimated Overlapping Taxes**

Property within the District is subject to taxation by several taxing authorities in addition to the District. Under Texas law, if ad valorem taxes levied by a taxing authority become delinquent, a lien is created upon the property which has been taxed. A tax lien on property in favor of the District is on a parity with tax liens of other taxing jurisdictions. In addition to the ad valorem taxes required to make debt service payments on bonded debt of the District and of such other jurisdictions (see "DISTRICT DEBT - Estimated Direct and Overlapping Debt Statement"), certain taxing jurisdictions are authorized by Texas law to assess, levy and collect ad valorem taxes for operation, maintenance, administrative and/or general revenue purposes.

Set forth below is an estimation of all taxes per \$100 of assessed valuation levied by such jurisdictions. No recognition is given to local assessments for civic association dues, emergency medical service contributions, fire department contributions or any other charges made by entities other than political subdivisions. The following chart includes the 2019 taxes per \$100 of assessed valuation levied by all such taxing jurisdictions which have not yet levied for 2020.

Taxing Jurisdiction	2019 Tax Rate Per \$100 of A.V.
Fort Bend County	\$0.460
Lamar Consolidated Independent School District	1.320
Fort Bend Levee Improvement District No. 12 (i)	0.075
Harris-Fort Bend Emergency Services District No. 100	0.100
The District (ii)	0.910
	\$2.865

<sup>(</sup>i) 2020 tax rate. Approximately 1,321.3 acres located within the District are also located within Fort Bend Levee Improvement District No. 12.

No prediction can be made of the tax rates that will be levied in future years by the respective taxing jurisdictions.

#### TAXING PROCEDURES

# **Authority to Levy Taxes**

The Board is authorized to levy an annual ad valorem tax, without legal limitation as to rate or amount, on all taxable property within the District in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds, the Outstanding Bonds and any additional bonds payable from taxes which the District may hereafter issue (see "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Future Debt") and to pay the expenses of assessing and collecting such taxes. The District agrees in the Bond Resolution to levy such a tax from year to year as described more fully above under "THE BONDS - Source of Payment." Under Texas law, the Board may also levy and collect annual ad valorem taxes for the operation and maintenance of the District and the System and for the payment of certain contractual obligations. See "TAX DATA - Maintenance Tax" and - "Tax Rate Distribution."

# Property Tax Code and County-wide Appraisal District

Title I of the Texas Tax Code (the "Property Tax Code") specifies the taxing procedures of all political subdivisions of the State of Texas, including the District. Provisions of the Property Tax Code are complex and are not fully summarized here.

The Property Tax Code requires, among other matters, county-wide appraisal and equalization of taxable property values and establishes in each county of the State of Texas an appraisal district with the responsibility for recording and appraising property for all taxing units within a county and an appraisal review board with the responsibility for reviewing and equalizing the values established by the appraisal district. The Fort Bend Central Appraisal District (the "Appraisal District") has the responsibility of appraising property for all taxing units within Fort Bend County, including the District. Such appraisal values will be subject to review and change by the Fort Bend County Appraisal Review Board (the "Appraisal Review Board").

The Property Tax Code provides that the governing body of a taxing unit located within an area declared to be a disaster area by the governor of the State of Texas may authorize reappraisal of all property damaged in the disaster at its market value immediately after the disaster. For reappraised property, the taxes are pro rated for the year in which the disaster

<sup>(</sup>ii) The District has levied a total tax rate of \$0.91 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2020, consisting of debt service and maintenance taxes of \$0.68 and \$0.23 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation, respectively.

occurred. The taxing unit assesses taxes prior to the date the disaster occurred based upon market value as of January 1 of that year. Beginning on the date of the disaster and for the remainder of the year, the taxing unit assesses taxes on the reappraised market value of the property.

# Property Subject to Taxation by the District

Except for certain exemptions provided by Texas law, all real property, tangible personal property held or used for the production of income, mobile homes and certain categories of intangible personal property with a tax situs in the District are subject to taxation by the District. Principal categories of exempt property include, but are not limited to: property owned by the State of Texas or its political subdivisions if the property is used for public purposes; property exempt from ad valorem taxation by federal law; certain household goods, family supplies and personal effects; certain goods, wares, and merchandise in transit; farm products owned by the producer; certain property of charitable organizations, youth development associations, religious organizations, and qualified schools; designated historical sites; and most individually-owned automobiles. In addition, the District may by its own action exempt residential homesteads of persons 65 years or older and certain disabled persons to the extent deemed advisable by the Board. The District may be required to offer such an exemption if a majority of voters approve it at an election. The District would be required to call such an election upon petition by twenty percent (20%) of the number of qualified voters who voted in the preceding election. The District is authorized by statute to disregard exemptions for the disabled and elderly if granting the exemption would impair the District's obligation to pay tax supported debt incurred prior to adoption of the exemption by the District. Furthermore, the District must grant exemptions to disabled veterans, or certain surviving dependents of disabled veterans, if requested, but only to the maximum extent of between \$5,000 and \$12,000 of taxable valuation depending on the disability rating of the veteran. A veteran who receives a disability rating of 100%, and, under certain circumstances, the surviving spouse of such veteran, is entitled to the exemption for the full amount of the residential homestead. A partially disabled veteran or certain surviving spouses of partially disabled veterans are entitled to an exemption from taxation of a percentage of the appraised value of their residence homestead in an amount equal to the partially disabled veteran's disability rating if the residence homestead was donated by a charitable organization. Also, the surviving spouse of a member of the armed forces who was killed in action is, subject to certain conditions, entitled to an exemption of the total appraised value of the surviving spouse's residence homestead, and subject to certain conditions, and subject to certain conditions, an exemption up to the same amount may be transferred to a subsequent residence homestead of the surviving spouse. The surviving spouse of a first responder who was killed or fatally injured in the line of duty is, subject to certain conditions, also entitled to an exemption of the total appraised value of the surviving spouse's residence homestead, and, subject to certain conditions, an exemption up to the same amount to be transferred to a subsequent residence homestead of the surviving spouse.

Residential Homestead Exemptions: The Property Tax Code authorizes the governing body of each political subdivision in the State of Texas to exempt up to twenty percent (20%) of the appraised market value of residential homesteads from ad valorem taxation. Where ad valorem taxes have previously been pledged for the payment of debt, the governing body of a political subdivision may continue to levy and collect taxes against the exempt value of the homesteads until the debt is discharged, if the cessation of the levy would impair the obligations of the contract by which the debt was created. The adoption of a homestead exemption may be considered each year, but must be adopted before July 1. The District has not granted a general residential homestead exemption for 2020. See "TAX DATA - Exemptions."

Freeport Goods Exemption: A "Freeport Exemption" applies to goods, wares, ores, and merchandise other than oil, gas, and petroleum products (defined as liquid and gaseous materials immediately derived from refining petroleum or natural gas), and to aircraft or repair parts used by a certified air carrier acquired in or imported into Texas which are destined to be forwarded outside of Texas and which are detained in Texas for assembling, storing, manufacturing, processing or fabricating for less than 175 days. Although certain taxing units may take official action to tax such property in transit and negate such exemption, the District does not have such an option. A "Goods-in-Transit" Exemption is applicable to the same categories of tangible personal property which are covered by the Freeport Exemption, if, for tax year 2011 and prior applicable years, such property is acquired in or imported into Texas for assembling, storing, manufacturing, processing, or fabricating purposes and is subsequently forwarded to another location inside or outside of Texas not later than 175 days after acquisition or importation, and the location where said property is detained during that period is not directly or indirectly owned or under the control of the property owner. For tax year 2012 and subsequent years, such Goods-in-Transit Exemption includes tangible personal

property acquired in or imported into Texas for storage purposes only if such property is stored under a contract of bailment by a public warehouse operator at one or more public warehouse facilities in Texas that are not in any way owned or controlled by the owner of such property for the account of the person who acquired or imported such property. A property owner who receives the Goods-in-Transit Exemption is not eligible to receive the Freeport Exemption for the same property. Local taxing units such as the District may, by official action and after public hearing, tax goods-in-transit personal property. A taxing unit must exercise its option to tax goods-in-transit property before January 1 of the first tax year in which it proposes to tax the property at the time and in the manner prescribed by applicable law. The District has taken official action to allow taxation of all such goods-in-transit personal for all prior and subsequent years.

## Tax Abatement

Fort Bend County or the City of Houston may designate all or part of the area within the District as a reinvestment zone. Thereafter, the City of Houston (after annexation of the land within the District), Fort Bend County, and the District, at the option and discretion of each entity, may enter into tax abatement agreements with owners of property within the zone. Prior to entering into a tax abatement agreement, each entity must adopt guidelines and criteria for establishing tax abatement, which each entity will follow in granting tax abatement to owners of property. The tax abatement agreements may exempt from ad valorem taxation by each of the applicable taxing jurisdictions, including the District, for a period of up to ten (10) years, all or any part of any increase in the assessed valuation of property covered by the agreement over its assessed valuation in the year in which the agreement is executed, on the condition that the property owner make specified improvements or repairs to the property in conformity with the terms of the tax abatement. Each taxing jurisdiction has discretion to determine the terms for its tax abatement agreements without regard to the terms approved by the other taxing jurisdictions.

# Valuation of Property for Taxation

Generally, property in the District must be appraised by the Appraisal District at market value as of January 1 of each year. Once an appraisal roll is prepared and finally approved by the Appraisal Review Boards, it is used by the District in establishing its tax rolls and tax rate. Assessments under the Property Tax Code are to be based on one hundred percent (100%) of market value, as such is defined in the Property Tax Code. In determining market value, either the replacement cost or the income or the market data method of valuation may be used, whichever is appropriate. Nevertheless, certain land may be appraised at less than market value under the Property Tax Code. Increases in the appraised value of residence homesteads are limited by the Texas Constitution to 10 percent annually regardless of the market value of the property.

The Property Tax Code permits land designated for agricultural use, open space or timberland to be appraised at its value based on the land's capacity to produce agricultural or timber products rather than at its market value. The Property Tax Code permits under certain circumstances that residential real property inventory held by a person in the trade or business be valued at the price all of such property would bring if sold as a unit to a purchaser who would continue the business. Provisions of the Property Tax Code are complex and are not fully summarized here. Landowners wishing to avail themselves of the agricultural use, open space or timberland designation or residential real property inventory designation must apply for the designation and the appraiser is required by the Property Tax Code to act on each claimant's right to the designation individually. A claimant may waive the special valuation as to taxation by some political subdivisions while claiming it for another. If a claimant receives the agricultural use designation and later loses it by changing the use of the property or selling it to an unqualified owner, the District can collect taxes based on the new use, including taxes for the previous three (3) years for agricultural use, open space land and timberland.

The Property Tax Code requires the Appraisal District to implement a plan for periodic reappraisal of property to update appraisal values. The plan must provide for appraisal of all real property in the Appraisal District at least once every three (3) years. It is not known what frequency of reappraisals will be utilized by the Appraisal District or whether reappraisals will be conducted on a zone or county-wide basis. The District, however, at its expense, has the right to obtain from the Appraisal District a current estimate of appraised values within the District or an estimate of any new property or improvements within the District. While such current estimate of appraised values may serve to indicate the rate and extent of growth of taxable values within the District, it cannot be used for establishing a tax rate within the District until such time as the Appraisal District chooses to formally include such values on its appraisal roll.

The Property Tax Code provides for a temporary exemption from ad valorem taxation of a portion of the appraised value of certain property that is at least 15% damaged by a disaster and located within an area declared to be a disaster area by the governor of the State of Texas. This temporary exemption is automatic if the disaster is declared prior to a taxing unit, such as the District, adopting its tax rate for the tax year. A taxing unit, such as the District, may authorize the exemption at its discretion if the disaster is declared after the taxing unit has adopted its tax rate for the tax year. The amount of the exemption is based on the percentage of damage and is prorated based on the date of the disaster. Upon receipt of an application submitted within the eligible timeframe by a person who qualifies for a temporary exemption under the Property Tax Code, the Appraisal District is required to complete a damage assessment and assign a damage assessment rating to determine the amount of the exemption. The temporary exemption amounts established in the Property Tax Code range from 15% for property less than 30% damaged to 100% for property that is a total loss. Any such temporary exemption granted for disaster-damaged property expires on January 1 of the first year in which the property is reappraised.

## **District and Taxpayer Remedies**

Under certain circumstances, taxpayers and taxing units (such as the District) may appeal the orders of the Appraisal Review Boards by filing a timely petition for review in State district court. In such event, the value of the property in question will be determined by the court, or by a jury, if requested by any party. Additionally, taxing units may bring suit against the Appraisal Districts to compel compliance with the Property Tax Code.

The Property Tax Code also establishes a procedure for notice to property owners of reappraisals reflecting increased property values, appraisals that are higher than renditions and appraisals of property not previously on an appraisal roll.

## **Levy and Collection of Taxes**

The District is responsible for the levy and collection of its taxes unless it elects to transfer such functions to another governmental entity. The rate of taxation is set by the Board of Directors, after the legally required notice has been given to owners of property within the District, based upon: a) the valuation of property within the District as of the preceding January 1, and b) the amount required to be raised for debt service, maintenance purposes, and authorized contractual obligations. Taxes are due October 1, or when billed, whichever comes later, and become delinquent if not paid before February 1 of the year following the year in which imposed. A delinquent tax incurs a penalty of six percent (6%) of the amount of the tax for the first calendar month it is delinquent, plus one percent (1%) for each additional month or portion of a month the tax remains unpaid prior to July 1 of the year in which it becomes delinquent. If the tax is not paid by July 1 of the year in which it becomes delinquent, the tax incurs a total penalty of twelve percent (12%) regardless of the number of months the tax has been delinquent and incurs an additional penalty for collection costs of an amount established by the District and a delinquent tax attorney. A delinquent tax on personal property incurs an additional penalty, in an amount established by the District and a delinquent tax attorney, 60 days after the date the taxes become delinquent. The delinquent tax accrues interest at a rate of one percent (1%) for each month or portion of a month it remains unpaid. The Property Tax Code makes provisions for the split payment of taxes, discounts for early payment and the postponement of the delinquency date of taxes under certain circumstances which, at the option of the District, which may be rejected by taxing units. The District's tax collector is required to enter into an installment payment agreement with any person who is delinquent on the payment of tax on a residence homestead for payment of tax, penalties and interest, if the person requests an installment agreement and has not entered into an installment agreement with the collector in the preceding 24 months. The installment agreement must provide for payments to be made in monthly installments and must extend for a period of at least 12 months and no more than 36 months. Additionally, the owner of a residential homestead property who is (i) sixty-five (65) years of age or older, (ii) disabled, or (iii) a disabled veteran, is entitled by law to pay current taxes on a residential homestead in installments without penalty or to defer the payment of taxes during the time of ownership. In the instance of tax deferral, a tax lien remains on the property and interest continue to accrue during the period of deferral.

Certain qualified taxpayers, including owners of residential homesteads, located within a natural disaster area and whose property has been damaged as a direct result of the disaster, are entitled to enter into a tax payment installment agreement with a taxing jurisdiction such as the District if the taxpayer pays at least one-fourth of the tax bill imposed on the property by the delinquency date. The remaining taxes may be paid without penalty or interest in three equal installments within six months of the delinquency date.

# Rollback of Operation and Maintenance Tax Rate

During the 86th Regular Legislative Session, Senate Bill 2 ("SB 2") was passed and signed by the Governor, with an effective date of January 1, 2020, and the provisions described herein are effective beginning with the 2020 tax year. See "SELECTED FINANCIAL INFORMATION" for a description of the District's current total tax rate. Debt service and contract tax rates cannot be reduced by a rollback election held within any of the districts described below.

SB 2 classifies districts differently based on the current operation and maintenance tax rate or on the percentage of build-out that the District has completed. Districts that have adopted an operation and maintenance tax rate for the current year that is 2.5 cents or less per \$100 of taxable value are classified as "Special Taxing Units." Districts that have financed, completed, and issued bonds to pay for all improvements and facilities necessary to serve at least 95% of the projected build-out of the district are classified as "Developed Districts." Districts that do not meet either of the classifications previously discussed can be classified herein as "Developing Districts." The impact each classification has on the ability of a district to increase its maintenance and operations tax rate pursuant to SB 2 is described for each classification below.

# Special Taxing Units

Special Taxing Units that adopt a total tax rate that would impose more than 1.08 times the amount of the total tax imposed by such district in the preceding tax year on a residence homestead appraised at the average appraised value of a residence homestead, subject to certain homestead exemptions, are required to hold an election within the district to determine whether to approve the adopted total tax rate. If the adopted total tax rate is not approved at the election, the total tax rate for a Special Taxing Unit is the current year's debt service and contract tax rate plus 1.08 times the previous year's operation and maintenance tax rate.

## **Developed Districts**

Developed Districts that adopt a total tax rate that would impose more than 1.035 times the amount of the total tax imposed by the district in the preceding tax year on a residence homestead appraised at the average appraised value of a residence homestead, subject to certain homestead exemptions for the preceding tax year, plus any unused increment rates, as calculated and described in Section 26.013 of the Tax Code, are required to hold an election within the district to determine whether to approve the adopted total tax rate. If the adopted total tax rate is not approved at the election, the total tax rate for a Developed District is the current year's debt service and contract tax rate plus 1.035 times the previous year's operation and maintenance tax rate plus any unused increment rates. In addition, if any part of a Developed District lies within an area declared for disaster by the Governor of Texas or President of the United States, alternative procedures and rate limitations may apply for a temporary period. If a district qualifies as both a Special Taxing Unit and a Developed District, the district will be subject to the operation and maintenance tax threshold applicable to Special Taxing Units.

## **Developing Districts**

Districts that do not meet the classification of a Special Taxing Unit or a Developed District can be classified as Developing Districts. The qualified voters of these districts, upon the Developing District's adoption of a total tax rate that would impose more than 1.08 times the amount of the total tax rate imposed by such district in the preceding tax year on a residence homestead appraised at the average appraised value of a residence homestead, subject to certain homestead exemptions, are authorized to petition for an election to reduce the operation and maintenance tax rate. If an election is called and passes, the total tax rate for Developing Districts is the current year's debt service and contract tax rate plus 1.08 times the previous year's operation and maintenance tax rate.

## The District

A determination as to a district's status as a Special Taxing Unit, Developed District or Developing District will be made by the Board of Directors on an annual basis, beginning with the 2020 tax rate. The District cannot give any assurances as to what its classification will be at any point in time or whether the District's future tax rates will result in a total tax rate that will reclassify the District into a new classification and new election calculation. For the 2020 tax rate year, a determination has been made by the District's Board of Directors that the District is a Developing District.

## **Additional Penalties**

The District has contracted with a delinquent tax attorney to collect certain delinquent taxes. In connection with that contract, the District can establish an additional penalty of twenty percent (20%) of the tax to defray the costs of collection. This 20% penalty applies to taxes that either: (1) become delinquent on or after February 1 of a year, but not later than May 1 of that year, and that remain delinquent on April 1 (for personal property) and July 1 (for real property) of the year in which they become delinquent or (2) become delinquent on or after June 1, pursuant to the Texas Tax Code.

## District's Rights in the Event of Tax Delinquencies

Taxes levied by the District are a personal obligation of the owner of the property as of January 1 of the year for which the tax is imposed. On January 1 of each year, a tax lien attaches to property to secure the payment of all taxes, penalties and interest ultimately imposed for the year on the property. The lien exists in favor of each local taxing unit, including the District, having the power to tax the property. The District's tax lien is on a parity with the tax liens of other such taxing units (see "TAX DATA - Estimated Overlapping Taxes"). A tax lien on real property takes priority over the claims of most creditors and other holders of liens on the property encumbered by the tax lien, whether or not the debt or lien existed before the attachment of the tax lien; however, whether a lien of the United States is on a parity with or takes priority over a tax lien of the District is determined by applicable federal law. Personal property, under certain circumstances, is subject to seizure and sale for the payment of delinquent taxes, penalty and interest.

At any time after taxes on property become delinquent, the District may file suit to foreclose the lien securing payment of the tax, to enforce personal liability for the tax, or both. In filing a suit to foreclose a tax lien on real property, the District must join other taxing units that have claims for delinquent taxes against all or part of the same property. Collection of delinquent taxes may be adversely affected by the amount of taxes owed to other taxing units, by the effects of market conditions on the foreclosure sale price, by taxpayer redemption rights (a taxpayer may redeem property within six (6) months for commercial property and two (2) years for residential and all other types of property after the purchaser's deed issued at the foreclosure sale is filed in the county records) or by bankruptcy proceedings which restrict the collection of taxpayer debts. See "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS -Tax Collection Limitations."

## THE SYSTEM

# Regulation

According to the District's Engineer, the District's water supply and distribution, wastewater collection and treatment, and storm drainage facilities (collectively, the "System") have been designed in accordance with accepted engineering practices and the requirements of various agencies having regulatory or supervisory jurisdiction over the construction and operation of such facilities. The construction and operation of the System must be accomplished in accordance with the standards and specifications of such entities and are subject to inspection by each such entity. The TCEQ exercises continuing supervisory authority over the District. Discharge of treated sewage is subject to the regulatory authority of the TCEQ. Construction of drainage facilities is subject to the regulatory authority of the Fort Bend Drainage District, and, in some instances, FBLID No. 12, the TCEQ, and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. Fort Bend County and the City of Houston also exercise regulatory jurisdiction over the District's System. The total number of equivalent single-family connections ("ESFCs") currently served by the District is 1,469 and the total number estimated at this time for the District upon the full development of its approximate 1,463.44 acres is 7,128 with a total estimated population of 15,000 people. The following descriptions are based upon information supplied by the District's Engineer.

## **Description**

The District financed its portion of the cost of the acquisition or construction of the components of the System that serve Westpark Lakes, Section 1, Parkway Lakes, Sections 1 through 3, Lost Creek, Sections 1 through 5, Meadows of Parkway Lakes, Grand Meadows, Sections 1 through 4, Shops at Bella Terra, Phases 2 through 5, Bellaire Boulevard, Bellaire Crossing at Parkway Lakes, Grand Lakes Crossing, the Stripes Tract, Southeast Corner, District West at Parkway Lakes, trunk facilities located in the right-of-way of Bellaire Boulevard, and certain other facilities, including storm drainage/detention pond facilities, water supply and interim wastewater treatment facilities, with portions of the proceeds of the System that the District has financed with the proceeds

of the Prior Bonds and is financing with the proceeds of the Bonds, the District expects to finance the acquisition or construction of additional components of the System with the proceeds of bonds, if any, to be issued by the District in the future. See "THE BONDS - Issuance of Additional Debt," "FUTURE DEVELOPMENT" and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Future Debt."

# **Water Supply**

The District is served by a water well and water plant, which consists of a 1,500 gallons-per-minute ("g.p.m.") water well and pump, a 500,000 gallon ground storage tank, one 25,000 gallon and one 15,000 gallon hydropneumatic tank, booster pumps totaling 5,500 g.p.m., a control building, chlorination facilities, an auxiliary power unit, and related appurtenances. Construction of Water Plant No. 2, which includes two 318,000 gallon ground storage tanks, two 30,000 gallon hydropneumatic tanks, booster pumps totaling 2,500 g.p.m., a control building, chlorination facilities, an auxiliary power unit, and all related appurtenances, is underway, with completion expected in the fall of 2020. The District has emergency water interconnections with Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 122 and Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 133. The interconnections are normally closed and are used for emergency purposes only. The District also receives surface water, which is provided by North Fort Bend Water Authority ("NFBWA"). See "Fort Bend Subsidence District/North Fort Bend Water Authority" below. According to the District's Engineer, the aforementioned water supply facilities contain adequate capacity to provide service to 2,500 ESFCs located in the District. Upon completion of Water Plant No. 2, such facilities will contain adequate capacity to provide service to an additional 2,488 ESFCs located in the District.

#### **Wastewater Treatment**

The District is currently served by a 700,000 gallons-per-day ("g.p.d.") interim wastewater treatment plant. According to the District's Engineer, the facility contains adequate capacity to provide service to 3,111 ESFCs located in the District, based upon flow of 225 g.p.d./ESFC. Portions of the proceeds of the sale of the Prior Bonds were used to finance the engineering design and a portion (totaling approximately 35%) of the cost of construction of the 1,500,000 g.p.d. permanent wastewater treatment plant. A portion of the cost of construction of a 1,500,000 g.p.d. permanent wastewater treatment plant is being financed with a portion of the proceeds of the sale of the Bonds. See "DEVELOPMENT OF THE DISTRICT." Construction is underway for the 1,500,000 g.p.d. permanent wastewater treatment plant that will add approximately 3,555 ESFCs to the District, with completion expected in approximately the first quarter of 2021.

# **Outfall Drainage Channel**

Storm water from within the District generally drains through underground lines to detention ponds, and outfalls to Long Point Slough which has been constructed by FBLID No. 12. The District financed its portion of the cost of construction of detention pond facilities with portions of the proceeds of the sale of the Outstanding Bonds.

## Flood Protection and Drainage Facilities

Approximately 4,045 acres of land, including approximately 1,321.3 acres that are located within the District, lie within the boundaries of FBLID No. 12. In accordance with Chapter 57 of the Texas Water Code, FBLID No. 12 adopted a Plan of Reclamation which is the overall plan for reclaiming and draining the land within FBLID No. 12. The Plan of Reclamation was approved by the Texas Water Commission (now the TCEQ) by order dated January 7, 1986. Under the provisions of Chapter 57 of the Texas Water Code, FBLID No. 12 may only construct drainage facilities and improvements that are included in the approved Plan of Reclamation. In connection with the Plan of Reclamation, a predecessor of the TCEQ issued a permit allowing for the construction of approximately 58,100 feet of channel improvements on Clodine Ditch and Long Point Slough, replacement of an existing Southern Pacific Railroad bridge, modifications to an existing bridge on F.M. 1093, assorted culverts, and the adjustment of a number of pipelines to accommodate the ultimate outfall drainage needs of the District. Completion of all of the ultimate drainage facilities authorized under the Plan of Reclamation was planned to eliminate the overbank 100-year flood plain from the District.

Construction of improvements, including construction of the downstream 43,500 feet of channel, along with all pipeline adjustments, culverts, and bridge work, has been completed. In addition, a channel was constructed for the remaining 14,600 feet upstream. The improvements removed all of FBLID No. 12, including the entirety of the land located within the District, except for that area that is part of Clodine Ditch and Long Point Slough, from the 100-year flood plain, as evidenced by the Flood Insurance Rate Map dated January 2, 1997, and updated April 2, 2014.

FBLID No. 12 financed all of the facilities proposed to be constructed pursuant to the approved Plan of Reclamation with the proceeds of the sale of the FBLID No. 12 Series 1986 Bonds.

## 100-Year Flood Plain

As is stated above, according to the Engineer, the entirety of the developable land located within FBLID No. 12, including the entirety of the developable area of the District, has been removed from the 100-year flood plain designation on the most recent Federal Emergency Management Agency ("FEMA") Flood Insurance Rate Map ("FIRM") dated April 2, 2014, as a consequence of the construction of flood plain reclamation and outfall drainage improvements financed by FBLID No. 12 with the proceeds of the sale of the FBLID No. 12 Series 1986 Bonds. The improvements allow for full development of property as long as FBLID No. 12's storm water detention requirements are satisfied. Any project constructed within FBLID No. 12 is required to provide storm water detention to a minimum specification of 0.6 acre-feet per acre. The entirety of the land located within FBLID No. 12, including the entirety of the District, is located outside the 100-year flood plain of the Clodine Ditch and Long Point Slough channels.

FEMA has completed a study to reevaluate the "base flood elevation" (commonly referred to as the 100-year flood plain elevation) in Fort Bend County. Based on the results of this study, FEMA and Fort Bend County revised the FIRM panels for the entire County and, based on the new flood plain map (dated April 2, 2014), the District remains outside the 100-year flood plain except for the area that is within the Clodine Ditch and Long Point Slough.

"Flood Insurance Rate Map" or "FIRM" means an official map of a community on which the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has delineated the appropriate areas of flood hazards. The 1% chance of probable inundation, also known as the 100-year flood plain, is depicted on these maps. The "100 year flood plain" (or 1% chance of probable inundation) as shown on the FIRM is the estimated geographical area that would be flooded by a rain storm of such intensity to statistically have a one percent chance of occurring in any given year. Generally speaking, homes must be built above the 100 year flood plain in order to meet local regulatory requirements and to be eligible for federal flood insurance. An engineering or regulatory determination that an area is above the 100 year flood plain is not an assurance that homes built in such area will not be flooded, and a number of neighborhoods in the greater Houston area that are above the 100-year flood plain have flooded multiple times in the last several years. If substantial or frequent flooding of homes were to occur in FBLID No. 12, including the area of the District, the marketing of homes and the future growth of property values in FBLID No. 12 and the District could be adversely affected. See "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Tropical Weather Events."

The National Weather Service recently completed a rainfall study known as NOAA Atlas 14, Volume 11 Precipitation-Frequency Atlas of the United States ("Atlas 14"). Floodplain boundaries within the Service Area may be redrawn based on the Atlas 14 study based on a higher statistical rainfall amount, resulting in the application of more stringent floodplain regulations applying to a larger area and potentially leaving less developable property within the Service Area. The application of such regulations could additionally result in higher insurance rates, increased development fees, and stricter building codes for any property located within the expanded boundaries of the floodplain.

# Fort Bend Subsidence District/North Fort Bend Water Authority

The District is within the boundaries of the Fort Bend Subsidence District (the "Subsidence District"), which regulates groundwater withdrawal. The District's authority to pump groundwater is subject to an annual permit issued by the Subsidence District. The Subsidence District has adopted regulations requiring reduction of groundwater withdrawals through conversion to alternate source water (e.g., surface water) in certain areas within the Subsidence District's jurisdiction, including the area within the District. In 2005, the Texas legislature created the North Fort Bend Water

Authority (the "Authority") to, among other things, reduce groundwater usage in, and to provide surface water to, the northern portion of Fort Bend County (including the District) and a small portion of Harris County. The Authority has entered into a Water Supply Contract with the City of Houston, Texas ("Houston") to obtain treated surface water from Houston. The Authority has developed a groundwater reduction plan ("GRP") and obtained Subsidence District approval of its GRP. The Authority's GRP sets forth the Authority's plan to comply with Subsidence District regulations, construct surface water facilities, and convert users from groundwater to alternate source water (e.g., surface water). The District is included within the Authority's GRP. Pursuant to its GRP, the Authority is delivering surface water to the District.

The Authority, among other powers, has the power to: (i) issue debt supported by the revenues pledged for the payment of its obligations; (ii) establish fees (including fees imposed on the District for groundwater pumped by the District), user fees, rates, charges, and special assessments as necessary to accomplish its purposes; and (iii) mandate water users, including the District, to convert from groundwater to surface water. The Authority currently charges the District, and other major groundwater users, substantial fees per 1,000 gallons based on the amount of groundwater pumped by the District, and the amount of surface water received from the Authority. The Authority has issued revenue bonds to fund, among other things, Authority surface water project costs. It is expected that the Authority will continue to issue a substantial amount of bonds at least through the year 2025 to finance the Authority's project costs, and it is expected that the fees charged by the Authority will increase substantially over such period.

Under the Subsidence District regulations and the GRP, the Authority is required to: (i) have limited groundwater withdrawals to no more than 70% of the total water demand of the water users within the Authority's GRP, beginning in the year 2014; and (ii) limit groundwater withdrawals to no more than 40% of the total water demand of the water users within the Authority's GRP, beginning in the year 2025. If the Authority fails to comply with the above Subsidence District regulations, the Authority is subject to a substantial disincentive fee penalty, currently \$6.50 per 1,000 gallons ("Disincentive Fees"), imposed by the Subsidence District for any groundwater withdrawn not in compliance with the limits set forth above. In the event of such Authority failure to comply, the Subsidence District may also seek to collect Disincentive Fees from the District. If the District failed to comply with surface water conversion requirements mandated by the Authority, the Authority would likely seek monetary or other penalties against the District.

The District cannot predict the amount or level of fees and charges, which may be due the Authority in the future, but anticipates the need to pass such fees through to its customers: (i) through higher water rates and/or (ii) with portions of maintenance tax proceeds, if any. No representation is made that the Authority: (i) will build the necessary facilities to meet the requirements of the Subsidence District for conversion to surface water, (ii) will comply with the Subsidence District's surface water conversion requirements, or (iii) will comply with its GRP.

## INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS

#### General

The Bonds, which are obligations of the District and not of the State of Texas, Fort Bend County, Texas, the City of Houston, Texas, or any political subdivision other than the District, will be secured by an annual ad valorem tax, without legal limitation as to rate or amount, levied against all taxable property located within the District. Therefore, the ultimate security for payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds depends upon the ability of the District to collect from the property owners within the District taxes levied against all taxable property located within the District, or, in the event taxes are not collected and foreclosure proceedings are instituted by the District, upon the value of the taxable property with respect to taxes levied by the District and by other taxing authorities. The District makes no representations that over the life of the Bonds the property within the District will maintain a value sufficient to justify continued payment of taxes by the property owners. The potential increase in taxable valuation of District property is directly related to the economics of the residential housing industry, not only due to general economic conditions, but also due to the particular factors discussed below.

## **Factors Affecting Taxable Values and Tax Payments**

Economic Factors: A substantial proportion of the assessed valuation of the property located within the District is attributable to the current market value of (i) single-family residences that have been constructed within the District, and (ii) commercial buildings that have been constructed within the District. The market value of such residences is related to general economic conditions affecting the demand for residences. Demand for residences of this type and the construction of commercial buildings can be significantly affected by factors such as interest rates, credit availability, construction costs, energy costs and availability and the prosperity and demographic characteristics of the urban center toward which the marketing of homes and commercial enterprises is directed. Further declines in the price of oil could adversely affect job stability, wages and salaries, thereby negatively affecting the demand for housing and the values of existing homes. Recent changes in federal tax law limiting deductions for ad valorem taxes may adversely affect the demand for housing and the prices thereof. Further declines in the price of oil could adversely affect job stability, wages, and salaries, thereby negatively affecting the demand for housing and the values of existing homes (see "Potential Effects of Oil Price Declines on the Houston Area" below). Were the District to experience a significant number of residential foreclosures, the value of all homes within the District could be adversely affected. Decreased levels of home construction activity would restrict the growth of property values in the District. Although, as described in this Official Statement under the captions "DEVELOPMENT OF THE DISTRICT," and "DEVELOPERS AND PRINCIPAL LAND OWNERS," (i) the development of an aggregate of 1,471 single-family residential lots located within the District is complete, and 126 single-family residential lots are currently under development within the District; (ii) as of September 1, 2020, the District contained 1,469 single-family homes, all of which have been sold to homeowners; and (iii) the development of a total of approximately 142.67 acres of land located within the District that is expected to be utilized for commercial purposes has been completed on approximately 139.02 acres of which commercial improvements totaling approximately 1,360,360 square feet of building area have been constructed, and approximately 16,700 square feet of building area is currently under construction within the District, the District cannot predict the pace or magnitude of any future land development, home construction, or the construction of future commercial buildings in the District other than that which has occurred to date, and the District cannot predict the level of occupancy of the homes or commercial buildings that have been or may be constructed within the District.

**District Bankruptcy:** In the mid to late 1980's, the Houston metropolitan area, including the vicinity of the District, experienced increases in unemployment, business failures, and unleased office space. Articles in the media reported an oversupply of homes for sale and numerous foreclosures in the Houston suburbs. These factors adversely affected the demand for new and used suburban residences. The general oversupply of homes, in turn, adversely impacted prices for homes and lots and, consequently, property values in the Houston metropolitan area declined. **THE DISTRICT DEFAULTED ON ITS SERIES 1987 BONDS, FILED BANKRUPTCY, AND ADJUSTED ITS DEBT.** Home construction and development were recommenced in 1999. See "DISTRICT BANKRUPTCY" and "DEVELOPMENT OF THE DISTRICT."

National Economy: There has been a downturn in new housing construction in the United States, resulting in a decline in national housing market values. Although, as described in this Official Statement under the captions "DEVELOPMENT OF THE DISTRICT," and "DEVELOPERS AND PRINCIPAL LAND OWNERS," (i) the development of an aggregate of 1,471 single-family residential lots located within the District is complete, and 126 single-family residential lots are currently under development within the District; (ii) as of September 1, 2020, the District contained 1,469 single-family homes, all of which have been sold to homeowners; and (iii) the development of a total of approximately 142.67 acres of land located within the District that is expected to be utilized for commercial purposes has been completed on approximately 139.02 acres of which commercial improvements totaling approximately 1,360,360 square feet of building area have been constructed, and approximately 16,700 square feet of building area is currently under construction within the District, the District cannot predict the pace or magnitude of any future land development, home construction, or the construction of future commercial buildings in the District other than that which has occurred to date, and the District cannot predict the level of occupancy of the homes or commercial buildings that have been or may be constructed within

the District. The District cannot predict what impact, if any, a downturn in the local housing market and a continued downturn in the national housing and financial markets may have on the Houston market generally and the District specifically.

Credit Markets and Liquidity in the Financial Markets: Interest rates and the availability of mortgage and development funding have a direct impact on development and homebuilding activity and the construction of commercial buildings, particularly short-term interest rates at which developers are able to obtain financing for development costs and at which homebuilders are able to finance the construction of new homes for sale and at which the construction of commercial buildings might be undertaken. Interest rate levels may affect the ability of a developer with undeveloped property to undertake and complete development activities within the District, of homebuilders to initiate the construction of new homes for sale, or the construction of future commercial buildings. Because of the numerous and changing factors affecting the availability of funds, particularly liquidity in the national credit markets, the District is unable to assess the future availability of such funds for continued development and/or home construction or construction of future commercial buildings within the District. In addition, since the District is located approximately 24 miles from the central downtown business district of the City of Houston, the success of development within the District and growth of District taxable property values are, to a great extent, a function of the Houston metropolitan and regional economies and national credit and financial markets. A downturn in the economic conditions of Houston and further decline in real estate and financial markets in the United States could adversely affect development and homebuilding plans or construction of future commercial buildings in the District and restrain the growth of the District's property tax base.

**Principal Land Owners' Obligations to the District**: The ability of any principal land owner to make full and timely payments of taxes levied against its property by the District and similar taxing authorities will directly affect the District's ability to meet its debt service obligations. The District's largest taxpayer in 2019, as reflected on the District's 2019 tax roll, is Shops at Bella Terra Owner LP ("Bella Terra"). The 2019 Assessed Valuation of the property owned by Bella Terra comprised approximately 8.38% of the District's total 2019 taxable Assessed Valuation. Bella Terra TRS Owner LLC, a related entity of Bella Terra, owns property that comprised 1.49% of the tax roll, thus the total share of the tax roll owned by Bella Terra related entities comprised 9.87% of the 2019 tax roll. The 2019 Assessed Valuation of the property owned by BMSH I Katy TX LLC comprised approximately 3.09% of the District's total 2019 taxable Assessed Valuation, the 2019 Assessed Valuation of the property owned by Wal-Mart Real Estate Business Trust and Wal-Mart comprised approximately 3.09% of the District's total 2019 taxable Assessed Valuation, and the 2019 Assessed Valuation of the property owned by Sam's Real Estate Business Trust #6867 and Sam's East Inc. comprised approximately 2.95% of the District's total 2019 taxable assessed valuation. Each of such taxpayers described in the preceding sentence is a large-scale retail store. Should any one or more of such taxpayers or any other major similar taxpayer vacate its respective business, such building could be difficult to re-lease or repurpose, and there could be a resulting decrease in the assessed value thereof. See "TAX DATA - Principal 2019 Taxpayers." No other party owns property the 2019 Assessed Valuation of which exceeded 1.68% of the District's total 2019 Assessed Valuation. The ten largest taxpayers in 2019 own property that in the aggregate comprised approximately 25.96% of the District's 2019 taxable Assessed Valuation. There is no commitment by or legal requirement of the Developers or any other party to the District to proceed at any particular rate or according to any specified plan with the development of land in the District, or of any home building company to proceed at any particular pace with the construction of homes in the future within the District, or of any party to construct additional commercial buildings within the District, and there is no restriction on any landowner's right to sell its land. Therefore, the District can make no representation about the probability of future development, if any, or the rate of home construction activity or that future commercial buildings will be constructed in the District. See "FUTURE DEVELOPMENT," "TAX DATA - Analysis of Tax Base," - "Tax Exemption," and "TAXING PROCEDURES - Valuation of Property for Taxation."

Maximum Impact on District Tax Rates: Assuming no further development, the value of the land and improvements currently within the District will be the major determinant of the ability or willingness of District property owners to pay their taxes. After issuance of the Bonds, the maximum annual debt service requirement on the Bonds and the Outstanding Bonds will be \$4,274,486 (2039) and the average annual debt service requirements will be \$3,964,891 (2021 through 2050, inclusive). The 2020 Assessed Valuation of property located within the District supplied by the Appraisal District is \$602,774,241. Assuming no increase to nor decrease from the 2020 Assessed Valuation, no use of funds on hand, and the issuance of no additional bonds by the District, tax rates of \$0.75 and \$0.70 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation at a 95% tax collection rate would be necessary to pay the Maximum Annual Debt Service Requirement and the Average Annual Debt Service Requirements, respectively, on the Bonds and the Outstanding Bonds. See "TAX DATA - Tax Rate Calculations." The District has levied a total tax rate of \$0.91 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2020, consisting of debt service and maintenance taxes of \$0.68 and \$0.23 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation, respectively, and has levied the same tax rates for 2020. Therefore, the 2020 debt service tax rate will not be sufficient to pay the average annual and the maximum annual debt service requirement on the Bonds and the Outstanding Bonds given taxable values in the District at the level of the 2020 Assessed Valuation, assuming the District will have a tax collection rate of 95%, no use of District funds on hand other than tax collections for such purpose, and the issuance of no additional bonds by the District. See "TAXING PROCEDURES." However, as is illustrated in "TAX DATA - Historical Values and Tax Collection History," the District had collected an average of 99.96% of its 2009 through 2018 tax levies as of August 31, 2020, and its 2019 tax levy was 99.62% collected as of such date. In addition, the District's Debt Service Fund balance was \$3,363,882 as of September 8, 2020. Although neither Texas law nor the Bond Resolution requires that any specific amount be retained in the Debt Service Fund at any time, the District has in the past applied earnings from the investment of monies held in the Debt Service Fund to meet the debt service requirements of the Prior Bonds (see "APPENDIX B - ANNUAL AUDIT REPORT"). Therefore, the District anticipates that it will be able to meet the debt service requirements on the Bonds and the Outstanding Bonds without increasing the tax rate for debt service above the debt service rate which the District has levied for 2020 - \$0.68 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation. However, the District can make no representation that the taxable property values in the District will increase in the future or will maintain a value sufficient to support the aforementioned tax rate or to justify continued payment of taxes by property owners. In addition to the components of the System that the District has financed with the proceeds of the Prior Bonds and is financing with the proceeds of the Bonds, the District expects to finance the acquisition or construction of additional components of the System with the proceeds of bonds, if any, to be issued by the District in the future. See "THE BONDS - Issuance of Additional Debt" and - "Use and Distribution of Bond Proceeds," "FUTURE DEVELOPMENT," "THE SYSTEM" and "INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS - Future Debt."

FBLID No. 12 has levied a total tax of \$0.075 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2020. Thus, the combined tax levies of the District and FBLID No. 12 are \$0.985 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2020. Such combined levy is higher than the tax rates levied by some municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area, but is within the range of tax rates being levied by municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area which are in stages of development comparable with the District. As is described in this Official Statement under the caption "TAX DATA - Estimated Overlapping Taxes," the aggregate of the 2019 tax levies of all units of government which levy taxes against the property located within the District which have not yet levied for 2020, plus the 2020 tax of the District and FBLID No. 12 is \$2.865 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation. Such aggregate levy is higher than the aggregate of the tax levies of some municipal utility districts located in the greater Houston metropolitan area, but is within the range of the aggregate tax levies of municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area which are in stages of development comparable with the District. To the extent that such composite tax rates are not competitive with competing developments, the growth of property tax values in the District and the investment quality or security of the Bonds could be adversely affected.

Increases in the District's tax rate to substantially higher levels than the total rate of \$0.91 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation that the District has levied for 2020 may have an adverse impact upon future development of the District, the construction of homes within the District, and the ability of the District to collect, and the willingness of owners of property located within the District to pay, ad valorem taxes levied by the District. In addition, the collection by the District of delinquent

taxes owed to it and the enforcement by a Registered Owner of the District's obligations to collect sufficient taxes may be a costly and lengthy process. See "THE BONDS - Registered Owners' Remedies," "TAX DATA - Estimated Overlapping Taxes" and "TAXING PROCEDURES."

One must consider the total tax burden of all overlapping jurisdictions imposed upon property located within the District as contrasted with property located in comparable real estate developments to gauge the relative tax burden on property within the District. The tax rate necessary to service the debt issued or to be issued by the District and FBLID No. 12, and the tax rates levied by other overlapping jurisdictions, are subject to numerous uncertainties and variables, and thus the District can give no assurance that the composite tax rates imposed by overlapping jurisdictions, plus the District's tax rate, will be competitive with the tax rates of competing projects. See "THE BONDS - Registered Owners' Remedies," "TAX DATA - Estimated Overlapping Taxes," "TAXING PROCEDURES" and - "Overlapping District Taxes and Functions" below.

# **Overlapping District Taxes and Functions**

FBLID No. 12 currently provides flood protection and major outfall drainage for approximately 4,045 acres of land, including approximately 1,321.3 acres that are located within the District. FBLID No. 12 issued Unlimited Tax Levee Improvement Bonds, Series 1986 (the "FBLID No. 12 Series 1986 Bonds") to finance the facilities which have been constructed to accomplish flood protection and accommodate storm water drainage within FBLID No. 12, including the approximately 1,321.3 acres of land located within the District. FBLID No. 12 defaulted on the FBLID No. 12 Series 1986 Bonds, filed bankruptcy and adjusted its debt. Home construction and development were recommenced in 1999. Pursuant to such bankruptcy, the FBLID No. 12 Series 1986 Bonds were amended by FBLID No. 12 (the "FBLID No. 12 Amended Bonds"). FBLID No. 12 issued its \$16,315,000 Unlimited Tax Levee Improvement Refunding Bonds, Series 2005 to refund all of the FBLID No. 12 Amended Bonds and to restructure its indebtedness, and Unlimited Tax Levee Improvement Refunding Bonds, Series 2012, and Unlimited Tax Levee Improvement Refunding Bonds, Series 2013 to refund portions of the FBLID No. 12 Series 2005 Refunding Bonds. In addition, FBLID No. 12 has issued Unlimited Tax Levee Improvement Refunding Bonds, Series 2019 to refund portions of the FBLID No. 12 Series 2012 Refunding Bonds, and Unlimited Tax Levee Improvement Refunding Bonds, Series 2020 to refund portions of the FBLID No. 12 Series 2012 and Series 2013 Refunding Bonds. FBLID No. 12 has \$10,750,000 bonds currently outstanding. FBLID No. 12 levies a tax on property located within FBLID No. 12, including the District, which tax is in addition to the tax levied by the District. FBLID No. 12's 2020 Assessed Valuation is \$2,538,292,339. FBLID No. 12 levied a tax of \$0.08 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2019, \$0.045 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation of which tax is a debt service tax and \$0.035 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation of which tax is a maintenance tax, and has levied a tax of \$0.075 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2020, \$0.04 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation of which tax is a debt service tax and \$0.035 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation of which tax is a maintenance tax. The District levied a debt service tax in the amount of \$0.68 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2019, plus a maintenance tax of \$0.23 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation, and has levied the same tax rates for 2020. Thus, the combined tax levies of the District and FBLID No. 12 are \$0.985 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation for 2020. Such combined levy is higher than the tax rates levied by some municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area, but is within the range of tax rates being levied by municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area which are in stages of development comparable with the District. As is described in this Official Statement under the caption "TAX DATA - Estimated Overlapping Taxes," the aggregate of the 2019 tax levies of all units of government which levy taxes against the property located within the District which have not yet levied for 2020, plus the 2020 tax rate of the District and FBLID No. 12 is \$2.865 per \$100 of Assessed Valuation. Such aggregate levy is higher than the aggregate of the tax levies of some municipal utility districts located in the greater Houston metropolitan area, but is within the range of the aggregate tax levies of municipal utility districts in the Houston metropolitan area which are in stages of development comparable with the District. To the extent that such composite tax rates are not competitive with competing developments, the growth of property tax values in the District and the investment quality or security of the Bonds could be adversely affected.

Prospective purchasers of the Bonds are reminded that development which has occurred to date or which is planned to occur on land covered by FBLID No. 12 other than the District creates assessed valuation of property against which taxes will be levied to pay debt service on bonds issued by districts other than the District. The development or lack thereof which occurs in districts within FBLID No.12 other than the District will have an effect on the level of indebtedness and debt service payments thereon of such districts and FBLID No. 12, which ultimately could affect the development of the District and the investment quality or security of the Bonds.

THE DISTRICT'S TAX IS LEVIED ONLY ON THE PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE DISTRICT. THEREFORE, THE INVESTMENT SECURITY AND QUALITY OF THE BONDS IS DEPENDENT UPON THE SUCCESSFUL DEVELOPMENT OF PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE DISTRICT AND THE PAYMENT AND COLLECTION OF TAXES LEVIED THEREON. NEVERTHELESS, THE PACE AND EXTENT OF DEVELOPMENT OF LAND IN THE DISTRICTS IN FBLID NO. 12 OTHER THAN THE DISTRICT WILL AFFECT THE TAX LEVIED BY FBLID NO. 12, AND THUS THE TOTAL TAX BURDEN ON LAND IN THE DISTRICT.

## **Tax Collection Limitations**

The District's ability to make debt service payments may be adversely affected by its inability to collect ad valorem taxes. Under Texas law, the levy of ad valorem taxes by the District constitutes a lien in favor of the District on a parity with the liens of all other local taxing authorities on the property against which taxes are levied, and such lien may be enforced by foreclosure. The District's ability to collect ad valorem taxes through such foreclosure may be impaired by (i) cumbersome, time-consuming, and expensive collection procedures, (ii) a bankruptcy court's stay of tax collection procedures against a taxpayer, (iii) market conditions limiting the proceeds from a foreclosure sale of taxable property, or (iv) the taxpayer's right to redeem the property within two years of foreclosure. While the District has a lien on taxable property within the District for taxes levied against such property, such lien can be foreclosed only in a judicial proceeding.

# Registered Owners' Remedies and Bankruptcy

In the event of default in the payment of principal of or interest on the Bonds, the Registered Owners have a right to seek a writ of mandamus requiring the District to levy adequate taxes each year to make such payments. Except for mandamus, the Bond Resolution does not provide for remedies to protect and enforce the interests of the Registered Owners. There is no acceleration of maturity of the Bonds in the event of default and, consequently, the remedy of mandamus may have to be relied upon from year to year. Based on recent Texas court decisions, it is unclear whether §49.066, Texas Water Code, effectively waives governmental immunity of a municipal utility district for suits for money damages. Even if Registered Owners could obtain a judgment against the District, such a judgment could not be enforced by a direct levy and execution against the District's property. Further, the Registered Owners cannot themselves foreclose on property within the District or sell property within the District in order to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds. Since there is no trust indenture or trustee, the Registered Owners would have to initiate and finance the legal process to enforce their remedies.

The enforceability of the rights and remedies of the Registered Owners may be further limited by laws relating to bankruptcy, reorganization or other similar laws of general application affecting the rights of creditors of political subdivisions such as the District. In this regard, should the District file a petition for protection from creditors under federal bankruptcy laws, a suit seeking the remedy of mandamus would be automatically stayed and could not be pursued unless authorized by a federal bankruptcy judge. See "THE BONDS - Registered Owners' Remedies."

The District may not be placed into bankruptcy involuntarily. See "DISTRICT BANKRUPTCY."

# The Effect of the Financial Institutions Act of 1989 on Tax Collections of the District

The Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989 ("FIRREA") contains certain provisions which affect the time for protesting property valuations, the fixing of tax liens, and the collection of penalties and interest on delinquent taxes on real property owned by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") when the FDIC is acting as the conservator or receiver of an insolvent financial institution.

Under FIRREA, real property held by the FDIC is still subject to ad valorem taxation, but such act states (i) that no real property of the FDIC shall be subject to foreclosure or sale without the consent of the FDIC and no involuntary liens shall attach to such property, (ii) the FDIC shall not be liable for any penalties, interest, or fines, including those arising from the failure to pay any real or personal property tax when due, and (iii) notwithstanding failure of a person to challenge an appraisal in accordance with state law, such value shall be determined as of the period for which such tax is imposed.

There has been no definitive judicial determination of the validity of these provisions of FIRREA or how they are to be construed and reconciled with respect to conflicting state laws. However, certain federal court decisions have held that the FDIC is not liable for statutory penalties and interest authorized by state property tax law, and that, although a lien for taxes may exist against real property, such lien may not be foreclosed without the consent of the FDIC, and no liens for penalties, fines, interest, attorney's fees, costs of abstract, and research fees exist against the real property for the failure of the FDIC or a prior property owner to pay ad valorem taxes when due. It is also not known whether the FDIC will attempt to claim the FIRREA exemptions as to the time for contesting valuations and tax assessments made prior to and after the enactment of FIRREA. Accordingly, to the extent the FIRREA provisions are valid and applicable to any property in the District and to the extent that the FDIC attempts to enforce the same, these provisions may affect the timeliness of collection of taxes on property, if any, owned by the FDIC in the District and may prevent the collection of penalties and interest on such taxes.

# Marketability

The District has no understanding (other than the initial reoffering yields) with the Underwriter regarding the reoffering yields or prices of the Bonds and has no control over the trading of the Bonds in the secondary market. Moreover, there is no assurance that a secondary market will be made for the Bonds. If there is a secondary market, the difference between the bid and asked price of the Bonds may be greater than the bid and asked spread of other bonds generally bought, sold, or traded in the secondary market. See "SALE AND DISTRIBUTION OF THE BONDS."

## **Future Debt**

The District has the right to issue the remaining \$78,380,000 authorized but unissued bonds for waterworks, wastewater, and drainage facilities, or for refunding purposes, \$11,376,927.35 unissued bonds authorized for refunding purposes only and \$21,700,000 authorized but unissued bonds for recreational facilities and refunding such bonds (see "THE BONDS - Issuance of Additional Debt"), and such additional bonds as may hereafter be approved by both the Board and voters of the District. The District also has the right to issue certain other additional bonds, special project bonds, and other obligations described in the Bond Resolution. All of the remaining \$78,380,000 bonds for waterworks, wastewater, and drainage facilities and \$21,700,000 unissued bonds authorized for recreational facilities or refunding such bonds which have heretofore been authorized by the voters of the District may be issued by the District from time to time as needed. The issuance of such \$78,380,000 bonds for waterworks, wastewater, and drainage facilities is also subject to TCEQ authorization.

The District's consulting engineer, R.G. Miller Engineers, Inc. (the "Engineer") currently estimates that the aforementioned \$78,380,000 authorized unlimited tax bonds which remain unissued will be adequate to finance the construction of all waterworks, wastewater, and drainage facilities that will be necessary to provide service to all of the currently undeveloped portions of the District. See "DEVELOPMENT OF THE DISTRICT," "FUTURE DEVELOPMENT," and "THE SYSTEM." In addition to the components of the System that the District has financed with the proceeds of the Prior Bonds and is financing with the proceeds of the Bonds, the District expects to finance the acquisition or construction of additional components of the System with the proceeds of bonds, if any, to be issued by the District in the future. See "THE BONDS - Issuance of Additional Debt" and - "Use and Distribution of Bond Proceeds," "FUTURE DEVELOPMENT" and "THE SYSTEM." If additional bonds are issued in the future and property values have not increased proportionately, such issuance may increase gross debt/property valuation ratios and thereby adversely affect the investment quality or security of the Bonds.

# **Competitive Nature of Houston Housing and Commercial Building Markets**

The single-family development and housing and commercial development and building industries in the Houston area are very competitive, and the District can give no assurance that the building programs that are planned by any future home builder(s) will be completed, that additional commercial buildings will be constructed within the District, or that any development projects other than those that have been heretofore undertaken in the District will be initiated or completed. The likelihood of the construction of future homes or commercial buildings or the initiation of any new residential or commercial development projects in the District is affected by most of the factors discussed in this section, and such likelihood is directly related to tax revenues received by the District and the growth and maintenance of taxable values in the District.

#### **Continuing Compliance with Certain Covenants**

The Bond Resolution contains covenants by the District intended to preserve the exclusion from gross income of interest on the Bonds. Failure of the District to comply with such covenants on a continuous basis prior to maturity of the Bonds could result in interest on the Bonds becoming taxable retroactively to the date of original issuance. See "TAX MATTERS."

#### **Approval of the Bonds**

The Attorney General of Texas must approve the legality of the Bonds prior to their delivery. The Attorney General of Texas does not pass upon or guarantee the security of the Bonds as an investment, or the adequacy or accuracy of the information contained in this Official Statement.

#### **Environmental Regulations**

Wastewater treatment, water supply, storm sewer facilities and construction activities within the District are subject to complex environmental laws and regulations at the federal, state and local levels that may require or prohibit certain activities that affect the environment, such as:

- Requiring permits for construction and operation of water wells, wastewater treatment and other facilities;
- Restricting the manner in which wastes are treated and released into the air, water and soils;
- Restricting or regulating the use of wetlands or other properties; or
- Requiring remedial action to prevent or mitigate pollution.

Sanctions against a municipal utility district or other type of special purpose district for failure to comply with environmental laws and regulations may include a variety of civil and criminal enforcement measures, including assessment of monetary penalties, imposition of remedial requirements and issuance of injunctions to ensure future compliance. Environmental laws and compliance with environmental laws and regulations can increase the cost of planning, designing, constructing and operating water production and wastewater treatment facilities. Environmental laws can also inhibit growth and development within the District. Further, changes in regulations occur frequently, and any changes that result in more stringent and costly requirements could materially impact the District.

#### Air Quality Issues

Air quality control measures required by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (the "EPA") and the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (the "TCEQ") may impact new industrial, commercial and residential development in the Houston area. Under the Clean Air Act ("CAA") Amendments of 1990, the eight-county Houston-Galveston-Brazoria area ("HGB Area")-Harris, Galveston, Brazoria, Chambers, Fort Bend, Waller, Montgomery and Liberty Counties-has been designated a nonattainment area under three separate federal ozone standards: the one-hour (124 parts per billion ("ppb")) and eight-hour (84 ppb) standards promulgated by the EPA in 1997 (the "1997 Ozone Standards"); the tighter, eight-hour ozone standard of 75 ppb promulgated by the EPA in 2008 (the "2008 Ozone Standard"), and the EPA's most-recent promulgation of an even lower, 70 ppb eight-hour ozone standard in 2015 (the "2015 Ozone Standard"). While the State of Texas has been able to demonstrate steady progress and improvements in air quality in the HGB Area, the HGB Area remains subject to CAA nonattainment requirements.

The HGB Area is currently designated as a severe ozone nonattainment area under the 1997 Ozone Standards. While the EPA has revoked the 1997 Ozone Standards, the EPA historically has not formally redesignated nonattainment areas for a revoked standard. As a result, the HGB Area remained subject to continuing severe nonattainment area "anti-backsliding" requirements, despite the fact that HGB Area air quality has been attaining the 1997 Ozone Standards since 2014. In late 2015, the EPA approved the TCEQ's "redesignation substitute" for the HGB Area under the revoked 1997 Ozone Standards, leaving the HGB Area subject only to the nonattainment area requirements under the 2008 Ozone Standard (and later, the 2015 Ozone Standard).

In February 2018, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit issued an opinion in South Coast Air Quality Management District v. EPA, 882 F.3d 1138 (D.C. Cir. 2018) vacating the EPA redesignation substitute rule that provided the basis for the EPA's decision to eliminate the anti-backsliding requirements that had applied in the HGB Area under the 1997 Ozone Standard. The court has not responded to the EPA's April 2018 request for rehearing of the case. To address the uncertainty created by the South Coast court's ruling, the TCEQ has developed a formal request that the HGB Area be redesignated to attainment under the 1997 Ozone Standards. The TCEQ Commissioners approved publication of a proposed HGB Area redesignation request under the 1997 Ozone Standards on September 5, 2018.

The HGB Area is currently designated as a "moderate" nonattainment area under the 2008 Ozone Standard, with an attainment deadline of July 20, 2018. If the EPA ultimately determines that the HGB Area has failed to meet the attainment deadline based on the relevant data, the area is subject to reclassification to a nonattainment classification that provides for more stringent controls on emissions from the industrial sector. In addition, the EPA may impose a moratorium on the awarding of federal highway construction grants and other federal grants for certain public works construction projects if it finds that an area fails to demonstrate progress in reducing ozone levels.

The HGB Area is currently designated as a "marginal" nonattainment area under the 2015 Ozone Standard, with an attainment deadline of August 3, 2021. For purposes of the 2015 Ozone Standard, the HGB Area consists of only six counties: Brazoria, Chambers, Fort Bend, Galveston, Harris, and Montgomery Counties.

In order to demonstrate progress toward attainment of the EPA's ozone standards, the TCEQ has established a state implementation plan ("SIP") for the HGB Area setting emission control requirements, some of which regulate the inspection and use of automobiles. These types of measures could impact how people travel, what distances people are willing to travel, where people choose to live and work, and what jobs are available in the HGB Area. These SIP requirements can negatively impact business due to the additional permitting/regulatory constraints that accompany this designation and because of the community stigma associated with a nonattainment designation. It is possible that additional controls will be necessary to allow the HGB Area to reach attainment with the ozone standards by the EPA's attainment deadlines. These additional controls could have a negative impact on the HGB Area's economic growth and development.

#### Water Supply & Discharge Issues

Water supply and discharge regulations that municipal utility districts, including the District, may be required to comply with involve: (1) groundwater well permitting and surface water appropriation; (2) public water supply systems; (3) wastewater discharges from treatment facilities; (4) storm water discharges; and (5) wetlands dredge and fill activities. Each of these is addressed below:

Certain governmental entities regulate groundwater usage in the HGB Area. A municipal utility district or other type of special purpose district that (i) is located within the boundaries of such an entity that regulates groundwater usage, and (ii) relies on local groundwater as a source of water supply, may be subject to requirements and restrictions on the drilling of water wells and/or the production of groundwater that could affect both the engineering and economic feasibility of district water supply projects.

Pursuant to the federal Safe Drinking Water Act ("SDWA") and the EPA's National Primary Drinking Water Regulations ("NPDWRs"), which are implemented by the TCEQ's Water Supply Division, a municipal utility district's provision of water for human consumption is subject to extensive regulation as a public water system. Municipal utility districts must generally provide treated water that meets the primary and secondary drinking water quality standards adopted by the TCEQ, the applicable disinfectant residual and inactivation standards, and the other regulatory action levels established under the agency's rules. The EPA has established NPDWRs for more than ninety (90) contaminants and has identified and listed other contaminants which may require national drinking water regulation in the future.

Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System ("TPDES") permits set limits on the type and quantity of discharge, in accordance with state and federal laws and regulations. The TCEQ reissued the TPDES Construction General Permit (TXR150000), with an effective date of March 5, 2018, which is a general permit authorizing the discharge of stormwater

runoff associated with small and large construction sites and certain nonstormwater discharges into surface water in the state. It has a 5-year permit term, and is then subject to renewal. Moreover, the Clean Water Act ("CWA") and Texas Water Code require municipal wastewater treatment plants to meet secondary treatment effluent limitations and more stringent water quality-based limitations and requirements to comply with the Texas water quality standards. Any water quality-based limitations and requirements with which a municipal utility district must comply may have an impact on the municipal utility district's ability to obtain and maintain compliance with TPDES permits.

The District is subject to the TCEQ's General Permit for Phase II (Small) Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems (the "MS4 Permit"), which was issued by the TCEQ on January 24, 2019. The MS4 Permit authorizes the discharge of stormwater to surface water in the state from small municipal separate storm sewer systems. The District has applied for and received coverage under the MS4 Permit from the TCEQ. In order to maintain compliance with the MS4 Permit, the District continues to develop, implement, and maintain the required plans, as well as to install or implement best management practices to minimize or eliminate unauthorized pollutants that may otherwise be found in stormwater runoff. Costs associated with these compliance activities could be substantial in the future.

Operations of utility districts, including the District, are also potentially subject to requirements and restrictions under the CWA regarding the use and alteration of wetland areas that are within the "waters of the United States." The District must obtain a permit from the United States Army Corps of Engineers ("USACE") if operations of the District require that wetlands be filled, dredged, or otherwise altered.

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In 2015, the EPA and USACE promulgated a rule known as the Clean Water Rule ("CWR") aimed at redefining "waters of the United States" over which the EPA and USACE have jurisdiction under the CWA. The CWR significantly expanded the scope of the federal government's CWA jurisdiction over intrastate water bodies and wetlands. The CWR was challenged in numerous jurisdictions, including the Southern District of Texas, causing significant uncertainty regarding the ultimate scope of "waters of the United States" and the extent of EPA and USACE jurisdiction.

On September 12, 2019, the EPA and USACE finalized a rule repealing the CWR, thus reinstating the regulatory text that existed prior to the adoption of the CWR. This repeal officially became final on December 23, 2019, but the repeal has itself become the subject of litigation in multiple jurisdictions.

On January 23, 2020, the EPA and USACE released the Navigable Waters Protection Rule ("NWPR"), which contains a new definition of "waters of the United States." The stated purpose of the NWPR is to restore and maintain the integrity of the nation's waters by maintaining federal authority over the waters Congress has determined should be regulated by the federal government, while preserving the states' primary authority over land and water resources. The new definition outlines four categories of waters that are considered "waters of the United States," and thus federally regulated under the CWA: (i) territorial seas and traditional navigable waters; (ii) perennial and intermittent tributaries to territorial seas and traditional navigable waters; (iii) certain lakes, ponds, and impoundments of jurisdictional waters; and (iv) wetlands adjacent to jurisdictional waters. The new rule also identifies certain specific categories that are not "waters of the United States," and therefore not federally regulated under the CWA: (a) groundwater; (b) ephemeral features that flow only in direct response to precipitation; (c) diffuse stormwater runoff and directional sheet flow over upland; (d) certain ditches; (e) prior converted cropland; (f) certain artificially irrigated areas; (g) certain artificial lakes and ponds; (h) certain water-filled depressions and certain pits; (i) certain stormwater control features; (j) certain groundwater recharge, water reuse, and wastewater recycling structures; and (k) waste treatment systems. The NWPR became effective June 22, 2020, and is currently the subject of ongoing litigation.

Due to existing and possible future litigation, there remains uncertainty regarding the ultimate scope of "waters of the United States" and the extent of EPA and USACE jurisdiction. Depending on the final outcome of such proceedings, operations of municipal utility districts, including the District, could potentially be subject to additional restrictions and requirements, including additional permitting requirements.

#### Tax Payment Installments after Disaster

Certain qualified taxpayers, including owners of residential homesteads, located within a natural disaster area and whose property has been damaged as a direct result of the disaster, are entitled to enter into a tax payment installment agreement with a taxing jurisdiction such as the District if the taxpayer pays at least one-fourth of the tax bill imposed on the property by the delinquency date. The remaining taxes may be paid without penalty or interest in three equal installments within six months of the delinquency date.

#### **Tropical Weather Events**

The greater Houston area, including the District, is subject to occasional severe weather events, including tropical storms and hurricanes. If the District were to sustain damage to its facilities requiring substantial repair or replacement, or if substantial damage were to occur to taxable property within the District as a result of such a weather event, the investment security of the Bonds could be adversely affected.

The greater Houston area, including the District, has experienced four storms exceeding a 0.2% probability (i.e. "500 year flood" events) since 2015. The most recent event was Hurricane Harvey, which made landfall along the Texas Gulf Coast on August 26, 2017, and brought historic levels of rainfall during the successive four days. However, according to the District's Operator and Engineer, the District's System did not sustain any material damage and there was no interruption of water and sewer service from Hurricane Harvey. Further, according to the District's Operator, after investigation, although the District experienced street flooding, there was no apparent material wind or water damage to homes or commercial improvements within the District except for roof damage to approximately 4 homes in the Lost Creek subdivision.

If a future weather event significantly damaged all or part of the improvements within the District, the assessed value of property within the District could be substantially reduced, which could result in a decrease in tax revenues and/or necessitate an increase the District's tax rate. Further, there can be no assurance that a casualty loss to taxable property within the District will be covered by insurance (or that property owners will even carry flood or other casualty insurance), that any insurance company will fulfill its obligation to provide insurance proceeds, or that insurance proceeds will be used to rebuild or repair any damaged improvements within the District. Even if insurance proceeds are available and improvements are rebuilt, there could be a lengthy period in which assessed values within the District could be adversely affected.

Ponding, or pluvial, flooding occurs when heavy rainfall creates a flood event independent of an overflowing water body, typically in relatively flat areas. Intense rainfall can exceed the drainage capacity of a drainage system, which may result in water within the drainage system becoming trapped and diverted onto streets and nearby property until it is able to reach a natural outlet. Ponding can also occur in a flood pool upstream or behind a dam, levee or reservoir.

#### **Changes in Tax Legislation**

Certain tax legislation, whether currently proposed or proposed in the future, may directly or indirectly reduce or eliminate the benefit of the exclusion of interest on the Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes. Any proposed legislation, whether or not enacted, may also affect the value and liquidity of the Bonds. Prospective purchasers of the Bonds should consult with their own tax advisors with respect to any proposed, pending or future legislation.

#### Infectious Disease Outlook (COVID-19)

The World Health Organization has declared a pandemic following the outbreak of COVID-19, a respiratory disease caused by a new strain of coronavirus (the "Pandemic"), which is currently affecting many parts of the world, including the United States and Texas. On January 31, 2020, the Secretary of the United States Health and Human Services Department declared a public health emergency for the United States in connection with the Pandemic. On March 13, 2020, the President of the United States (the "President") declared the Pandemic a national emergency and the Texas Governor (the "Governor") declared the Pandemic an imminent threat of disaster for all counties in Texas (collectively, the "disaster declarations"). On March 25, 2020, in response to a request from the Governor, the President issued a Major Disaster Declaration for the State of Texas.

Pursuant to Chapter 418 of the Texas Government Code, the Governor has broad authority to respond to disasters, including suspending any regulatory statute prescribing the procedures for conducting state business or any order or rule of a state agency that would in any way prevent, hinder, or delay necessary action in coping with this disaster and issuing executive orders that have the force and effect of law. The Governor has issued a number of executive orders relating to the Pandemic preparedness and mitigation. These include, for example, the issuance of an Executive Order on March 31, 2020, which, among other things, prohibits social gatherings of more than 10 people and orders the closure of schools throughout the state for certain designated time periods, which may be otherwise extended, modified, rescinded, or superseded by the Governor. Many of the federal, state and local actions and policies under the aforementioned disaster declarations are focused on slowing the spread of the Pandemic by limiting instances where the public can congregate or interact with each other, which affects economic conditions within Texas.

Since the disaster declarations were made, the Pandemic has negatively affected travel, commerce, and financial markets locally and globally, and is widely expected to continue negatively affecting economic conditions and financial markets worldwide and within Texas and the Houston area. Stock values and oil prices, in the U.S. and globally, have seen significant declines attributed in part to Pandemic concerns. Texas may be particularly at risk from any global slowdown, given the prevalence of international trade in the state and the risk of contraction in the oil and gas industry and spillover effects into other industries.

Such adverse economic conditions, if they continue, could result in declines in the demand for residential and commercial property in the Houston area and could reduce or negatively affect property values within the District. The Bonds are secured by an unlimited ad valorem tax, and a reduction in property values may require an increase in the ad valorem tax rate required to pay the Bonds as well as the District's share of operations and maintenance expenses payable from ad valorem taxes.

The District continues to monitor the spread of the Pandemic and is working with local, state, and national agencies to address the potential impact of the Pandemic upon the District. While the potential impact of the Pandemic on the District cannot be quantified at this time, the continued outbreak of the Pandemic could have an adverse effect on the District's operations and financial condition. The financial and operating data contained herein are the latest available, but are as of dates and for periods prior to the economic impact of the Pandemic and measures instituted to slow it. Accordingly, they are not necessarily indicative of the economic impact of the Pandemic on the District's financial condition.

#### Potential Effects of Oil Price Declines on the Houston Area

The recent declines in oil prices in the U.S. and globally, which at times have led to the lowest such prices in three decades, may lead to adverse conditions in the oil and gas industry, including but not limited to reduced revenues, declines in capital and operating expenditures, business failures, and layoffs of workers. The economy of the Houston area has, in the past, been particularly affected by adverse conditions in the oil and gas industry, and such conditions and their spillover effects into other industries could result in declines in the demand for residential and commercial property in the Houston area and could reduce or negatively affect property values or homebuilding activity within the District. As previously stated, the Bonds are secured by an unlimited ad valorem tax, and a reduction in property values may require an increase in the ad valorem tax rate required to pay the Bonds as well as the District's share of operations and maintenance expenses payable from ad valorem taxes.

#### LEGAL MATTERS

#### **Legal Opinions**

Delivery of the Bonds will be accompanied by the unqualified approving legal opinion of the Attorney General of Texas as recorded in the Bond Register of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, to the effect that the Bonds are valid and binding obligations of the District under the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and all taxable property within the District is subject to the levy of ad valorem taxes to pay the same, without legal limitation as to rate or amount, based upon examination of a transcript of certified proceedings held incident to the issuance and authorization

of the Bonds, and the approving legal opinion of Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP, Bond Counsel for the District, to a like effect. Such opinions express no opinion with respect to the sufficiency of the security for or the marketability of the Bonds. Bond Counsel's opinion also will address the matters described below under "TAX MATTERS."

Bond Counsel has reviewed the information appearing in this Official Statement under "THE BONDS" (except for information under the subheadings "Book-Entry-Only System" and "Use and Distribution of Bond Proceeds"), "DISTRICT BANKRUPTCY," "THE DISTRICT - Authority" and - "Bond Counsel," "TAXING PROCEDURES," "LEGAL MATTERS," "TAX MATTERS" and "CONTINUING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION" solely to determine whether such information, insofar as it relates to matters of law, is true and correct and whether such information fairly summarizes matters of law, the provisions of the documents referred to therein, and conforms to the provisions of the Order of the TCEQ approving the Bonds and to the requirements of the City of Houston with respect to the sale of the Bonds. Bond Counsel has not, however, independently verified any of the factual information contained in this Official Statement nor has it conducted an investigation of the affairs of the District for the purpose of passing upon the accuracy or completeness of this Official Statement. No person is entitled to rely upon Bond Counsel's limited participation as an assumption of responsibility for or an expression of opinion of any kind with regard to the accuracy or completeness of any information contained herein, other than the matters discussed immediately above.

Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP also serves as general counsel to the District on matters other than the issuance of bonds. The legal fees paid to Bond Counsel for services rendered in connection with the issuance of the Bonds are based on a percentage of the bonds actually issued, sold, and delivered and, therefore, such fees are contingent upon the sale and delivery of the Bonds.

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

#### **No-Litigation Certificate**

The District will furnish the Underwriter a certificate, executed by the appropriate officers of the Board, and dated as of the date of delivery of the Bonds, that to their knowledge, no litigation is pending or threatened affecting the validity of the Bonds, or the levy and/or collection of taxes for the payment thereof, or the organization or boundaries of the District, or the title of the officers thereof to their respective offices.

#### TAX MATTERS

In the opinion of Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP, Bond Counsel, under existing law, interest on the Bonds is excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes and interest on the Bonds is not subject to the alternative minimum tax on individuals.

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

Bond Counsel's opinion will assume continuing compliance with the covenants of the Bond Resolution pertaining to those sections of the Code which affect the exclusion from gross income of interest on the Bonds for federal income tax purposes and, in addition, will rely on representations by the District, the District's Financial Advisor, and the Underwriter, with respect to matters solely within the knowledge of the District, the District's Financial Advisor, and the Underwriter, respectively, which Bond Counsel has not independently verified. If the District should fail to comply with

the covenants in the Bond Resolution or if the foregoing representations should be determined to be inaccurate or incomplete, interest on the Bonds could become taxable from the date of delivery of the Bonds, regardless of the date on which the event causing such taxability occurs.

Under the Code, taxpayers are required to report on their returns the amount of tax-exempt interest, such as interest on the Bonds, received or accrued during the year. Payments on interest on tax-exempt obligations such as the Bonds are in many cases required to be reported to the IRS. Additionally, backup withholding may apply to such payments to any owner who is not an "exempt recipient" and who fails to provide certain identifying information. Individuals generally are not exempt recipients, whereas corporations and certain other entities generally are exempt recipients.

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

Prospective purchasers of the Bonds should be aware that the ownership of tax-exempt obligations may result in collateral federal income tax consequences to financial institutions, life insurance and property and casualty insurance companies, certain S corporations with Subchapter C earnings and profits, individual recipients of Social Security or Railroad Retirement benefits, taxpayers who may be deemed to have incurred or continued indebtedness to purchase or carry tax-exempt obligations, taxpayers owning an interest in a FASIT that holds tax-exempt obligations, and taxpayers otherwise qualifying for the earned income credit. In addition, certain foreign corporations doing business in the United States may be subject to the "branch profits tax" on their effectively-connected earnings and profits, including tax-exempt interest such as interest on the Bonds. These categories of prospective purchasers should consult their own tax advisors as to the applicability of these consequences.

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

#### **Tax Accounting Treatment of Original Issue Discount Bonds**

The initial offering price of certain of the Bonds (the "Original Issue Discount Bonds") is less than the stated redemption price at maturity. In such case, under existing law, (a) the difference between (i) the principal amount payable at the maturity of each Original Issue Discount Bond, and (ii) the initial offering price to the public of such Original Issue Discount Bond constitutes original issue discount with respect to such Original Issue Discount Bond in the hands of an owner who has purchased such Original Issue Discount Bond in the initial public offering of the Bonds; and (b) such initial owner is entitled to exclude from gross income (as defined in Section 61 of the Code) an amount of income with respect to such Original Issue Discount Bond equal to that portion of the amount of such original issue discount allocable to the period that such Original Issue Discount Bond continues to be owned by such owner.

In the event of the redemption, sale, or other taxable disposition of such Original Issue Discount Bond prior to stated maturity, however, the amount realized by such owner in excess of the basis of such Original Issue Discount Bond in the hands of such owner (adjusted upward by the portion of the original issue discount allocable to the period for which such Original Issue Discount Bond was held by such initial owner) is includable in gross income. (Because original issue discount is treated as interest for federal income tax purposes, the discussion regarding interest on the Bonds under the caption "TAX MATTERS" generally applies, except as otherwise provided below, to original issue discount on an Original Issue Discount Bond held by an owner who purchased such Bond at the initial offering price in the initial public offering of the Bonds and should be considered in connection with the discussion in this portion of the Official Statement.)

The foregoing discussion assumes, in reliance upon certain representations of the Underwriter, that (a) the Underwriter has purchased the Bonds for contemporaneous sale to the public and (b) all of the Original Issue Discount Bonds have been initially offered, and a substantial amount of each maturity thereof has been sold, to the general public in arm's-length transactions for a price (and with no other consideration being included) not more than the initial offering prices thereof stated on the cover page of this Official Statement. Neither the District nor Bond Counsel warrants that the Original Issue Discount Bonds will be offered and sold in accordance with such assumptions.

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

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

#### **Qualified Tax-Exempt Obligations**

The Code requires a pro rata reduction in the interest expense deduction of a financial institution to reflect such financial institution's investment in tax-exempt obligations acquired after August 7, 1986. An exception to the foregoing provision is provided in the Code for "qualified tax-exempt obligations," which include tax-exempt obligations, such as the Bonds, (a) designated by the District as "qualified tax-exempt obligations" and (b) issued by or on behalf of a political subdivision for which the aggregate amount of tax-exempt obligations (not including private activity bonds other than qualified 501(c)(3) bonds) to be issued during the calendar year is not expected to exceed \$10,000,000.

The District has designated the Bonds as "qualified tax-exempt obligations" and has represented that the aggregate amount of tax-exempt bonds (including the Bonds) issued by the District and entities aggregated with the District under the Code during calendar year 2020 is not expected to exceed \$10,000,000 and that the District and entities aggregated with the District under the Code have not designated more than \$10,000,000 in "qualified tax-exempt obligations" (including the Bonds) during calendar year 2020.

Notwithstanding these exceptions, financial institutions acquiring the Bonds will be subject to a 20% disallowance of allocable interest expense.

#### NO MATERIAL ADVERSE CHANGE

The obligations of the Underwriter to take up and pay for the Bonds, and of the District to deliver the Bonds, are subject to the condition that, up to the time of delivery of and receipt of payment for the Bonds, there shall have been no material adverse change in the financial condition of the District subsequent to the date of sale from that set forth in the Preliminary Official Statement, as it may have been finalized, supplemented, or amended through the date of sale. The rating of the Insurer's creditworthiness by any rating agency does not and will not in any manner affect the District's financial condition, and thus any change to such rating, including a downgrade thereof, at any time, does not and will not constitute a change, material or otherwise, in the District's financial condition, and therefore cannot be a basis for termination by the Underwriter of its obligations to take up and pay for the Bonds.

#### OFFICIAL STATEMENT

#### General

The information contained in this Official Statement has been obtained primarily from the District's records, the Engineer, the Developers, the Tax Assessor/Collector, and other sources believed to be reliable; however, no representation is made by the District as to the accuracy or completeness of the information contained herein, except as described below under "Certification as to Official Statement." The summaries of the statutes, resolutions, and engineering and other related reports set forth herein are included subject to all of the provisions of such documents. These summaries do not purport to be complete statements of such provisions and reference is made to such documents for further information.

The District's financial statements for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019, were audited by Roth & Eyring, PLLC, Certified Public Accountants, and have been included herein as "APPENDIX B." Roth & Eyring, PLLC, Certified Public Accountants has agreed to the publication of such financial statements in this Official Statement.

#### **Experts**

The information contained in the Official Statement relating to engineering and to the description of the System, and, in particular, that engineering information included in the sections entitled "THE DISTRICT" and "THE SYSTEM" has been provided by R.G. Miller Engineers, Inc. and has been included herein in reliance upon the authority of said firm as experts in the field of civil engineering.

The information contained in the Official Statement relating to assessed valuations of property generally and, in particular, that information concerning collection rates and valuations contained in the sections captioned "DISTRICT DEBT" and "TAX DATA" was provided by Tax Tech, Inc., and the Appraisal District. Such information has been included herein in reliance upon Tax Tech, Inc.'s authority as an expert in the field of tax collection and the Appraisal District's authority as an expert in the field of tax assessing.

#### **Certification as to Official Statement**

The District, acting by and through its Board of Directors in its official capacity and in reliance upon the experts listed above, hereby certifies, as of the date hereof, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, the information, statements and descriptions pertaining to the District and its affairs herein contain no untrue statements of a material fact and do not omit to state any material fact necessary to make the statements herein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading. The information, descriptions, and statements concerning entities other than the District, including particularly other governmental entities, have been obtained from sources believed to be reliable, but the District has made no independent investigation or verification of such matters and makes no representation as to the accuracy or completeness thereof.

#### **Updating of Official Statement**

If, subsequent to the date of the Official Statement, to and including the date the Underwriters are no longer required to provide an Official Statement to customers who request same pursuant to Rule 15c2-12 of the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"), the District learns, or is notified by the Underwriters, of any adverse event which causes the Official Statement to be materially misleading, and unless the Underwriters elect to terminate its obligation to purchase the Bonds, the District will promptly prepare and supply to the Underwriters an appropriate amendment or supplement to the Official Statement satisfactory to the Underwriters; provided, however, that the obligation of the District to so amend or supplement the Official Statement will terminate upon the earlier of (i) 90 days after the "end of the underwriting period" as defined in SEC Rule 15c2-12 or (ii) the date the Official Statement is filed with the MSRB (hereinafter defined), but in no case less than 25 days after the "end of the underwriting period."

#### CONTINUING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION

In the Bond Resolution, the District has the following agreement for the benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds. The District is required to observe the agreement for so long as it remains obligated to advance funds to pay the Bonds. Under the agreement, the District will be obligated to provide certain updated financial information and operating data annually, and timely notice of specified events, to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board ("MSRB") through the MSRB's Electronic Municipal Market Access ("EMMA") system.

#### **Annual Reports**

The District will provide certain updated financial information and operating data to the MSRB annually. The information to be updated includes all quantitative financial information and operating data with respect to the District of the general type included in this Official Statement under the headings "DISTRICT DEBT" and "TAX DATA" and in "APPENDIX B" (the Audit). The District will update and provide this information within six months after the end of each fiscal year ending in or after 2020.

The District may provide updated information in full text or may incorporate by reference certain other publicly available documents, as permitted by SEC Rule 15c2-12. The updated information will include audited financial statements, if the District's audit is completed by the required time. If audited financial statements are not available by the required time, the District will provide unaudited financial statements within the required time, and audited financial statements when the audit report becomes available. Any such financial statements will be prepared in accordance with the accounting principles described in the Bond Resolution or such other accounting principles as the District may be required to employ from time to time pursuant to state law or regulation.

The District's current fiscal year end is September 30. Accordingly, it must provide updated information by the last day of March in each year, unless the District changes its fiscal year. If the District changes its fiscal year, it will notify the MSRB of the change.

#### **Event Notices**

The District will provide timely notices of certain specified events to the MSRB, but in no event will such notices be provided to the MSRB in excess of ten business days after the occurrence of an event. The District will provide notice of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds: (1) principal and interest payment delinquencies; (2) non-payment related defaults, if material; (3) unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties; (4) unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties; (5) substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform; (6) adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determination of taxability, Notices of Proposed Issue (IRS Form 5701-TEB) or other material notices or determinations with respect to the tax status of the Bonds, or other events affecting the tax status of the Bonds; (7) modifications to rights of Beneficial Owners of the Bonds, if material; (8) bond calls, if material, and tender offers; (9) defeasances; (10) release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the Bonds, if material; (11) rating changes; (12) bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the District or other obligated person; (13) consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving the District or other obligated person or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the District or other obligated person other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms, if material; (14) appointment of a successor or additional trustee or the change of name of a trustee, if material; (15) incurrence of a financial obligation of the District or other obligated person, if material, or agreement to covenants, events of default, remedies, priority rights, or other similar terms of a financial obligation of the District or other obligated person, any of which affect Beneficial Owners of the Bonds, if material; and (16) default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms, or other similar events under the terms of a financial obligation of the District or other obligated person, any of which reflect financial difficulties. The terms "obligated person" and "financial obligation" when used in this paragraph shall have the meanings ascribed to them under SEC Rule 15c2-12 (the "Rule"). The term "material" when used in this paragraph shall have the meaning ascribed to it under federal securities laws. Neither the Bonds nor the Bond Resolution makes any provision for debt service reserves or liquidity enhancement. In addition, the District will provide timely notice of any failure by the District to provide financial information, operating data, or financial statements in accordance with its agreement described above under "Annual Reports."

#### **Availability of Information**

The District has agreed to provide the foregoing information only to the MSRB. Investors will be able to access, without charge from the MSRB, continuing disclosure information filed with the MSRB through its EMMA system at www.emma.msrb.org.

#### **Limitations and Amendments**

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

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

#### **Compliance With Prior Undertakings**

During the last five years, the District has complied in all material respects with all continuing disclosure agreements made by it in accordance with SEC Rule 15c2-12.

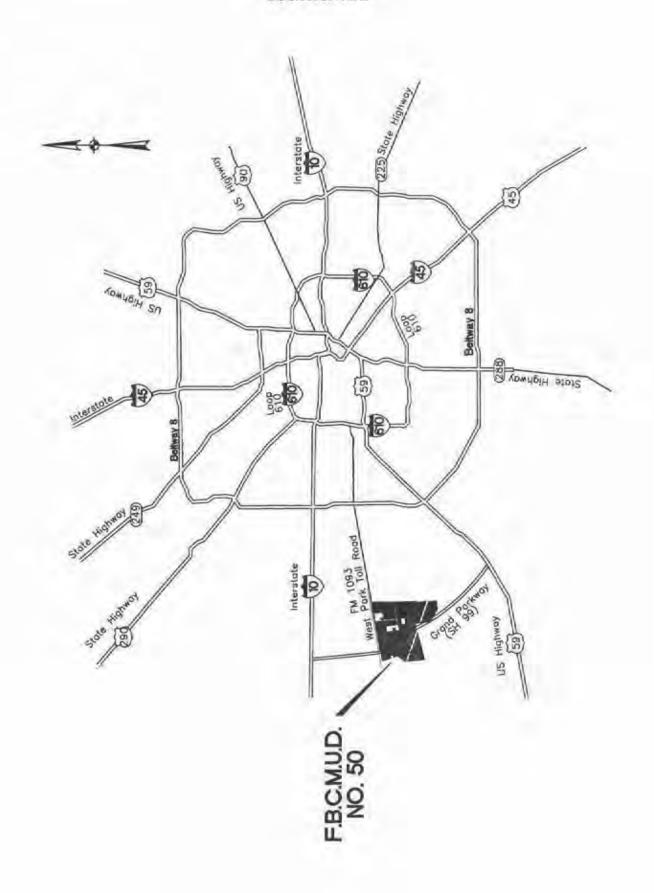
This Official Statement was approved by the Board of Directors of Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 as of the date shown on the first page hereof.

/s/ Craig Lewis
President, Board of Directors
Fort Bend County Municipal
Utility District No. 50

#### ATTEST:

/s/ Peter Lajoie Secretary, Board of Directors Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50

APPENDIX A
LOCATION MAP



#### APPENDIX B

# FORT BEND COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 50 FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS ANNUAL AUDIT REPORT SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

FORT BEND COUNTY

MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 50

FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS

ANNUAL AUDIT REPORT

SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

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December 10, 2019

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Directors Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 Fort Bend County, Texas

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and each fund of Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50, as of and for the year ended September 30, 2019, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements, as listed in the table of contents, and the related notes to the financial statements.

#### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

#### Auditor's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on my audit. I conducted my audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including assessment of the risk of material misstatement of the financial statements whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly I express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinions.

#### **Opinions**

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and each fund of Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 as of September 30, 2019, and the respective changes in financial position for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (Continued)

#### Other Matters

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis on Pages 3 to 8 and Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance, Budget and Actual, General Fund, on Page 24 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. I have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to my inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge I obtained during my audit of the basic financial statements. I do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide me with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

My audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The supplementary information on Pages 25 to 50 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. Except for the portion marked "unaudited," the information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In my opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole. The supplementary information marked "unaudited" has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, I do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it. The accompanying supplementary information includes financial data excerpted from prior year financial statements which were audited by my firm.



## Management's Discussion and Analysis

#### **Using this Annual Report**

Within this section of the Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 (the "District") annual report, the District's Board of Directors provides narrative discussion and analysis of the financial activities of the District for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019.

The annual report consists of a series of financial statements plus additional supplemental information to the financial statements as required by its state oversight agency, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality. In accordance with required reporting standards, the District reports its financial activities as a special-purpose government. Special-purpose governments are governmental entities which engage in a single governmental program. In the District's case, the single governmental program is provision of water and sewer services. Other activities, such as garbage collection, are minor activities and are not budgeted or accounted for as separate programs. The financial statements of special-purpose governments combine two types of financial statements into one statement. These two types of financial statements are the government-wide financial statements and the fund financial statements. The fund financial statements are presented on the left side of the statements, a column for adjustments is to the right of the fund financial statements, and the government-wide financial statements are presented to the right side of the adjustments column. The following sections describe the measurement focus of the two types of statements and the significant differences in the information they provide.

#### Government-Wide Financial Statements

The focus of government-wide financial statements is on the overall financial position and activities of the District. The District's government-wide financial statements include the statement of net position and statement of activities, which are prepared using accounting principles that are similar to commercial enterprises. The purpose of the statement of net position is to attempt to report all of the assets and liabilities owned by the District. The District reports all of its assets when it acquires or begins to maintain the assets and reports all of its liabilities when they are incurred.

The difference between the District's total assets and total liabilities is labeled as *net position* and this difference is similar to the total owners' equity presented by a commercial enterprise.

The purpose of the statement of activities is to present the revenues and expenses of the District. Again, the items presented on the statement of activities are measured in a manner similar to the approach used by a commercial enterprise in that revenues are recognized when earned or established criteria are satisfied and expenses are reported when incurred by the District. Thus, revenues are reported even when they may not be collected for several months or years after the end of the accounting period and expenses are recorded even though they may not have used cash during the current period.

Although the statement of activities looks different from a commercial enterprise's income statement, the financial statement is different only in format, not substance. Whereas the bottom line in a commercial enterprise is its net income, the District reports an amount described as *change in net position*, essentially the same thing.

#### Fund Financial Statements

Unlike government-wide financial statements, the focus of fund financial statements is directed to specific activities of the District rather than the District as a whole. Except for the General Fund, a specific fund is established to satisfy managerial control over resources or to satisfy finance-related legal requirements established by external parties or governmental statutes or regulations.

Governmental fund financial statements consist of a balance sheet and statement of revenues, expenditures and change in fund balances and are prepared on an accounting basis that is significantly different from that used to prepare the government-wide financial statements.

In general, these financial statements have a short-term emphasis and, for the most part, measure and account for cash and other assets that can easily be converted into cash. For example, amounts reported on the balance sheet include items such as cash and receivables collectible within a very short period of time, but do not include capital assets such as land and water and sewer systems. Fund liabilities include amounts that are to be paid within a very short period after the end of the fiscal year. The difference between a fund's total assets and total liabilities is labeled the fund balance, and generally indicates the amount that can be used to finance the next fiscal year's' activities. Likewise, the operating statement for governmental funds reports only those revenues and expenditures that were collected in cash or paid with cash, respectively, during the current period or very shortly after the end of the fiscal year.

Because the focus of the government-wide and fund financial statements are different, there are significant differences between the totals presented in these financial statements. For this reason, there is an analysis in Note 3 of the notes to the financial statements that reconciles the total fund balances to the amount of net position presented in the governmental activities column on the statement of net position. Also, there is an analysis in Note 3 of the notes to the financial statements that reconciles the total change in fund balances for all governmental funds to the change in net position as reported in the governmental activities column in the statement of activities.

#### Financial Analysis of the District as a Whole

Financial Analysis of the District as a Whole begins with an understanding of how financial resources flow through the District's funds. Resources in the Capital Projects Fund are derived principally from proceeds of the sale of bonds, and expenditures from this fund are subject to the Rules of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality. Resources in the Debt Service Fund are derived principally from the collection of property taxes and are used for the payment of tax collection costs and bond principal and interest. Resources in the General Fund are derived principally from property taxes and billings for water and sewer services and are used to operate and maintain the system and to pay costs of administration of the District.

Management has financial objectives for each of the District's funds. The financial objective for the Capital Projects Fund is to spend the funds as necessary in accordance with the Rules of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality. The financial objective for the Debt Service Fund is to levy the taxes necessary to pay the fiscal year debt service requirements plus the cost of levying and collecting taxes, leaving the appropriate fund balance as recommended by the District's financial advisor. The financial objective for the General Fund is to keep the fund's expenditures as low as possible while ensuring that revenues are adequate to cover expenditures and maintaining the fund balance that Management believes is prudent. Management believes that these financial objectives were met during the fiscal year.

Management believes that the required method of accounting for certain elements of the government-wide financial statements makes the government-wide financial statements as a whole not useful for financial analysis. In the government-wide financial statements, capital assets and depreciation expense have been required to be recorded at historical cost. Management's policy is to maintain the District's capital assets in a condition greater than or equal to the condition required by regulatory authorities, and management does not believe that depreciation expense is relevant to the management of the District. In the government-wide financial statements, certain non-cash costs of long-term debt are capitalized and amortized over the life of the related debt. Management believes that this required method of accounting is not useful for financial analysis of the District and prefers to consider the required cash flows of the debt as reported in the fund statements and the notes to the financial statements. In the government-wide financial statements, property tax revenues are required to be recorded in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied, regardless of the year of collection. Management believes that the cash basis method of accounting for property taxes in the funds provides more useful financial information.

The following required summaries of the District's overall financial position and operations for the past two years are based on the information included in the government-wide financial statements. For the reasons described in the preceding paragraph, a separate analysis of the summaries is not presented.

2018

(4,868,584)

(3,416,586)

1,451,998

415,765

Change

#### Summary of Net Position

2019

Current and other assets	\$ 14,366,377	\$ 10,852,186	\$ 3,514,191
Capital assets	71,513,129	69,818,204	1,694,925
Total assets	85,879,506	80,670,390	5,209,116
Long-term liabilities	86,529,178	82,229,456	4,299,722
Other liabilities	2,351,149	1,857,520	493,629
Total liabilities	88,880,327	84,086,976	4,793,351
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Net position:			
Invested in capital assets,			
	(4.4.500.040)	(44.004.050)	(0.004.707)
net of related debt	(14,586,049)	(11,981,252)	(2,604,797)
Restricted	8,000,382	5,084,063	2,916,319
Unrestricted	<u>3,584,846</u>	<u>3,480,603</u>	104,243
Total net position	\$ (3,000,821)	\$ (3,416,586)	\$ 415,765
Summa	ary of Changes in Ne	t Position	
	2019	2018	<u>Change</u>
Revenues:			
Property taxes, including related			
penalty and interest	\$ 4,953,748	\$ 4,615,151	\$ 338,597
Charges for services	2,293,952	2,325,097	(31,145)
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Other revenues	673,948	<u>522,250</u>	<u>151,698</u>
Total revenues	7,921,648	7,462,498	459,150
Expenses:			
Service operations	4,316,746	3,435,674	881,072
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Debt service	3,189,137	2,574,826	614,311
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#### **Financial Analysis of the District's Funds**

Net position, beginning of year

Net position, end of year

The District's combined fund balances as of the end of the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019 were \$12,148,934, an increase of \$3,060,002 from the prior year.

(3,416,586)

(3,000,821)

The General Fund balance increased by \$106,631, in accordance with the District's financial plan.

The Debt Service Fund balance increased by \$111,965, in accordance with the District's financial plan.

The Capital Projects Fund balance increased by \$2,841,406, as proceeds from the Series 2018A bonds, the reimbursement of \$111,777 from the General Fund, and interest earnings exceeded authorized expenditures.

#### General Fund Budgetary Highlights

The Board of Directors did not amend the budget during the fiscal year. The District's budget is primarily a planning tool. Accordingly, actual results varied from the budgeted amounts. A comparison of actual to budgeted amounts is presented on Page 24 of this report. The budgetary fund balance as of September 30, 2019, was expected to be \$3,567,461 and the actual end of year fund balance was \$3,572,181.

#### **Capital Asset and Debt Administration**

#### Capital Assets

Capital assets held by the District at the end of the current and previous fiscal years are summarized as follows:

#### Capital Assets (Net of Accumulated Depreciation)

	 2019	 2018	Change
Land and easements	\$ 12,528,001	\$ 11,492,982	\$ 1,035,019
Detention ponds	9,998,310	8,390,416	1,607,894
Construction in progress	27,623,588	30,582,730	(2,959,142)
Water facilities	4,872,118	4,421,862	450,256
Sewer facilities	8,758,484	7,732,840	1,025,644
Drainage facilities	 7,732,628	 7,197,374	 535,254
Totals	\$ 71,513,129	\$ 69,818,204	\$ 1,694,925

Changes to capital assets during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019, are summarized as follows:

Additions:	
Utilities and improvements constructed by developers	\$ 667,627
Water system improvements	460,595
Sewer system improvements	114,880
Drainage system improvements	164,835
North tracts, Phase 2	630,476
Trails system	 340,688
Total additions to capital assets	2,379,101
Decreases:	
Depreciation	 (684,176)
Net change to capital assets	\$ 1,694,925

#### Debt

Subsequent to the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019, the District issued its Series 2019 Bond Anticipation Note in the amount of \$4,033,000 on December 17, 2019. The Note bears interest at 1.80% and matures on December 16, 2020. This Bond Anticipation Note will be repaid from the proceeds of the District's next bond issue.

Changes in the bonded debt position of the District during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019, are summarized as follows:

Bonded debt payable, beginning of fiscal year	\$ 55,310,000
Sale of bonds	10,000,000
Bonds paid	 (1,165,000)
Bonded debt payable, end of fiscal year	\$ 64,145,000

At September 30, 2019, the District had \$87,415,000 of bonds authorized but unissued for the purposes of acquiring, constructing and improving the water, sanitary sewer and drainage system within the District and \$21,700,000 for parks and recreational facilities.

The District's bonds have an underlying rating of BBB- by Standard & Poor's. The Series 2018 and 2018A bonds have an underlying rating of A3 by Moody's. The Series 2014 bonds are insured by Mutual Assurance Corp. The Series 2015 unlimited tax bonds, the Series 2015 refunding bonds, Series 2016 unlimited tax bonds, the Series 2017 unlimited tax bonds and the Series 2018A unlimited tax bonds are insured by Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp. The Series 2018 refunding bonds are insured by Build America Mutual Assurance Company. The rating of the Series 2011, 2011A and 2013 bonds is BBB- by Standard & Poor's. The insured rating of the Series 2014, 2015, 2015 refunding bonds, 2016, 2017, 2018 refunding bonds and 2018A bonds is AA by Standard & Poor's. There were no changes in the bond ratings during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019.

As further described in Note 5 of the notes to the financial statements, developers within the District are constructing certain facilities on behalf of the District under the terms of contracts with the District. The District has agreed to purchase these facilities from the proceeds of future bond issues subject to the approval of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality. At September 30, 2019, the estimated amount due to developers was \$24,049,346.

#### RELEVANT FACTORS AND WATER SUPPLY ISSUES

#### Property Tax Base

The District's tax base increased approximately \$37,475,000 for the 2018 tax year (approximately 7%), due to the addition of new houses and commercial properties to the tax base and increases to the valuations of existing properties.

#### Relationship to the City of Houston

Utilizing a provision of Texas law, the District and the City of Houston (the "City") entered into a 30 year Strategic Partnership Agreement (the "Agreement") effective March 25, 2005 (amended December 20, 2007, December 14, 2009 and May 8, 2012). Under the terms of the Agreement, the City annexed a portion of the District (the "Partial District") for the limited purpose of imposition of the City's Sales and Use Tax. In addition, the Agreement provides that the City shall apply and enforce within the Partial District the most current section of the City's fire code banning fireworks as adopted by City Council. The Agreement states that the District and all taxable property within the District shall not be liable for any present or future debts of the City and current and future taxes levied by the City shall not be levied on taxable property within the District. During the term of the SPA, the City has agreed not to annex all or part of the District for full purposes.

The City imposed a Sales and Use Tax within the boundaries of the Partial District at the time of the limited-purpose annexation of the Partial District. The Agreement provides that the City shall pay to the District one half of all Sales and Use Tax revenues generated within the boundaries of the Partial District and received by the City from the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas.

As further described in the notes to the financial statements, the District has entered into two Economic Development Agreements with developers within the District which commits a portion of the Sales and Use Tax revenues collected on the developed properties to the reimbursement of the developers for the construction and related costs of the project improvements.

#### Water Supply Issues

The District is within the boundaries of the Fort Bend Subsidence District (the "Subsidence District"), which regulates groundwater withdrawal. The District's authority to pump groundwater is subject to an annual permit issued by the Subsidence District. On September 24, 2003, the Subsidence District issued a District Regulatory Plan (the "Plan") to reduce groundwater withdrawal through conversion to surface water or other alternative water sources in certain areas within the Subsidence District's jurisdiction. Under the Plan, the District was required to have a groundwater reduction plan ("GRP") approved by the Subsidence District by the beginning date of the District's permit term in 2008, or pay a disincentive fee for any groundwater withdrawn in excess of 40% of the District's total water demand. Additional disincentive fees would be imposed under the Plan if the District's groundwater withdrawal exceeds 70% of the District's total water demand beginning October 2014, and exceeds 40% of the District's total water demand beginning January of 2025. The Texas Legislature created the North Fort Bend Water Authority (the "Authority") and included the District within the boundaries of the Authority. The Authority was created to provide a regional entity to build the necessary facilities to meet the Subsidence District's requirements for conversion from groundwater to surface water of all permit holders within its boundaries, including the District. Accordingly, the District is required to pay fees to the Authority, and in turn is entitled to rely upon the Authority's GRP to achieve compliance with the Subsidence District's requirements. The Subsidence District approved the Authority's GRP on August 27, 2008. The Authority may establish such fees, charges, or tolls as necessary to accomplish its purposes. As of September 30, 2019, the Authority had established a pumpage fee of \$3.65 per 1,000 gallons of groundwater pumped and a surface water fee of \$4.00 per 1,000 gallons of surface water purchased both of which are expected to increase in the future.

As of September 30, 2019, the District has been converted to surface water. While the Authority has met its current conversion requirements, in the event the Authority fails to commence and complete construction of additional surface water infrastructure to serve the necessary districts by the 2025 deadline established by the Subsidence District, the District and others within the Authority's GRP group could be required to pay the disincentive fee on withdrawn groundwater. This disincentive fee is substantial, and the District expects it would need to pass such fee through to its customers via higher water rates. This disincentive fee would be in addition to the Authority's fee. The District cannot predict the amount or level of fees and charges which may be due the Authority for future years, but anticipates that it will pass such fees through to its customers via higher water rates.

#### Defined Area

Pursuant to the Chapter 7993 of the Texas Special District Local Laws Code, the District is authorized to establish and administer defined areas as provided by Subchapter J of Chapter 54 of the Texas Water Code to pay for improvements, facilities, or services that primarily benefit that area.

# FORT BEND COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 50

# STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AND GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET

## **SEPTEMBER 30, 2019**

ASSETS	General	Debt Service	Capital Projects	Total	Adjustments (Note 3)	Statement of Net Position
Cash, including interest-bearing accounts, Note 7 Temporary investments, at cost, Note 7	\$ 402,425 3,861,279	\$ 169,209 3,082,018	\$ 6,254,920 150,971	\$ 6,826,554 7,094,268	\$	\$ 6,826,554 7,094,268
Receivables: Property taxes Accrued penalty and interest on property taxes Service accounts Sales and Use Taxes, Note 10	12,665 290,739 71,736	42,275		54,940 0 290,739 71,736	20,282	54,940 20,282 290,739 71,736
Maintenance taxes collected not yet transferred from other fund  Due from other fund  Groundwater bank certificates, at cost, Note 12	1,868 7,858	10,932		1,868 10,932 7,858	(1,868) (10,932)	0 0 7,858
Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, Note 4: Capital assets not being depreciated Depreciable capital assets				0	50,149,899 21,363,230	50,149,899 21,363,230
Total assets	\$4,648,570	\$3,304,434	\$ 6,405,891	\$14,358,895	71,520,611	85,879,506
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable Construction contracts payable Due to developer, Note 10 Accrued interest payable	\$ 382,746 16,937 256,741	\$ 5,815	\$ 75,116	\$ 388,561 92,053 256,741	208,928	388,561 92,053 256,741 208,928
Deposits for construction from developers Customer and builder deposits	51,348 345,020		1,008,498	1,059,846 345,020	200,320	1,059,846 345,020
Maintenance taxes collected not yet transferred to other fund Due to other fund Long-term liabilities, Note 5:	10,932	1,868		1,868 10,932	(1,868) (10,932)	0 0
Due in one year  Due in more than one year				0	1,092,920 85,436,258	1,092,920 85,436,258
Total liabilities	1,063,724	7,683	1,083,614	2,155,021	86,725,306	88,880,327
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES						
Property tax revenues	12,665	42,275	0	54,940	(54,940)	0
FUND BALANCES / NET POSITION						
Fund balances:  Nonspendable: Ground water bank certificates, Note 1 Restricted for future construction, Note 7 Assigned to:	2 7,858		430,000	7,858 430,000	(7,858) (430,000)	0
Debt service Capital projects Unassigned	3,564,323	3,254,476	4,892,277	3,254,476 4,892,277 3,564,323	(3,254,476) (4,892,277) (3,564,323)	0 0 0
Total fund balances	3,572,181	3,254,476	5,322,277	12,148,934	(12,148,934)	0
Total liabilities, deferred inflows, and fund balances	\$4,648,570	\$3,304,434	\$ 6,405,891	\$14,358,895		
Net position: Invested in capital assets, net of related debt, Note 4 Restricted for debt service Restricted for capital projects Unrestricted, Note 5					(14,586,049) 3,108,105 4,892,277 3,584,846	(14,586,049) 3,108,105 4,892,277 3,584,846
Total net position					\$ (3,000,821)	\$ (3,000,821)

## FORT BEND COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 50

# $\frac{\text{STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND}{\text{CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES}}$

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

	General Fund	Debt Service Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Total	Adjustments (Note 3)	Statement of Activities
REVENUES						
Property taxes Water service Sewer service Surface water fees, Note 11	\$ 1,239,368 661,363 651,111 748,041	\$ 3,665,599	\$	\$ 4,904,967 661,363 651,111 748,041	\$ (10,683)	\$ 4,894,284 661,363 651,111 748,041
Penalty, interest and other Tap connection and inspection fees Sales and Use Taxes, Note 10 Accrued interest on bonds	75,223 158,214 451,147	64,603		139,826 158,214 451,147	(5,139)	134,687 158,214 451,147
received at date of sale Interest on deposits and investments	86,478	5,383 102,607	33,716	5,383 222,801	(5,383)	0 222,801
Total revenues	4,070,945	3,838,192	33,716	7,942,853	(21,205)	7,921,648
EXPENDITURES / EXPENSES						
Service operations:						
Professional fees Contracted services	399,094 153,051	17,255 65,160		416,349 218,211		416,349 218,211
Utilities	93,149	65,160		93,149		93,149
Regional water authority fees, Note 11	725.136			725.136		725.136
Sewer plant lease payments, Note 9	442,800			442,800		442,800
Repairs and maintenance	930,760			930,760		930,760
Other operating expenditures	277,438			277,438		277,438
Garbage disposal	283,093			283,093		283,093
Administrative expenditures	87,261	5,016		92,277		92,277
Depreciation				0	684,176	684,176
Capital outlay / non-capital outlay Debt service:	460,755		6,430,631	6,891,386	(6,738,029)	153,357
Principal retirement		1,165,000		1,165,000	(1,165,000)	0
Bond issuance expenditures Interest and fees		2,473,796	597,321	597,321 2,473,796	118,020	597,321 2,591,816
Total expenditures / expenses	3,852,537	3,726,227	7,027,952	14,606,716	(7,100,833)	7,505,883
Excess (deficiency) of						
revenues over expenditures	218,408	111,965	(6,994,236)	(6,663,863)	7,079,628	415,765
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)						
Bonds issued, Note 5 Bond issuance discount, Note 5		276,135 (276,135)	9,723,865	10,000,000 (276,135)	(10,000,000) 276,135	0
Reimbursement to (from) other fund	(111,777)	(=: =, : ==)	111,777	0	0	0
Total other financing sources (uses)	(111,777)	0	9,835,642	9,723,865	(9,723,865)	0
Net change in fund balances / net position	106,631	111,965	2,841,406	3,060,002	(2,644,237)	415,765
Beginning of year	3,465,550	3,142,511	2,480,871	9,088,932	(12,505,518)	(3,416,586)
End of year	\$ 3,572,181	\$ 3,254,476	\$ 5,322,277	\$ 12,148,934	\$(15,149,755)	\$ (3,000,821)

#### FORT BEND COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 50

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **SEPTEMBER 30, 2019**

#### NOTE 1: REPORTING ENTITY

Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 (the "District") was created by an order of the Texas Water Commission (now the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality) effective March 18, 1986, and operates in accordance with Texas Water Code Chapters 49 and 54. The District is a political subdivision of the State of Texas, governed by an elected five member Board of Directors. The Board of Directors held its first meeting on March 19, 1986 and the first bonds were issued on April 14, 1987. The District is subject to the continuing supervision of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.

The District is empowered, among other things, to purchase, construct, operate and maintain all works, improvements, facilities and plants necessary for the supply of water; the collection, transportation and treatment of wastewater; and the control and diversion of storm water. The District may provide garbage disposal and collection services, including recycling. The District is empowered to construct parks and recreational facilities for the residents of the District. The District is authorized to construct, acquire, improve, maintain or operate roads located within or outside its boundaries and to define areas or designate certain property of the District ("Defined Areas") to pay for improvements, facilities, or services that primarily benefit that area. The District is also empowered to contract for and employ its own peace officers with powers to make arrests and to establish, operate and maintain a fire department to perform all fire-fighting activities within the District.

In evaluating how to define the District for financial reporting purposes, the Board of Directors of the District has considered all potential component units. The decision to include a potential component unit in the reporting entity was made by applying the criteria established by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. The basic, but not the only, criterion for including a potential component unit within the reporting entity is the governing body's ability to exercise oversight responsibility. The most significant manifestation of this ability is financial interdependency. Other manifestations of the ability to exercise oversight responsibility include, but are not limited to, the selection of governing authority, the designation of management, the ability to significantly influence operations and accountability for fiscal matters. The other criterion used to evaluate potential component units for inclusion or exclusion from the reporting entity is the existence of special financing relationships, regardless of whether the District is able to exercise oversight responsibilities. Based upon the application of these criteria, there were no other entities which were included as a component unit in the District's financial statements.

#### NOTE 2: SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The District's financial statements are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP"). The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (the "GASB") is responsible for establishing GAAP for state and local governments through its pronouncements (Statements and Interpretations). Governments are also required to follow the pronouncements of the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued through November 30, 1989 (when applicable), that do not conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements. The more significant accounting policies established in GAAP and used by the District are discussed below.

#### **Basic Financial Statements**

The District's basic financial statements include both government-wide (reporting the District as a whole) and governmental fund financial statements (reporting the District's funds). Because the District is a single-program government as defined by the GASB, the District has combined the government-wide statements and the fund financial statements using a columnar format that reconciles individual line items of fund financial data to government-wide data in a separate column on the face of the financial statements. An additional reconciliation between the fund and the government-wide financial data is presented in Note 3.

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the District. The effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. The District's net position is reported in three parts – invested in capital assets, net of related debt; restricted net position; and unrestricted net position. The government-wide statement of activities reports the components of the changes in net position during the reporting period.

The financial transactions of the District are reported in individual funds in the fund financial statements. Each fund is accounted for in a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprises its assets, liabilities, fund balances, revenues and expenditures and changes in fund balances. The District's fund balances are reported as nonspendable, restricted, committed, assigned or unassigned. Nonspendable fund balances are either not in spendable form or are contractually required to remain intact. Restricted fund balances include amounts that can only be used for the specific purposes stipulated by constitutional provisions, external resource providers or enabling legislation. Committed fund balances include amounts that can only be used for the specific purposes determined by formal action of the District's Board of Directors. Assigned fund balances are intended for a specific purpose but do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted or committed. Unassigned fund balance is the residual classification for the District's General Fund and includes all spendable amounts not contained in the other classifications. The transactions of the District are accounted for in the following funds:

General Fund -- To account for all revenues and expenditures not required to be accounted for in other funds.

Debt Service Fund -- To account for the accumulation of financial resources for, and the payment of, bond principal and interest, paid principally from property taxes levied by the District.

Capital Projects Fund -- To account for financial resources designated to construct or acquire capital assets. Such resources are derived principally from proceeds of the sale of bonds.

#### **Basis of Accounting**

The government-wide statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting which recognizes all long-term assets and receivables as well as long-term debt and obligations. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Ad valorem property taxes are recognized as revenues in the fiscal year for which they have been levied and related penalties and interest are recognized in the fiscal year in which they are imposed. An allowance for uncollectibles is estimated for delinquent property taxes and reported separately in the financial statements.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available if they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred except for principal and interest on bonds payable which are recorded only when payment is due.

#### Interfund Activity

Activity between funds that is representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year is reported as interfund receivables or payables, as appropriate, as are all other outstanding balances between funds. Operating transfers between funds represent legally authorized transfers from the fund receiving resources to the fund through which the resources are to be expended.

#### Receivables

Service accounts receivable as reported are considered collectible. The District uses the direct write off method for uncollectible service accounts. Unbilled water and sewer revenues are not material and are not recorded at year end. The District considers service accounts revenues to be available if they are to be collected within 60 days after the end of the fiscal year.

In the fund financial statements, ad valorem taxes and penalties and interest are reported as revenues in the fiscal year in which they become available to finance expenditures of the fiscal year for which they have been levied. Property taxes which have been levied and are not yet collected (or have been collected in advance of the fiscal year for which they have been levied) are recorded as deferred inflow of resources. Property taxes collected after the end of the fiscal year are not included in revenues.

#### Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, and immovable public domain or "infrastructure" assets are reported in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an initial individual cost of more than \$5,000 (including installation costs, if any, and associated professional fees) and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed by the District. Donated capital assets are recorded at historical cost. Additions, improvements and other capital outlays that significantly extend the useful life of an asset or increase the value of an asset are capitalized. Costs incurred for repairs and maintenance are expensed as incurred.

Depreciation on capital assets is computed using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

Plant and equipment 10-45 years Underground lines 45 years

#### Long-term Liabilities

Long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported in the government-wide financial statements. Bond premiums and discounts, are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable premium or discount. If bonds are refunded and the carrying amount of the new debt is different than the net carrying amount of the old debt, the difference is netted against the new debt and amortized using the effective interest method over the shorter of the remaining life of the refunded debt or the life of the new debt issued.

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds recognize bond premiums and discounts, as well as bond issuance costs, during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources while discounts on debt issuances are reported as other financing uses. Issuance costs, whether or not withheld from the actual debt proceeds received, are reported as expenditures of the fund from which they are paid.

#### NOTE 3: RECONCILIATION OF FUND TO GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Reconciliation of year end fund balances to net position:

Total fund balances, end of year	;	\$ 12,148,934
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the funds:  Total capital assets, net		71,513,129
Some long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds:	<b>*</b> (0.4.4.15.000)	
Bonds payable  Deferred charge on refunding (to be amortized as interest expense)	\$ (64,145,000) 1,234,021	
Issuance discount, net of premium (to be amortized as interest expense)	431,147	
Due to developers for construction	(24,049,346)	(86,529,178)
Some receivables that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as receivables in the funds:		
Accrued penalty and interest on property taxes receivable	20,282	
Uncollected property taxes	54,940	75,222
Some liabilities that do not require the use of current financial resources are not reported as liabilities in the funds:		
Accrued interest		(208,928)
Net position, end of year		\$ (3,000,821)

Reconciliation of net change in fund balances to change in net position:

Total net change in fund balances		\$ 3,060,002
The funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense:  Capital outlay  Depreciation	\$ 6,738,029 (684,176)	6,053,853
The issuance of long-term debt (bonds payable) provides current financial resources to the funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of the funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net position. The effect of these differences in the treatment of long-term debt:  Bonds issued  Principal reduction	(10,000,000) 1,165,000	(8,835,000)
	1,100,000	(0,033,000)
The funds report the effect of bond premiums, discounts, and similar items when debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities. The net effect of these differences in the treatment of these items:  Refunding charges Issuance discount, net of premium	(110,014) 286,364	176,350
Some revenues reported in the statement of activities do not provide current financial resources and therefore are not reported as revenues in the funds:  Accrued penalty and interest on property taxes receivable	(5,139)	
Uncollected property taxes	(10,683)	(15,822)
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as expenditures in the funds:		
Accrued interest		(23,618)
Change in net position		\$ 415,765

## NOTE 4: CAPITAL ASSETS

At September 30, 2019, "Invested in capital assets, net of related debt" was \$(14,586,049). This amount was negative primarily because not all expenditures from bond proceeds (such as bond issuance costs) were for the acquisition of capital assets. In addition, some expenditures from bond proceeds were for the acquisition of capital assets beneath the capitalization threshold of \$5,000 (see Note 2) and some authorized expenditures were not for capital assets.

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019, was as follows:

	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Ending Balance
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land and easements	\$ 11,492,982	\$ 1,035,019	\$	\$ 12,528,001
Detention ponds Construction in progress	8,390,416 30,582,730	1,607,894 2,450,825	5,409,967	9,998,310 27,623,588
Constitution in progress	00,002,700	2,100,020	0,100,001	27,020,000
Total capital assets not being depreciated	50,466,128	5,093,738	5,409,967	50,149,899
Depreciable capital assets:				
Water system	6,171,887	605,809		6,777,696
Sewer system	9,995,963	1,333,473		11,329,436
Drainage system	9,179,689	756,048		9,935,737
Total depreciable capital assets	25,347,539	2,695,330	0	28,042,869
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Water system	(1,750,025)	(155,553)		(1,905,578)
Sewer system	(2,263,123)	(307,829)		(2,570,952)
Drainage system	(1,982,315)	(220,794)		(2,203,109)
Total accumulated depreciation	(5,995,463)	(684,176)	0	(6,679,639)
Total depreciable capital assets, net	19,352,076	2,011,154	0	21,363,230
Total capital assets, net	\$ 69,818,204	\$ 7,104,892	\$ 5,409,967	\$ 71,513,129
Changes to capital assets:				
Capital outlay		\$ 6,738,029	\$	
Increase in liability to developer for construction		667,627	•	
Capital outlay paid (decrease in liability) to developers		(5,026,555)		
Assets transferred to non-depreciable assets		2,642,913	2,642,913	
Assets transferred to depreciable assets		2,767,054	2,767,054	
Less depreciation expense for the fiscal year		<u>(684,176)</u>		
Net increases / decreases to capital assets		\$ 7,104,892	\$ 5,409,967	

#### NOTE 5: LONG-TERM LIABILITIES AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

Subsequent to the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019, the District issued its Series 2019 Bond Anticipation Note in the amount of \$4,033,000 on December 17, 2019. The Note bears interest at 1.80% and matures on December 16, 2020. This Bond Anticipation Note will be repaid from the proceeds of the District's next bond issue.

Long-term liability activity for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019, was as follows:

	Beginning Balance	Additions	Reductions	Ending <u>Balance</u>	Due within One Year
Bonds payable Deferred amounts:	\$ 55,310,000	\$ 10,000,000	\$ 1,165,000	\$ 64,145,000	\$ 1,205,000
For issuance (discounts) premiums For refunding charges	(144,783) (1,344,035)	(276,135)	10,229 (110,014)	(431,147) (1,234,021)	(4,519) (107,561)
Total bonds payable	53,821,182	9,723,865	1,065,215	62,479,832	1,092,920
Due to developers for construction (see below)	28,408,274	667,627	<u>5,026,555</u>	24,049,346	
Total due to developers	28,408,274	667,627	5,026,555	24,049,346	0
Total long-term liabilities	\$ 82,229,456	\$ 10,391,492	\$ 6,091,770	\$ 86,529,178	\$ 1,092,920

#### **Developer Construction Commitments and Liabilities**

The developers within the District are constructing certain facilities within the District's boundaries. The District has agreed to reimburse the developers for these construction and related engineering costs plus interest not to exceed the interest rate of the applicable District bond issue. These amounts are to be reimbursed from the proceeds of a future bond issue to the extent approved by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality. The District's engineer stated that cost of the construction in progress at September 30, 2019, was \$24,049,346. This amount has been recorded in the government-wide financial statements and in the schedules in Notes 4 and 5.

The bond issues payable at September 30, 2019, were as follows:

A management and state and single	Series 2011	Series 2011A	<u>Series 2013</u>	
Amounts outstanding, September 30, 2019	\$150,000	\$50,000	\$5,450,000	
Interest rates	4.25%	3.75%	3.00% to 4.00%	
Maturity dates, serially beginning/ending	September 1, 2020	September 1, 2020	September 1, 2020/2041	
Interest payment dates	March 1/September 1	March 1/September 1	March 1/September 1	
Callable dates	September 1, 2018*	September 1, 2018*	September 1, 2020*	

<sup>\*</sup>Or any date thereafter at par plus accrued interest to the date of redemption, in whole or in part at the option of the District.

A management of a substantial and a substantial	Refunding Series 2014	Series 2015	Refunding Series 2015	
Amounts outstanding, September 30, 2019	\$7,495,000	\$3,625,000	\$11,800,000	
Interest rates	3.00% to 4.00%	3.50% to 6.00%	2.00% to 4.00%	
Maturity dates, serially beginning/ending	September 1, 2020/2029	September 1, 2020/2043	September 1, 2020/2036	
Interest payment dates	March 1/September 1	March 1/September 1	March 1/September 1	
Callable dates	September 1, 2021*	September 1, 2022*	September 1, 2022*	
Amounts outstanding,	Series 2016	Refunding Series 2017	Refunding Series 2018	
September 30, 2019	\$12,400,000	\$8,775,000	\$4,400,000	
Interest rates	4.00% to 6.00%	3.75% to 4.25%	2.00% to 3.75%	
Maturity dates, serially beginning/ending	September 1, 2020/2045	September 1, 2020/2038	September 1, 2020/2039	
Interest payment dates	March 1/September 1	March 1/September 1	March 1/September 1	
Callable dates	September 1, 2023*	September 1, 2024*	September 1, 2023*	
A management and a second seco	Series 2018A			
Amounts outstanding, September 30, 2019	\$10,000,000			
Interest rates	2.00% to 4.00%			
Maturity dates, serially beginning/ending	September 1, 2021/2048			
Interest payment dates	March 1/September 1			
Callable dates	September 1, 2023*			

<sup>\*</sup>Or any date thereafter at par plus accrued interest to the date of redemption, in whole or in part at the option of the District.

As of September 30, 2019, the debt service requirements on the bonds payable were as follows:

Fiscal				
Year	Principal	Interest		Total
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2020	\$ 1,205,000	\$ 2,507,132	\$	3,712,132
2021	1,310,000	2,468,432		3,778,432
2022	1,365,000	2,426,731		3,791,731
2023	1,405,000	2,383,655		3,788,655
2024	1,450,000	2,328,606		3,778,606
2025 - 2029	8,095,000	10,753,001		18,848,001
2030 - 2034	9,890,000	9,032,332		18,922,332
2035 - 2039	12,525,000	6,915,271		19,440,271
2040 - 2044	15,300,000	4,196,404		19,496,404
2045 - 2048	11,600,000	1,120,000		12,720,000
	\$ 64,145,000	\$ 44,131,564	\$	108,276,564
Bonds voted for finan			\$	25,300,000
	acilities approved for sale			25,300,000
Bonds voted for finan	cing facilities and not iss	ued		0
Panda votad for finan	cing facilities and refund	ing purposes		131,000,000
		ing purposes ing purposes and issued		43,585,000
	•	ing purposes and issued		87,415,000
Donas voica for finan	only racillities and retaile	ing purposes and not issued		07,410,000
Bonds voted for finan	cing parks and recreation	nal facilities		21,700,000
	cing parks and recreation			0
		nal facilities and not issued		21,700,000
Refunding bonds vote	1	5,180,000.00		
Refunding bonds vote				3,473,072.65
Refunding bonds vote	ed and not issued		1	1,706,927.35

The bonds are payable from the proceeds of an ad valorem tax levied upon all property subject to taxation within the District, without limitation as to rate or amount.

### NOTE 6: PROPERTY TAXES

The Fort Bend Central Appraisal District has the responsibility for appraising property for all taxing units within the county as of January 1 of each year, subject to review and change by the county Appraisal Review Board. The appraisal roll, as approved by the Appraisal Review Board, must be used by the District in establishing its tax roll and tax rate. The District's taxes are usually levied in the fall, are due when billed, and are not delinquent until after the following January 31. On January 1 of each year, a statutory tax lien attaches to property to secure the payment of all taxes, penalties and interest ultimately imposed for the year on the property.

The Bond Resolution requires that the District levy and collect an ad valorem debt service tax sufficient to pay interest and principal on bonds when due and the cost of assessing and collecting taxes.

At an election held May 2, 1992, the voters within the District authorized a maintenance tax not to exceed \$5.75 per \$100 valuation on all property subject to taxation within the District. This maintenance tax is being used by the General Fund to pay expenditures of operating the District.

On September 11, 2018, the District levied the following ad valorem taxes for the 2018 tax year on the adjusted taxable valuation of \$539,004,682:

	 Rate	 Amount	
Debt service Maintenance	\$ 0.6800 0.2300	\$ 3,665,232 1,239,711	
	\$ 0.9100	\$ 4,904,943	

A reconciliation of the tax levy to property tax revenues on the Statement of Activities is as follows:

2018 tax year total property tax levy Appraisal district adjustments to prior year taxes	\$ 4,904,943 (10,659)
Statement of Activities property tax revenues	\$ 4,894,284

### NOTE 7: DEPOSITS AND TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS

The District complied with the requirements of the Public Funds Investment Act during the current fiscal year including the preparation of quarterly investment reports required by the Act.

State statutes authorize the District to invest and reinvest in direct or indirect obligations of the United States, the State of Texas, any county, city, school district, or other political subdivision of the state, or in local government investment pools authorized under the Public Funds Investment Act. Funds of the District may be placed in certificates of deposit of state or national banks or savings and loan associations within the state provided that they are secured in the manner provided for the security of the funds under the laws of the State of Texas. In accordance with the District's investment policies, during the current year the District's funds were invested in interest bearing accounts at authorized financial institutions, a money market mutual fund, an authorized private sector investment pool, and in TexPool, a local government investment pool sponsored by the State Comptroller. TexPool is rated AAAm by Standard & Poor's.

In accordance with state statutes and the District's investment policies, the District requires that insurance or security be provided by depositories for all funds held by them. At the balance sheet date, the carrying amount of the District's deposits was \$6,826,554 and the bank balance was \$6,905,053. Of the bank balance, \$567,028 was covered by federal insurance, \$6,244,087 was covered by a letter of credit in favor of the District issued by the Federal Home Loan Bank of Atlanta and \$93,938 was covered by a letter of credit in favor of the District issued by the Federal Home Loan Bank of Dallas

At the balance sheet date the carrying value and market value of the investments in TexPool was \$7,094,268.

Deposits and temporary investments restricted by state statutes and the Bond Resolutions:

### **Debt Service Fund**

For payment of debt principal and interest, paying agent fees and costs of assessing and collecting taxes:

Cash Temporary investments	\$ 169,209 3,082,018
	\$ 3,251,227

### Capital Projects Fund

For construction of capital assets:

Cash Temporary investments	\$ 6,254,920 150,971
	\$ 6,405,891

At September 30, 2019, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality required that the District escrow \$430,000 from the proceeds of its Series 2011 bonds. At the balance sheet date, these funds were invested in an interest-bearing cash account.

### NOTE 8: RISK MANAGEMENT

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to: torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; personal injuries and natural disasters. Significant losses are covered by insurance as described below. There were no significant reductions in insurance coverage from the prior fiscal year. There have been no settlements which have exceeded the insurance coverage for each of the past three fiscal years.

At September 30, 2019, the District had property damage and boiler and machinery coverage of \$5,643,510, general liability coverage with a per occurrence limit of \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000 general aggregate, pollution liability coverage of \$2,000,000, automobile liability coverage of \$2,000,000 and statutory worker's compensation coverage with the Texas Municipal League Intergovernmental Risk Pool (the "Pool"). The Pool is a public entity risk pool currently operating as a common risk management and insurance program for various Texas public entities. The District pays annual premiums for its general insurance coverage. The Pool purchases reinsurance for protection against catastrophic losses that exceed the Pool's self-insurance retention. This reinsurance is purchased from companies rated A- or higher by A. M. Best Company. At this date, the District also had consultant's crime coverage of \$500,000 and a tax assessor-collector bond of \$500,000.

### NOTE 9: LEASED WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT

On November 11, 2003, the District and AUC Group, L.P. entered into an agreement for the lease of a 350,000 gpd Pre-Packaged Sewage Treatment Plant. On May 27, 2007, the District and AUC Group, L.P. entered into an agreement for the lease of an additional 350,000 gpd expansion to the Pre-Packaged Sewage Treatment Plant. The total cost of the combined lease was \$14,260 per month. The term of the additional lease was 48 months, after which the combined lease automatically extended for 30 day periods at a monthly rate of \$11,900 per month. The additional expansion became operational as of January 1, 2009. On September 12, 2017, the District and AUC Group, L.P. entered into an agreement for the lease of additional equipment. The term of the lease will be 24 months commencing on the date the additional equipment is put in service. The additional equipment was put in service on August 1, 2018. Lease costs under these leases were \$442,800 during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019.

### NOTE 10: STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT

Utilizing a provision of Texas law, the District and the City of Houston (the "City") entered into a 30 year Strategic Partnership Agreement (the "Agreement") effective March 25, 2005 (amended December 20, 2007, December 14, 2009 and May 8, 2012). Under the terms of the Agreement, the City annexed a portion of the District (the "Partial District") for the limited purpose of imposition of the City's Sales and Use Tax. In addition, the Agreement provides that the City shall apply and enforce within the Partial District the most current section of the City's fire code banning fireworks as adopted by City Council. The Agreement states that the District and all taxable property within the District shall not be liable for any present or future debts of the City and current and future taxes levied by the City shall not be levied on taxable property within the District. During the term of the SPA, the City has agreed not to annex all or part of the District or commence any action to annex all or part of the District for full purposes.

The City has imposed a Sales and Use Tax within the boundaries of the Partial District at the time of the limited-purpose annexation of the Partial District. The Agreement provides that the City shall pay to the District one half of all Sales and Use Tax revenues generated within the boundaries of the Partial District and received by the City from the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas. The District accrued Sales and Use Tax revenues of \$200,000 (net of the amount due to the developer as described in the following paragraph) plus \$251,147 (from properties not subject to the Economic Development Grants described in the following paragraphs) from the City for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019. \$71,736 of this amount was receivable at that date.

A developer within the District has constructed certain project improvements on property within the District's boundaries which are economically beneficial to the District. Effective July 16, 2007, the District entered into an Economic Development Agreement (as amended) with the developer to make certain Economic Development Grant payments to the developer to help offset the construction and related engineering costs of the project improvements plus two years of interest. Beginning 2010, these Economic Development Grant payments will be made from the proceeds of Sales and Use Tax revenues collected on that certain property in excess of \$200,000 per calendar year. The total eligible Economic Development Grant payments, subject to the District receiving sufficient Sales and Use Tax revenues from the City, are \$7,780,903. The District's obligation to make Economic Development Grant payments associated with construction and engineering costs terminates after May 15, 2042, regardless of whether the amount of Sales and Use Tax revenue has been sufficient to pay all of the eligible Economic Development Grant amount. The District's obligation to make these annual payments shall cease twenty-eight years from the effective date of the Economic Development Agreement. The District paid the developer \$642,665 for the 2018 calendar year. At September 30, 2019, the Sales and Use Tax revenues for calendar year 2019 in excess of \$200,000 and due to the developer were \$256,741.

A second developer within the District is constructing certain project improvements on property within the District's boundaries which are economically beneficial to the District. Effective May 24, 2010, the District entered into an Economic Development Agreement with the developer to make certain Economic Development Grant payments to the developer for the construction and related engineering costs of the project improvements plus two years of interest. These Economic Development Grant payments will be from the proceeds of Sales and Use Tax revenues collected on that certain property in annual payments beginning May 1 in the year after the first year in which sales tax receipts are collected on the property. The annual Economic Development Grant payments shall equal 50% of the Sales and Use Tax revenues collected on that certain property. The Economic Development Agreement estimates the total Economic Development Grant to be \$914,000. The District's obligation to make these annual payments shall cease twelve years from the effective date of the Economic Development Agreement. For the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019, no Sales and Use Tax revenues were collected on that certain property.

### NOTE 11: REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

The District is within the boundaries of the Fort Bend Subsidence District (the "Subsidence District"), which regulates groundwater withdrawal. The District's authority to pump groundwater is subject to an annual permit issued by the Subsidence District. On September 24, 2003, the Subsidence District issued a District Regulatory Plan (the "Plan") to reduce groundwater withdrawal through conversion to surface water or other alternative water sources in certain areas within the Subsidence District's jurisdiction. Under the Plan, the District was required to have a groundwater reduction plan ("GRP") approved by the Subsidence District by the beginning date of the District's permit term in 2008, or pay a disincentive fee for any groundwater withdrawn in excess of 40% of the District's total water demand. Additional disincentive fees would be imposed under the Plan if the District's groundwater withdrawal exceeds 70% of the District's total water demand beginning October 1, 2014, and exceeds 40% of the District's total water demand beginning January of 2025.

The Texas Legislature created the North Fort Bend Water Authority (the "Authority") and included the District within the boundaries of the Authority. The Authority was created to provide a regional entity to build the necessary facilities to meet the Subsidence District's requirements for conversion from groundwater to surface water of all permit holders within its boundaries, including the District. Accordingly, the District is required to pay fees to the Authority, and in turn is entitled to rely upon the Authority's GRP to achieve compliance with the Subsidence District's requirements. The Subsidence District approved the Authority's GRP on August 27, 2008. The Authority may establish such fees, charges, or tolls as necessary to accomplish its purposes. As of September 30, 2019, the Authority had established a fee of \$3.65 per 1,000 gallons of groundwater pumped and a surface water fee of \$4.00 per 1,000 gallons of surface water purchased both of which are expected to increase in the future. The surface water fees payable by the District to the Authority for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2019, were \$725,136. The District billed its customers \$748,041 during the fiscal year to pay for the fees charged by the Authority.

As of September 30, 2019, the District has been converted to surface water. While the Authority has met its current conversion requirements, in the event the Authority fails to commence and complete construction of additional surface water infrastructure to serve the necessary districts by the 2025 deadline established by the Subsidence District, the District and others within the Authority's GRP group could be required to pay the disincentive fee on withdrawn groundwater. This disincentive fee is substantial, and the District expects it would need to pass such fee through to its customers via higher water rates. This disincentive fee would be in addition to the Authority's fee. The District cannot predict the amount or level of fees and charges which may be due the Authority for future years, but anticipates that it will pass such fees through to its customers via higher water rates.

### NOTE 12: GROUNDWATER BANK CERTIFICATES

The District has received Groundwater Bank certificates directly from the issuer, the Fort Bend Subsidence District (the "FBSD"). These certificates expire in 20 years and allow the bearer to pump the quantity of water specified on the certificate from wells instead of using surface water as mandated by the FBSD. Certificates can also be used in lieu of a disincentive fee assessed by the FBSD for ground water pumpage in excess of the District's permit as amended. At September 30, 2019, the District had in its possession certificates totaling 18,396 thousand gallons of water. The District values the certificates at cost which resulted in a total cost basis for the certificates on hand of \$7,858 at September 30, 2019.

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

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

	Budgete	d Amounts		Variance with Final Budget Positive
	Original Final		Actual	(Negative)
REVENUES				
Property taxes Water service Sewer service Surface water fees Penalty and other Tap connection and inspection fees Sales and Use Taxes Interest on deposits and investments  TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 1,229,711 630,000 620,000 700,000 57,000 103,000 456,000 45,000 3,840,711	\$ 1,229,711 630,000 620,000 700,000 57,000 103,000 456,000 45,000	\$ 1,239,368 661,363 651,111 748,041 75,223 158,214 451,147 86,478	\$ 9,657 31,363 31,111 48,041 18,223 55,214 (4,853) 41,478
EXPENDITURES				
Service operations: Professional fees Contracted services Utilities Regional water authority fees Sewer plant lease payments Repairs and maintenance Other operating expenditures Garbage disposal Administrative expenditures Capital outlay  TOTAL EXPENDITURES	662,000 154,000 95,000 700,000 442,800 641,000 221,000 102,000 446,000	662,000 154,000 95,000 700,000 442,800 641,000 221,000 275,000 102,000 446,000	399,094 153,051 93,149 725,136 442,800 930,760 277,438 283,093 87,261 460,755	(262,906) (949) (1,851) 25,136 0 289,760 56,438 8,093 (14,739) 14,755
EXCESS REVENUES (EXPENDITURES)	101,911	101,911	218,408	116,497
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Reimbursement to other fund	0	0	(111,777)	(111,777)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCIAL SOURCES (USES)	0	0	(111,777)	(111,777)
CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	101,911	101,911	106,631	4,720
FUND BALANCE, BEGINNING OF YEAR	3,465,550	3,465,550	3,465,550	0
FUND BALANCE, END OF YEAR	\$ 3,567,461	\$ 3,567,461	\$ 3,572,181	\$ 4,720

The District's Board of Directors adopts an annual nonappropriated budget. This budget may be amended throughout the fiscal year and is prepared on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles.

## $\frac{\text{SCHEDULE OF TEXAS SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION}}{\text{REQUIRED BY THE TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY}}$

### <u>SEPTEMBER 30, 2019</u>

(Schedules included are checked or explanatory notes provided for omitted schedules.)

[X]	TSI-1.	Services and Rates
[X]	TSI-2.	General Fund Expenditures
[X]	TSI-3.	Temporary Investments
[X]	TSI-4.	Taxes Levied and Receivable
[X]	TSI-5.	Long-Term Debt Service Requirements by Years
[X]	TSI-6.	Changes in Long-Term Bonded Debt
[X]	TSI-7.	Comparative Schedule of Revenues and Expenditures - General Fund and Debt Service Fund - Five Year
[X]	TSI-8.	Board Members, Key Personnel and Consultants

### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES AND RATES

### **SEPTEMBER 30, 2019**

۱.	. Services Provided by the District during the Fiscal Year:								
	X Retail Water X Retail Wastewat Parks/Recreation X Solid Waste/Gar Participates in joi (other than emer Other	n bage int venture, regi		/astewater on I	X Drainage Irrigation Security Roads ater service				
2.	Retail Service Provi	ders							
	a. Retail Rates for a	a 5/8" meter (or	equivalent):						
		Minimum Charge	Minimum Usage	Flat Rate Y/N	Rate per 1000 Gallons Over Minimum	Usage Levels			
	WATER:	\$20.00	0 to 10,000	N	\$1.50 2.00 3.00 4.00	10,001 to 15,000 15,001 to 20,000 20,001 to 50,000 Over 50,000			
	WASTEWATER:	\$37.00	0	Υ	Not Applicable	Not Applicable			
	SURCHARGE: \$4.40 per 1,000 gallons of water used NFBWA surface water fees.								
	District employs winter averaging for wastewater usage: Yes No _X_								
	Total charges per 10	0,000 gallons us	sage: Water: \$	20.00 V	/astewater: \$37.00	Surcharge: \$44.00			

### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES AND RATES (Continued)

### **SEPTEMBER 30, 2019**

### b. Water and Wastewater Retail Connections (unaudited):

Meter Size	Total Active ESFC* Connections Connections Factor			Active ESFCs	
Unmetered	0	0	1.0	0	
< or = 3/4"	1,483	1,472	1.0	1,472	
1"	23	23	2.5	58	
1-1/2"	12	11	5.0	55	
2"	65	65	8.0	520	
3"	3	3	15.0	45	
4"	2	2	25.0	50	
6"	7	7	50.0	350	
8"	3	3	80.0	240	
10"	1	1	115.0	115	
Total Water	1,599	1,587		2,905	
Total Wastewater	1,524	1,513	1.0	1,513	

<sup>\*</sup>Single family equivalents

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2	Total Water	Consumption	during the Fi	iecal Vaar (	rounded to	thaucande):

Gallons pumped into system (unaudited): 186,713 Gallons billed to customers (unaudited): 176,783

Water Accountability Ratio

(Gallons billed/ gallons pumped): 95%

4.	Standby	/ Fees	(authorized	only	under	I VV	C Section	49.231	):
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Does the District have Debt Service standby fees? Yes \_\_ No X

If yes, date of the most recent Commission Order:

Does the District have Operation and Maintenance standby fees? Yes  $\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}}$  No  $\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}}$ 

If yes, date of the most recent Commission Order:

### **EXPENDITURES**

	General Fund	Debt Service Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Totals (Memorandum Only)
CURRENT				
Professional fees:				
Auditing	\$ 12,650	\$	\$	\$ 12,650
Legal	215,453	17,255		232,708
Engineering	170,991			170,991
	399,094	17,255	0	416,349
Contracted services:				
Bookkeeping	24,422			24,422
Operation and billing	119,629			119,629
SPA inspections	9,000			9,000
Tax assessor-collector		28,948		28,948
Central appraisal district		36,212		36,212
	153,051	65,160	0	218,211
Utilities	93,149	0	0	93,149
Regional water authority fees:				
Ground water pumpage fees	94,508			94,508
Purchased surface water	630,628			630,628
	725,136	0	0	725,136
Sewer plant lease payments	442,800	0	0	442,800
Repairs and maintenance	930,760	0	0	930,760
Other operating expenditures:				
Sludge hauling	56,124			56,124
Chemicals	51,101			51,101
Laboratory costs	31,276			31,276
Sewer inspection costs	112,481			112,481
TCEQ assessment	11,146			11,146
Other	15,310			15,310
	277,438	0	0	277,438
Garbage disposal	283,093	0	0	283,093
Administrative expenditures:				
Director's fees	15,000			15,000
Office supplies and postage	24,118			24,118
Insurance	17,007			17,007
Permit fees	11,640			11,640
Other	19,496	5,016		24,512
	87,261	5,016	0	92,277

### **EXPENDITURES (Continued)**

	General Fund	Debt Service Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Totals (Memorandum Only)
CAPITAL OUTLAY				
Authorized expenditures Tap connection costs	\$ 412,975 47,780 460,755	\$ 0	\$ 6,430,631 6,430,631	\$ 6,843,606 47,780 6,891,386
DEBT SERVICE				
Principal retirement	0	1,165,000	0	1,165,000
Bond issuance expenditures	0	0	597,321	597,321
Interest and fees: Interest Paying agent fees	0	2,465,796 8,000 2,473,796	0	2,465,796 8,000 2,473,796
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 3,852,537	\$ 3,726,227	\$ 7,027,952	\$ 14,606,716

## $\frac{\text{ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN DEPOSITS AND TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS}}{\text{ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES}}$

SOURCES OF DEPOSITS AND	General Fund	Debt Service Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Totals (Memorandum Only)
TEMPORARY INVESTMENT				
Cash receipts from revenues excluding maintenance taxes Maintenance tax receipts Transfer of maintenance taxes	\$ 2,822,094	\$ 3,838,192 1,239,368	\$ 33,716	\$ 6,694,002 1,239,368
Proceeds from sale of bonds Developer construction advances Reimbursement from other fund	1,252,745 1,172,609		9,723,865 635,931 111,777	1,252,745 9,723,865 1,808,540 111,777
Sales and Use Taxes collected to be paid to developer in accordance with Economic Development Agreement Increase in customer and other deposits	256,741 15,406			256,741 15,406
Overpayments from taxpayers		27,855		27,855
TOTAL DEPOSITS AND TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS PROVIDED	<u>5,519,595</u>	<u>5,105,415</u>	10,505,289	21,130,299
APPLICATIONS OF DEPOSITS AND TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS				
Cash disbursements for: Current expenditures Capital outlay Debt service Payment to developer in accordance with	3,349,824 474,250	89,236 3,638,796	6,377,278 597,321	3,439,060 6,851,528 4,236,117
Economic Development Agreement Payments from developer construction advances Reimbursement to other fund Transfer of maintenance taxes	642,665 443,762 111,777	1,252,745		642,665 443,762 111,777 1,252,745
Refund of taxpayer overpayments  TOTAL DEPOSITS AND TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS APPLIED	5,022,278	<u>25,192</u> <u>5,005,969</u>	6,974,599	<u>25,192</u> <u>17,002,846</u>
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN DEPOSITS AND TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS	497,317	99,446	3,530,690	4,127,453
DEPOSITS AND TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR	3,766,387	3,151,781	2,875,201	9,793,369
DEPOSITS AND TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$ 4,263,704	\$ 3,251,227	<u>\$ 6,405,891</u>	<u>\$ 13,920,822</u>

### SCHEDULE OF TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS

### **SEPTEMBER 30, 2019**

GENERAL FUND	Interest <u>Rate</u>	Maturity Date	Year End Balance	Accrued Interest Receivable
TexPool				
No. 4497888500001 No. 4497888500005	Market Market	On demand On demand	\$ 2,612,870 1,248,409	\$ 0 0
			\$ 3,861,279	<u>\$ 0</u>
DEBT SERVICE FUND				
TexPool				
No. 4497888500002 No. 4497888500003	Market Market	On demand On demand	\$ 2,645,656 436,362	\$ 0 0
			\$ 3,082,018	<u>\$ 0</u>
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND				
TexPool				
No. 4497888500004	Market	On demand	\$ 150,971	<u>\$ 0</u>
Total – All Funds			\$ 7,094,268	<u>\$ 0</u>

### TAXES LEVIED AND RECEIVABLE

	Maintenance Taxes	Debt Service Taxes
RECEIVABLE, BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$ 15,053	\$ 50,570
Additions and corrections to prior year taxes	(2,731)	(7,928)
Adjusted receivable, beginning of year	12,322	42,642
2018 ADJUSTED TAX ROLL	1,239,711	3,665,232
Total to be accounted for	1,252,033	3,707,874
Tax collections: Current tax year Prior tax years	(1,233,071) (6,297)	(3,645,602) (19,997)
RECEIVABLE, END OF YEAR	<u>\$ 12,665</u>	\$ 42,275
RECEIVABLE, BY TAX YEAR		
Prior 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018	\$ 961 343 293 242 263 282 283 581 910 1,867 6,640	\$ 4,128 1,473 1,259 1,316 1,334 1,431 1,433 2,063 2,689 5,519 19,630
RECEIVABLE, END OF YEAR	\$ 12,665	\$ 42,275

### TAXES LEVIED AND RECEIVABLE (Continued)

ADJUSTED PROPERTY VALUATIONS AS OF JANUARY 1 OF TAX YEAR	2018	2017	2016	2015
Land Improvements Personal property Less exemptions	\$ 154,664,030 357,312,650 37,833,517 (10,805,515)	\$ 135,320,320 340,016,252 37,032,599 (10,839,386)	\$ 123,194,190 319,658,224 36,694,380 (9,080,298)	\$ 115,402,260 289,824,994 39,066,930 (7,217,370)
TOTAL PROPERTY VALUATIONS	<u>\$ 539,004,682</u>	<u>\$ 501,529,785</u>	\$ 470,466,496	\$437,076,814
TAX RATES PER \$100 VALUATION				
Debt service tax rates Maintenance tax rates*	\$ 0.68000 0.23000	\$ 0.68000 0.23000	\$ 0.68000 0.23000	\$ 0.71000 0.20000
TOTAL TAX RATES PER \$100 VALUATION	\$ 0.91000	\$ 0.91000	\$ 0.91000	\$ 0.91000
TAX ROLLS	\$ 4,904,943	\$ 4,563,921	\$ 4,281,245	\$ 3,977,399
PERCENT OF TAXES COLLECTED TO TAXES LEVIED	99.5 %	% 99.8 %	6 99.9 %	% 99.9 %

<sup>\*</sup>Maximum tax rate approved by voters on May 2, 1992: \$5.75

# FORT BEND COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 50 LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS, BY YEARS SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

		Series 2011	
Due During Fiscal Years Ending September 30	Principal Due September 1	Interest Due March 1, September 1	Total
2020	\$ 150,000	\$ 6,375	\$ 156,375
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		Series 2011A	
Due During Fiscal Years Ending September 30	Principal Due September 1	Interest Due March 1, September 1	Total
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2020	\$ 50,000	<u>\$ 1,875</u>	<u>\$ 51,875</u>

# LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS, BY YEARS (Continued) <u>SEPTEMBER 30, 2019</u>

	Series 2013				
Due During Fiscal Years Ending September 30	Principal Due September 1	Interest Due March 1, September 1	Total		
2020	\$ 25,000	\$ 214,425	\$ 239,425		
2021	50,000	213,675	263,675		
2022	50,000	212,175	262,175		
2023	50,000	210,675	260,675		
2024	50,000	209,125	259,125		
2025	50,000	207,525	257,525		
2026	50,000	205,875	255,875		
2027	50,000	204,175	254,175		
2028	50,000	202,425	252,425		
2029	50,000	200,625	250,625		
2030	50,000	198,775	248,775		
2031	50,000	196,900	246,900		
2032	50,000	195,000	245,000		
2033	50,000	193,000	243,000		
2034	50,000	191,000	241,000		
2035	50,000	189,000	239,000		
2036	50,000	187,000	237,000		
2037	50,000	185,000	235,000		
2038	50,000	183,000	233,000		
2039	50,000	181,000	231,000		
2040	2,175,000	179,000	2,354,000		
2041	2,300,000	92,000	2,392,000		
TOTALS	\$ 5,450,000	\$ 4,251,375	\$ 9,701,375		

### LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS, BY YEARS (Continued)

### **SEPTEMBER 30, 2019**

		S	eries 2014	
Due During Fiscal Years Ending September 30	Principal Due ptember 1		terest Due March 1, eptember 1	 Total
2020	\$ 420,000	\$	286,750	\$ 706,750
2021	435,000		274,150	709,150
2022	450,000		261,100	711,100
2023	775,000		247,600	1,022,600
2024	805,000		216,600	1,021,600
2025	845,000		184,400	1,029,400
2026	875,000		150,600	1,025,600
2027	920,000		115,600	1,035,600
2028	960,000		78,800	1,038,800
2029	 1,010,000		40,400	 1,050,400
TOTALS	\$ 7,495,000	\$	1,856,000	\$ 9,351,000

# LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS, BY YEARS (Continued) SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

		Series 2015	
Due During Fiscal Years Ending September 30	Principal Due September 1	Interest Due March 1, September 1	Total
2020	\$ 25,000	\$ 144,094	\$ 169,094
2021	25,000	142,594	167,594
2022	25,000	141,094	166,094
2023	25,000	139,594	164,594
2024	25,000	138,094	163,094
2025	25,000	136,594	161,594
2026	25,000	135,094	160,094
2027	25,000	133,594	158,594
2028	25,000	132,718	157,718
2029	25,000	131,844	156,844
2030	25,000	130,968	155,968
2031	25,000	130,094	155,094
2032	25,000	129,094	154,094
2033	25,000	128,094	153,094
2034	25,000	127,094	152,094
2035	25,000	126,094	151,094
2036	25,000	125,094	150,094
2037	25,000	124,094	149,094
2038	25,000	123,094	148,094
2039	25,000	122,094	147,094
2040	25,000	121,094	146,094
2041	25,000	120,124	145,124
2042	1,500,000	119,156	1,619,156
2043	1,575,000	61,030	1,636,030

\$ 3,625,000

**TOTALS** 

\$ 3,062,532

6,687,532

### LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS, BY YEARS (Continued)

### **SEPTEMBER 30, 2019**

	Series 2015 Refunding				
Due During Fiscal Years Ending September 30	Principal Due September 1	Interest Due March 1, September 1	Total		
2020	\$ 370,000	\$ 442,488	\$ 812,488		
2021	380,000	435,088	815,088		
2022	390,000	426,538	816,538		
2023	100,000	417,762	517,762		
2024	100,000	414,762	514,762		
2025	105,000	411,762	516,762		
2026	105,000	408,612	513,612		
2027	110,000	405,462	515,462		
2028	115,000	401,612	516,612		
2029	120,000	397,588	517,588		
2030	1,245,000	393,088	1,638,088		
2031	1,295,000	346,400	1,641,400		
2032	1,350,000	294,600	1,644,600		
2033	1,410,000	240,600	1,650,600		
2034	1,470,000	184,200	1,654,200		
2035	1,535,000	125,400	1,660,400		
2036	1,600,000	64,000	1,664,000		
TOTALS	\$ 11,800,000	\$ 5,809,962	\$ 17,609,962		

# LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS, BY YEARS (Continued) SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

		Series 2016	
Due During Fiscal Years Ending September 30	Principal Due September 1	Interest Due March 1, September 1	Total
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 2030 2031 2032 2033 2034 2035 2036 2037 2038 2039	\$ 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000	\$ 513,000 507,000 501,000 495,000 489,000 484,000 479,000 474,000 469,000 464,000 459,000 454,000 449,000 440,000 436,000 432,000 428,000 428,000 428,000	\$ 613,000 607,000 601,000 595,000 589,000 579,000 574,000 569,000 564,000 559,000 544,000 549,000 540,000 536,000 532,000 428,000 428,000
2040 2041 2042	525,000 525,000 1,475,000	428,000 407,000 386,000	953,000 932,000 1,861,000
2042 2043 2044 2045	1,525,000 3,250,000 3,400,000	327,000 266,000 136,000	1,852,000 3,516,000 3,536,000
TOTALS	\$ 12,400,000	\$ 11,223,000	\$ 23,623,000

# LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS, BY YEARS (Continued) SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

	Series 2017				
Due During Fiscal Years Ending September 30	Principal Due September 1	Interest Due March 1, September 1	Total		
2020	\$ 45,000	\$ 352,050	\$ 397,050		
2021	200,000	350,250	550,250		
2022	205,000	342,250	547,250		
2023	210,000	334,050	544,050		
2024	225,000	325,650	550,650		
2025	230,000	316,650	546,650		
2026	240,000	307,450	547,450		
2027	245,000	297,850	542,850		
2028	255,000	288,050	543,050		
2029	255,000	277,850	532,850		
2030	255,000	267,650	522,650		
2031	260,000	257,450	517,450		
2032	265,000	247,050	512,050		
2033	270,000	236,450	506,450		
2034	280,000	225,650	505,650		
2035	280,000	214,450	494,450		
2036	285,000	203,250	488,250		
2037	2,175,000	191,850	2,366,850		
2038	2,595,000	110,288	2,705,288		
TOTALS	\$ 8,775,000	<u>\$ 5,146,188</u>	\$ 13,921,188		

## LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS, BY YEARS (Continued)

### <u>SEPTEMBER 30, 2019</u>

		Series 2018	
Due During Fiscal Years Ending September 30	Principal Due September 1	Interest Due March 1, September 1	Total
2020	\$ 20,000	\$ 158,513	\$ 178,513
2021	70,000	158,113	228,113
2022	70,000	156,012	226,012
2023	70,000	153,912	223,912
2024	70,000	151,813	221,813
2025	95,000	149,712	244,712
2026	90,000	146,863	236,863
2027	90,000	144,163	234,163
2028	90,000	141,350	231,350
2029	90,000	138,538	228,538
2030	90,000	135,500	225,500
2031	115,000	132,462	247,462
2032	115,000	128,438	243,438
2033	110,000	124,412	234,412
2034	110,000	120,424	230,424
2035	110,000	116,438	226,438
2036	110,000	112,312	222,312
2037	110,000	108,188	218,188
2038	10,000	104,062	114,062
2039	2,765,000	103,688	2,868,688
TOTALS	\$ 4,400,000	\$ 2,684,913	\$ 7,084,913

### LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS, BY YEARS (Continued)

### **SEPTEMBER 30, 2019**

		Series 2018A	
Due During Fiscal Years Ending September 30	Principal Due September 1	Interest Due March 1, September 1	Total
2020	\$	\$ 387,562	\$ 387,562
2021	50,000	387,562	437,562
2022	75,000	386,562	461,562
2023	75,000	385,062	460,062
2024	75,000	383,562	458,562
2025	75,000	381,782	456,782
2026	75,000	380,000	455,000
2027	75,000	377,938	452,938
2028	75,000	375,874	450,874
2029	75,000	373,626	448,626
2030	75,000	371,375	446,375
2031	75,000	368,938	443,938
2032	75,000	366,500	441,500
2033	75,000	363,876	438,876
2034	75,000	361,250	436,250
2035	75,000	358,438	433,438
2036	75,000	355,625	430,625
2037	75,000	352,812	427,812
2038	75,000	350,000	425,000
2039	75,000	347,000	422,000
2040	75,000	344,000	419,000
2041	75,000	341,000	416,000
2042	75,000	338,000	413,000
2043	75,000	335,000	410,000
2044	100,000	332,000	432,000
2045	100,000	328,000	428,000
2046	2,600,000	324,000	2,924,000
2047	2,700,000	220,000	2,920,000
2048	2,800,000	112,000	2,912,000
TOTALS	\$ 10,000,000	\$ 10,089,344	\$ 20,089,344

### LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS, BY YEARS (Continued)

### **SEPTEMBER 30, 2019**

	An	nual Requirements for All Ser	ies
Due During Fiscal Years Ending September 30	Total Principal Due	Total Interest Due	Total
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2020	\$ 1,205,000	\$ 2,507,132	\$ 3,712,132
2021	1,310,000	2,468,432	3,778,432
2022	1,365,000	2,426,731	3,791,731
2023	1,405,000	2,383,655	3,788,655
2024	1,450,000	2,328,606	3,778,606
2025	1,525,000	2,272,425	3,797,425
2026	1,560,000	2,213,494	3,773,494
2027	1,615,000	2,152,782	3,767,782
2028	1,670,000	2,089,829	3,759,829
2029	1,725,000	2,024,471	3,749,471
2030	1,840,000	1,956,356	3,796,356
2031	1,920,000	1,886,244	3,806,244
2032	1,980,000	1,809,682	3,789,682
2033	2,040,000	1,730,432	3,770,432
2034	2,110,000	1,649,618	3,759,618
2035	2,175,000	1,565,820	3,740,820
2036	2,245,000	1,479,281	3,724,281
2037	2,435,000	1,389,944	3,824,944
2038	2,755,000	1,298,444	4,053,444
2039	2,915,000	1,181,782	4,096,782
2040	2,800,000	1,072,094	3,872,094
2041	2,925,000	960,124	3,885,124
2042	3,050,000	843,156	3,893,156
2043	3,175,000	723,030	3,898,030
2044	3,350,000	598,000	3,948,000
2045	3,500,000	464,000	3,964,000
2046	2,600,000	324,000	2,924,000
2047	2,700,000	220,000	2,920,000
2048	2,800,000	112,000	2,912,000
TOTALS	\$ 64,145,000	\$ 44,131,564	\$ 108,276,564

### ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN LONG-TERM BONDED DEBT

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Bond Series:	2011	2011A	2013	2014
Interest Rate:	4.25%	3.75%	3.00% to 4.00%	3.00% to 4.00%
Dates Interest Payable:	March 1/ September 1	March 1/ September 1	March 1/ September 1	March 1/ September 1
Maturity Dates:	September 1, 2020	September 1, 2020	September 1, 2020/2041	September 1, 2020/2029
Bonds Outstanding at Beginning of Current Year	\$ 295,000	\$ 100,000	\$ 5,475,000	\$ 7,905,000
Less Retirements	(145,000)	(50,000)	(25,000)	(410,000)
Bonds Outstanding at End of Current Year	<u>\$ 150,000</u>	\$ 50,000	\$ 5,450,000	\$ 7,495,000
Current Year Interest Paid	\$ 12,175	\$ 3,625	\$ 215,175	\$ 299,050

### Bond Descriptions and Original Amount of Issue

- (1) Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2011 (\$6,630,000)
- (2) Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2011A (\$7,000,000)
- (3) Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2013 (\$5,600,000)
- (4) Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2014 (\$9,220,000)

### Paying Agent/Registrar

(1) (2) (3) (4) The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., Dallas, Texas

### ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN LONG-TERM BONDED DEBT (Continued)

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Bond Series:	2015	2015 Ref.	2016	2017 Ref.
Interest Rate:	3.50% to 6.00%	2.00% to 4.00%	4.00% to 6.00%	3.75% to 4.25%
Dates Interest Payable:	March 1/ September 1	March 1/ September 1	March 1/ September 1	March 1/ September 1
Maturity Dates:	September 1, 2020/2043	September 1, 2020/2036	September 1, 2020/2045	September 1, 2020/2038
Bonds Outstanding at Beginning of Current Year	\$ 3,650,000	\$ 12,155,000	\$ 12,500,000	\$ 8,815,000
Less Retirements	(25,000)	(355,000)	(100,000)	(40,000)
Bonds Outstanding at End of Current Year	\$ 3,625,000	<u>\$ 11,800,000</u>	\$ 12,400,000	\$ 8,775,000
Current Year Interest Paid	\$ 145,594	\$ 449,588	\$ 519,000	\$ 353,650

### Bond Descriptions and Original Amount of Issue

- (5) Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2015 (\$3,700,000)
- (6) Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2015 (\$12,765,000)
- (7) Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2016 (\$12,500,000)
- (8) Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2017 (\$8,855,000)

### Paying Agent/Registrar

(5) (6) (7) (8) The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., Dallas, Texas

Bond Authority	 Tax Bonds*	 Other Bonds	Re	funding Bonds*
Amount Authorized by Voters: Amount Issued:	\$ 156,300,000 68,885,000	\$ 21,700,000 0	\$	15,180,000.00 3,473,072.65
Remaining to be Issued:	87,415,000	21,700,000		11,706,927.35

<sup>\*</sup>See Note 5 of the notes to financial statements for additional information.

### ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN LONG-TERM BONDED DEBT (Continued)

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

	(9)	(10)	Totals
Bond Series:	2018 Ref.	2018A	
Interest Rate:	2.00% to 3.75%	2.00% to 4.00%	
Dates Interest Payable:	March 1/ September 1	March 1/ September 1	
Maturity Dates:	September 1, 2020/2039	September 1, 2021/2048	
Bonds Outstanding at Beginning of Current Year	\$ 4,415,000	\$ 0	\$ 55,310,000
Add Bonds Sold		10,000,000	10,000,000
Less Retirements	(15,000)	0	(1,165,000)
Bonds Outstanding at End of Current Year	\$ 4,400,000	\$ 10,000,000	\$ 64,145,000
Current Year Interest Paid	\$ 192,339	\$ 275,600	\$ 2,465,796

### Bond Descriptions and Original Amount of Issue

- (9) Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2018 (\$4,150,000)
- (10) Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50 Unlimited Tax Bonds, Series 2018A (\$10,000,000)

### Paying Agent/Registrar

(9) (10) The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., Dallas, Texas

Net Debt Service Fund deposits and investments balances as of September 30, 2019: \$3,254,476 Average annual debt service payment for remaining term of all debt: \$3,733,675

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES, GENERAL FUND

# FOR YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30

			AMOUNT				PERCENT (	PERCENT OF TOTAL REVENUES	ENUES	
REVENUES	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Property taxes Water service Sewer service Surface water fees Penalty and other Tap connection and inspection fees Sales and Use Taxes Interest on deposits and investments	\$ 1,239,368 661,363 661,111 748,041 75,223 158,214 451,147 86,478	\$ 1,150,135 664,076 615,903 747,088 78,873 219,157 402,099 51,658	\$ 1,080,543 627,512 611,394 645,722 83,995 92,925 324,996	\$ 871,874 562,641 600,403 618,609 85,396 374,909 322,073 2,892	\$ 559,131 552,723 591,790 548,507 51,696 36,020 230,000	30.5 % 16.2 16.0 18.4 1.8 3.9 1.11	29.3 % 16.9 15.7 19.0 2.0 5.6 10.2	31.0 % 18.0 17.6 18.6 2.4 2.7 9.3	25.8 % 16.7 17.8 18.3 2.5 9.3 9.5	21.7 % 23.1 23.1 2.0 2.0 8.9 8.9
TOTAL REVENUES EXPENDITURES	4,070,945	3,928,989	3,479,690	3,378,797	2,571,714	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Current: Professional fees Contracted services Utilities Regional water authority fees Sewer plant lease payments Repairs and maintenance Other operating expenditures Garbage disposal Administrative expenditures Capital outlay	399,094 153,051 93,149 725,136 442,800 930,760 277,438 283,093 87,261 460,755	340,265 148,608 93,818 703,782 188,080 546,130 221,241 261,748 99,423 770,079	662,593 133,235 89,539 612,639 142,800 558,221 178,239 248,614 92,556 77,964	475,516 117,233 98,853 587,602 142,800 560,549 165,726 241,769 117,272 371,875	406,637 112,935 92,290 529,978 142,800 570,707 170,754 240,957 83,078 28,420	9.8 3.8 2.3 17.8 10.9 6.8 6.8 6.8 11.3	8.7. 2.4. 4.2. 4.8 4.8 5.6 6.7 6.7 6.7 85.9	19.1 3.8 2.6 17.6 16.1 16.1 2.2 2.2 4.8	14.1 3.5 2.9 2.9 4.2 4.0 6.6 6.6 7.2 3.5 2.8 2.8 2.8	15.8 4.4 4.4 3.6 5.6 5.6 6.6 9.4 3.2 1.1
EXCESS REVENUES (EXPENDITURES)  TOTAL ACTIVE RETAIL WATER CONNECTIONS  TOTAL ACTIVE RETAIL  WASTEWATER CONNECTIONS	\$ 218,408 1,587	1,582	\$ 683,290 1,546	1,490	1,468	% 4 %	14.1 %	19.6 %	% 8.	7.5 %
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# COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES, DEBT SERVICE FUND FOR YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30

			AMOUNT				PERCENT	PERCENT OF TOTAL REVENUES	ENUES	
REVENUES	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Property taxes Penalty and interest Accrued interest on bonds received at date of sale Interest and other	\$ 3,665,599 64,603 5,383 102,607	\$ 3,398,778 42,941 5,735 63,005	\$ 3,197,420 33,885 28,078 27,992	\$ 3,098,497 24,486 0 10,995	\$ 2,832,931 17,467 37,495 12,192	95.5 % 1.7 0.1 2.7	96.8 % 1.2 0.2 1.8	97.2 % 1.0 0.9 0.9	98.8 % 0.8 0.0	97.6 % 0.6 1.3 0.5
TOTAL REVENUES	3,838,192	3,510,459	3,287,375	3,133,978	2,900,085	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
EXPENDITURES										
Current:										
Professional fees	17,255	11,325	10,970	5,168	4,259	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1
Contracted services	65,160	60,202	54,839	51,479	47,475	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6
Other expenditures Debt service:	5,016	14,694	7,493	5,703	3,448	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.1
Principal retirement	1,165,000	995,000	930,000	875,000	795,000	30.4	28.3	28.3	27.9	27.4
Refunding contribution	0	65,068	0	0	265,354	0.0	1.9	0.0	0.0	9.1
Interest and fees	2,473,796	2,135,666	2,189,168	1,989,921	1,652,441	64.5	6.09	9.99	63.5	57.1
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	3,726,227	3,281,955	3,192,470	2,927,271	2,767,977	97.1	93.5	97.2	93.4	95.4
EXCESS REVENUES (EXPENDITURES)	\$ 111,965	\$ 228,504	\$ 94,905	\$ 206,707	\$ 132,108	2.9 %	6.5 %	2.8 %	% 9.9	4.6 %

### BOARD MEMBERS, KEY PERSONNEL AND CONSULTANTS

### **SEPTEMBER 30, 2019**

Complete District Mailing Address: Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 50

c/o Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP 3200 Southwest Freeway, Suite 2600

Houston, Texas 77027

District Business Telephone No.: 713-860-6400

Submission date of the most recent District Registration Form: July 9, 2019

Limit on Fees of Office that a Director may receive during a fiscal year: \$7,200

### **BOARD MEMBERS**

Name and Address	Term of Office (Elected/ Appointed)	Fees of Office Paid	Expense Reimb.	Title at Year End
Craig Lewis c/o Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP 3200 Southwest Freeway, Suite 2600 Houston, Texas 77027	Elected 5/07/16-5/02/20	\$ 1,050	\$ 2,967	President
Jerry Slatton c/o Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP 3200 Southwest Freeway, Suite 2600 Houston, Texas 77027	Elected 5/05/18-5/07/22	5,100	2,617	Vice President
Peter Lajoie c/o Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP 3200 Southwest Freeway, Suite 2600 Houston, Texas 77027	Elected 5/07/16-5/02/20	3,750	2,306	Secretary
Reginald Stubblefield c/o Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP 3200 Southwest Freeway, Suite 2600 Houston, Texas 77027	Elected 5/05/18-5/07/22	1,200	251	Assistant Secretary
Leon Bridges c/o Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP 3200 Southwest Freeway, Suite 2600 Houston, Texas 77027	Elected 5/05/18-5/07/22	3,900	2,164	Assistant Vice President

### BOARD MEMBERS, KEY PERSONNEL AND CONSULTANTS (Continued)

### **SEPTEMBER 30, 2019**

### **CONSULTANTS**

Name and Address	Date Hired	Fees and Expense Reimbursements	Title at Year End
Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP 3200 Southwest Freeway, Suite 2600 Houston, Texas 77027	7/27/03	\$ 215,453 250,123 Bonds	Attorney
Perdue, Brandon, Fielder, Collins & Mott, L.L.P. 1235 North Loop West, Suite 600 Houston, Texas 77008	4/16/02	17,255	Delinquent Tax Attorney
District Data Services, Inc. 9575 Katy freeway, Suite 390 Houston, Texas 77024	3/19/86	24,422 2,500 Bonds	Bookkeeper
Wendy Austin/Stephanie Viator 9575 Katy freeway, Suite 390 Houston, Texas 77024	10/10/06	0	Investment Officers
Municipal District Services, L.L.C. 406 West Grand Parkway South, Suite 260 Katy, Texas 77494	6/1/12	974,891	Operator
R. G. Miller Engineers, Inc. 16340 Park Ten Place, Suite 350 Houston, Texas 77084	5/29/02	268,097	Engineer
Tax Tech, Inc. 12841 Capricorn Drive Stafford, Texas 77477	1/08/08	32,303 2,500 Bonds	Tax Assessor- Collector
Fort Bend Central Appraisal District 2801 B. F. Terry Rosenberg, Texas 77471	Legislative Action	36,212	Central Appraisal District
Rathmann & Associates, L.P. 8584 Katy Freeway, Suite 250 Houston, Texas 77024	6/05/03	201,500 Bonds	Financial Advisor
Mark C. Eyring, CPA, PLLC 12702 Century Drive, Suite C2 Stafford, Texas 77477	Prior to 1992	10,950 1,700 Bonds	Independent Auditor

### APPENDIX C

### SPECIMEN OF MUNICIPAL BOND INSURANCE POLICY



# MUNICIPAL BOND INSURANCE POLICY

ISSUER: Policy No: -N

BONDS: \$ in aggregate principal amount of Effective Date:

Premium: \$

ASSURED GUARANTY MUNICIPAL CORP. ("AGM"), for consideration received, hereby UNCONDITIONALLY AND IRREVOCABLY agrees to pay to the trustee (the "Trustee") or paying agent (the "Paying Agent") (as set forth in the documentation providing for the issuance of and securing the Bonds) for the Bonds, for the benefit of the Owners or, at the election of AGM, directly to each Owner, subject only to the terms of this Policy (which includes each endorsement hereto), that portion of the principal of and interest on the Bonds that shall become Due for Payment but shall be unpaid by reason of Nonpayment by the Issuer.

On the later of the day on which such principal and interest becomes Due for Payment or the Business Day next following the Business Day on which AGM shall have received Notice of Nonpayment, AGM will disburse to or for the benefit of each Owner of a Bond the face amount of principal of and interest on the Bond that is then Due for Payment but is then unpaid by reason of Nonpayment by the Issuer, but only upon receipt by AGM, in a form reasonably satisfactory to it, of (a) evidence of the Owner's right to receive payment of the principal or interest then Due for Payment and (b) evidence, including any appropriate instruments of assignment, that all of the Owner's rights with respect to payment of such principal or interest that is Due for Payment shall thereupon vest in AGM. A Notice of Nonpayment will be deemed received on a given Business Day if it is received prior to 1:00 p.m. (New York time) on such Business Day; otherwise, it will be deemed received on the next Business Day. If any Notice of Nonpayment received by AGM is incomplete, it shall be deemed not to have been received by AGM for purposes of the preceding sentence and AGM shall promptly so advise the Trustee, Paying Agent or Owner, as appropriate, who may submit an amended Notice of Nonpayment. Upon disbursement in respect of a Bond, AGM shall become the owner of the Bond, any appurtenant coupon to the Bond or right to receipt of payment of principal of or interest on the Bond and shall be fully subrogated to the rights of the Owner, including the Owner's right to receive payments under the Bond, to the extent of any payment by AGM hereunder. Payment by AGM to the Trustee or Paying Agent for the benefit of the Owners shall, to the extent thereof, discharge the obligation of AGM under this Policy.

Except to the extent expressly modified by an endorsement hereto, the following terms shall have the meanings specified for all purposes of this Policy. "Business Day" means any day other than (a) a Saturday or Sunday or (b) a day on which banking institutions in the State of New York or the Insurer's Fiscal Agent are authorized or required by law or executive order to remain closed. "Due for Payment" means (a) when referring to the principal of a Bond, payable on the stated maturity date thereof or the date on which the same shall have been duly called for mandatory sinking fund redemption and does not refer to any earlier date on which payment is due by reason of call for redemption (other than by mandatory sinking fund redemption), acceleration or other advancement of maturity unless AGM shall elect, in its sole discretion, to pay such principal due upon such acceleration together with any accrued interest to the date of acceleration and (b) when referring to interest on a Bond, payable on the stated date for payment of interest. "Nonpayment" means, in respect of a Bond, the failure of the Issuer to have provided sufficient funds to the Trustee or, if there is no Trustee, to the Paying Agent for payment in full of all principal and interest that is Due for Payment on such Bond. "Nonpayment" shall also include, in respect of a Bond, any payment of principal or interest that is Due for Payment made to an Owner by or on behalf of the Issuer which has been recovered from such Owner pursuant

United States Bankruptcy Code by a trustee in bankruptcy in accordance with a final, nonappealable order of a court having competent jurisdiction. "Notice" means telephonic or telecopied notice, subsequently confirmed in a signed writing, or written notice by registered or certified mail, from an Owner, the Trustee or the Paying Agent to AGM which notice shall specify (a) the person or entity making the claim, (b) the Policy Number, (c) the claimed amount and (d) the date such claimed amount became Due for Payment. "Owner" means, in respect of a Bond, the person or entity who, at the time of Nonpayment, is entitled under the terms of such Bond to payment thereof, except that "Owner" shall not include the Issuer or any person or entity whose direct or indirect obligation constitutes the underlying security for the Bonds.

AGM may appoint a fiscal agent (the "Insurer's Fiscal Agent") for purposes of this Policy by giving written notice to the Trustee and the Paying Agent specifying the name and notice address of the Insurer's Fiscal Agent. From and after the date of receipt of such notice by the Trustee and the Paying Agent, (a) copies of all notices required to be delivered to AGM pursuant to this Policy shall be simultaneously delivered to the Insurer's Fiscal Agent and to AGM and shall not be deemed received until received by both and (b) all payments required to be made by AGM under this Policy may be made directly by AGM or by the Insurer's Fiscal Agent on behalf of AGM. The Insurer's Fiscal Agent is the agent of AGM only and the Insurer's Fiscal Agent shall in no event be liable to any Owner for any act of the Insurer's Fiscal Agent or any failure of AGM to deposit or cause to be deposited sufficient funds to make payments due under this Policy.

To the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, AGM agrees not to assert, and hereby waives, only for the benefit of each Owner, all rights (whether by counterclaim, setoff or otherwise) and defenses (including, without limitation, the defense of fraud), whether acquired by subrogation, assignment or otherwise, to the extent that such rights and defenses may be available to AGM to avoid payment of its obligations under this Policy in accordance with the express provisions of this Policy.

This Policy sets forth in full the undertaking of AGM, and shall not be modified, altered or affected by any other agreement or instrument, including any modification or amendment thereto. Except to the extent expressly modified by an endorsement hereto, (a) any premium paid in respect of this Policy is nonrefundable for any reason whatsoever, including payment, or provision being made for payment, of the Bonds prior to maturity and (b) this Policy may not be canceled or revoked. THIS POLICY IS NOT COVERED BY THE PROPERTY/CASUALTY INSURANCE SECURITY FUND SPECIFIED IN ARTICLE 76 OF THE NEW YORK INSURANCE LAW.

In witness whereof, ASSURED GUARANTY MUNICIPAL CORP. has caused this Policy to be executed on its behalf by its Authorized Officer.



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