AGENDA CITY COUNCIL BRIEFING MEETING WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2008 CITY HALL 1500 MARILLA DALLAS, TEXAS 75201 9:00 A.M.

9:00 am Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance [08-3000]

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Special Presentations [08-3001]

Open Microphone Speakers [08-3002]

Briefing by Councilmembers Hill and Atkins on the Trade & Investment Fact Finding Mission to South Africa Fall 2008 [08-3003; BRIEFED]

VOTING AGENDA 6ES

1. Approval of Minutes of the October 15, 2008 City Council Meeting [08-3004; APPROVED WITH CORRECTIONS]

 Consideration of appointments to boards and commissions and the evaluation and duties of board and commission members (List of nominees is available in the City Secretary's Office) [08-3005 AND 08-3006; FULL COUNCIL; APPOINTMENTS MADE TO BOARDS]

ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

Office of Financial Services

- 3. An ordinance authorizing the issuance and sale of Combination Tax and Revenue Certificates of Obligation Series 2008A in an amount not to exceed \$5,500,000; establishing parameters regarding the sale of the Bonds; approving the execution of the Bond Purchase Contract and an Escrow Agreement; and all other matters related thereto Not to exceed \$59,662 Financing: 2008A Combination Tax and Revenue Certificates of Obligation Interest Earnings [08-3007; APPROVED; ORDINANCE 27379]
- 4. An ordinance authorizing the issuance and sale of Equipment Acquisition Contractual Obligations Series 2008 in an amount not to exceed \$40,000,000; establishing parameters regarding the sale of the Bonds; approving the execution of the Bond Purchase Contract and an Escrow Agreement; and all other matters related thereto - Not to exceed \$121,415 - Financing: 2008 Equipment Acquisition Contractual Obligations - Interest Earnings [08-3008; APPROVED; ORDINANCE 27380]
- 5. An ordinance authorizing the issuance and sale of General Obligation Bonds Series 2008 in an amount not to exceed \$214,670,000; establishing parameters regarding the sale of the Bonds; approving the execution of the Bond Purchase Contract and an Escrow Agreement; and all other matters related thereto Not to exceed \$519,263 Financing: 2006 Bond Funds Interest Earnings [08-3009; APPROVED; ORDINANCE 27381]

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Briefings

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A. Council Appointees Performance Plans [08-3010; BRIEFED] Mary K. Suhm, City Manager • Thomas P. Perkins, Jr., City Attorney Craig Daniel Kinton, City Auditor Deborah A. Watkins, City Secretary Lunch - Passport to Health Diabetes Awareness Luncheon @ 11:30 a.m. [08-3011] B. Discussion of Amendments to the Smoking Ordinance [08-3012; BRIEFED] Closed Session [08-3013; HELD] 6ES Personnel Matters (Sec. 551.074 T.O.M.A.) Discussion regarding the performance review of City Manager Mary K. Suhm Discussion regarding the performance review of City Attorney Thomas P. Perkins, Jr. Discussion regarding the performance review of City Auditor Craig Daniel Kinton Discussion regarding the performance review of City Secretary Deborah A. Watkins