### MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE MONDAY, MAY 6, 2024

24-0013

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL/VIDEO CONFERENCE
MAYOR PRO TEM TENNELL ATKINS, PRESIDING

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PRESENT:	[7]	Atkins, Narvaez, *West, Arnold (**1:21 p.m.), *Bazaldua, Stewart, Ridley
ABSENT:	[0]	
The meeting	was call	led to order at 1:06 p.m. with a quorum of the committee present.
_	•	posted in accordance with Chapter 551, "OPEN MEETINGS," of the Texas vas presented.
After all bus adjourned at 3		roperly brought before the committee had been considered, the meeting n.
		Chair
ATTEST:		
City Secretary	y Staff	Date Approved
The agenda is	s attache	ed to the minutes of this meeting as EXHIBIT A.
The actions to meeting as EX		each matter considered by the committee are attached to the minutes of this B.
The briefing	material	Is for this meeting are filed with the City Secretary's Office as EXHIBIT C.
*Note: Mem	bers of	the Committee participated in this meeting by video conference.

\*\* Note: Indicates arrival time after meeting called to order/reconvened.

# MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE MONDAY, MAY 6, 2024

EXHIBIT A

### RECEIVED

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### **Economic Development Committee**

May 6, 2024 1:00 PM

### **2023 CITY COUNCIL APPOINTMENTS**

COUNCIL COMMITTEE				
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Atkins (C), Narvaez (VC), Arnold, Bazaldua, Ridley, Stewart, West	GOVERNMENT PERFORMANCE AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT West (C), Blackmon (VC), Mendelsohn, Moreno, Resendez			
HOUSING AND HOMELESSNESS SOLUTIONS Moreno (C), Mendelsohn (VC), Gracey, West, Willis	PARKS, TRAILS, AND THE ENVIRONMENT Stewart (C), Moreno (VC), Arnold, Bazaldua, Blackmon, Narvaez, West			
PUBLIC SAFETY Mendelsohn (C), Stewart (VC), Atkins, Moreno, Willis	QUALITY OF LIFE, ARTS, AND CULTURE Bazaldua (C), Resendez (VC), Blackmon, Gracey, Ridley, Schultz, Willis			
TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE Narvaez (C), Gracey (VC), Atkins, Mendelsohn, Resendez, Schultz, Stewart	WORKFORCE, EDUCATION, AND EQUITY Schultz (C), Arnold (VC), Bazaldua, Blackmon, Resendez, Ridley, Willis			
AD HOC COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AFFAIRS Atkins (C), Mendelsohn, Moreno, *Ridley, *Stewart	AD HOC COMMITTEE ON GENERAL INVESTIGATING AND ETHICS Mendelsohn (C), Gracey, Johnson, Schultz, Stewart			
AD HOC COMMITTEE ON JUDICIAL NOMINATIONS Ridley (C), Resendez, West	AD HOC COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS Mendelsohn (C), Atkins, Gracey, Narvaez, Stewart			
AD HOC COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS Atkins (C), Blackmon, Mendelsohn, Moreno, Resendez, Stewart, West, Willis	AD HOC COMMITTEE ON PROFESSIONAL SPORTS RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION Gracey (C), Blackmon, Johnson, Moreno, Narvaez, Resendez, Schultz			

(C) - Chair, (VC) - Vice Chair

\* Updated:2/22/24

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"De acuerdo con la sección 30.07 del código penal (ingreso sin autorización de un titular de una licencia con una pistola a la vista), una persona con licencia según el subcapítulo h, capítulo 411, código del gobierno (ley sobre licencias para portar pistolas), no puede ingresar a esta propiedad con una pistola a la vista."

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#### Call to Order

#### **MINUTES**

A. 24-1525 Approval of Minutes of the March 26, 2024 Special Called Joint Meeting of the Council Ad Hoc Committee on Professional Sports Recruitment and Retention and Council Economic Development Committee

Approval of the April 1, 2024 Economic Development Committee Meeting Minutes

**Attachments:** Minutes

**Minutes** 

#### **BRIEFING ITEMS**

B. 24-1514 FY 24-25 Budget Briefings: Convention & Event Services, Planning &

Urban Design

[Rosa Fleming, Director, Convention & Event Services] [Andrea Gilles, Interim Director, Planning & Urban Design]

<u>Attachments:</u> <u>Presentation</u>

Presentation

C. 24-1515 Media Production Development Zone South Side Studios Dallas, LLC

[Heather Lepeska, Assistant Director]

**Attachments:** Presentation

D. 24-1519 Development Services Monthly Technology and Metrics Review

[Andrew Espinoza, Director/Chief Building Official, Development

Services]

**Attachments:** Presentation

E. 24-1520 Small Business Center Partnership with Small Business Administration

[Joyce Williams, Director, Small Business Center]

**Attachments:** Presentation

### **BRIEFING MEMOS**

F. <u>24-1521</u> D CEO's 2024 Commercial Real Estate Awards

[Kevin Spath, Interim Director, Office of Economic Development]

<u>Attachments:</u> <u>Memorandum</u>

G. 24-1522 Dallas Business Journal's 2024 Best Real Estate Deals

[Kevin Spath, Interim Director, Office of Economic Development]

<u>Attachments:</u> <u>Memorandum</u>

### **UPCOMING AGENDA ITEMS**

H. 24-1523 Upcoming Agenda Item for Proposed Amendments for Shops at RedBird

Project Development Agreement, as amended

[Kevin Spath, Interim Director, Office of Economic Development]

Attachments: Memorandum

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION NOTICE**

A closed executive session may be held if the discussion of any of the above agenda items concerns one of the following:

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- 2. deliberating the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property if deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the city in negotiations with a third person. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.072]
- deliberating a negotiated contract for a prospective gift or donation to the city if deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the city in negotiations with a third person. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.073]
- 4. deliberating the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee; or to hear a complaint or charge against an officer or employee unless the officer or employee who is the subject of the deliberation or hearing requests a public hearing. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.074]
- 5. deliberating the deployment, or specific occasions for implementation, of security personnel or devices. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.076]
- 6. discussing or deliberating commercial or financial information that the city has received from a business prospect that the city seeks to have locate, stay or expand in or near the city and with which the city is conducting economic development negotiations; or deliberating the offer of a financial or other incentive to a business prospect. [Tex Govt. Code §551.087]
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# MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE MONDAY, MAY 6, 2024

EXHIBIT B

MAY 6, 2024

Item A: Approval of Minutes of the March 26, 2024 Special Called Joint Meeting of the

Council Ad Hoc Committee on Professional Sports Recruitment and Retention and

Council Economic Development Committee

Approval of the April 1, 2024 Economic Development Committee Meeting

Minutes

Councilmember Ridley moved to adopt the minutes as presented.

Motion seconded by Councilmember Narvaez and unanimously adopted. (Arnold absent when vote taken)

MAY 6, 2024

### **BRIEFING ITEMS**

Item B: FY 24-25 Budget Briefings: Convention & Event Services, Planning & Urban Design

The following individuals briefed the committee on the item:

- Jack Ireland, Chief Financial Officer, City Manager's Office;
- Rosa Fleming, Director, Convention & Event Services; and
- Andrea Gilles, Interim Director, Planning & Urban Design

MAY 6, 2024

### **BRIEFING ITEMS**

Item C: Media Production Development Zone South Side Studios Dallas, LLC

The following individual briefed the committee on the item:

• Heather Lepeska, Assistant Director, Economic Development

MAY 6, 2024

### **BRIEFING ITEMS**

Item D: Development Services Monthly Technology and Metrics Review

The following individuals briefed the committee on the item:

- Andrew Espinoza, Director/Chief Building Official, Development Services; and
- Vernon Young, Assistant Director, Development Services

MAY 6, 2024

### **BRIEFING ITEMS**

Item E: Small Business Center Partnership with Small Business Administration

The following individuals briefed the committee on the item:

- Joyce Williams, Director, Small Business Center;
- Ahmad Goree, Assistant Director, U.S. Small Business Administration; and
- Herbert Austin, District Director, U.S. Small Business Administration

MAY 6, 2024

### **BRIEFING MEMOS**

Item F: D CEO's 2024 Commercial Real Estate Awards

Item G: Dallas Business Journal's 2024 Best Real Estate Deals

Item H: Upcoming Agenda Item for Proposed Amendments for Shops at RedBird Project

Development Agreement, as amended

The committee discussed the items.

# MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE MONDAY, MAY 6, 2024

EXHIBIT C



### City of Dallas

1500 Marilla Street Council Chambers, 6th Floor Dallas, Texas 75201

### Agenda Information Sheet

**File #:** 24-1514 **Item #:** B.

FY 24-25 Budget Briefings: Convention & Event Services, Planning & Urban Design [Rosa Fleming, Director, Convention & Event Services] [Andrea Gilles, Interim Director, Planning & Urban Design]





Economic Development Committee May 6, 2024

Rosa Fleming, Director Convention and Event Services

# **Purpose**



# Tourism and hospitality promotion through direct delivery/implementation, contract, asset, and/or debt service management of the following venues and entities:

- Kay Bailey Hutchison Convention Center Dallas (KBHCCD) and correlate OVG management agreement
- KBHCCD Master Plan
- Omni Dallas Hotel
- Eddie Bernice Johnson Union Station (EBJUS)
- The Black Academy of Arts and Letters (TBAAL)
- Dallas Farmer's Market Shed 1
- American Airlines Center
- Pioneer Plaza & Cemetery
- Visit Dallas
- Dallas Convention Center Hotel Development Corporation (DCCHDC)
- Hotel Occupancy Tax ordinance and applicable distribution
- Briefing reflects FY 2024-25 Planned Budget as developed Summer 2023
- The starting point of every Budget Development process (February September) is the Planned Budget from prior year
- Revenue and expenditure assumptions will change prior to CMO recommendation on August 13, 2024



# **Purpose**



### Regulatory and permit authority oversight of the:

- Office of Special Events
  - Management of outdoor temporary activity (parades, runs, etc.) through the implementation of Chapter 42A
- Commercial Promoters Registrations
  - Management of promoter registrations through the implementation of Chapter 38A
- Fair Park Area issuance of Temporary Parking Licenses
- Nighttime Economy and Responsible Hospitality Unit



# Role of the Department / Fact Sheet



### **Mission**

Serve as an economic engine for the City of Dallas through efficient management, marketing, and promotion of the Kay Bailey Hutchison Convention Center Dallas (KBHCCD), other venues, and contracts. Directs the Office of Special Events (OSE) and the KBHCCD Master Planning process, while providing quality customer experiences.

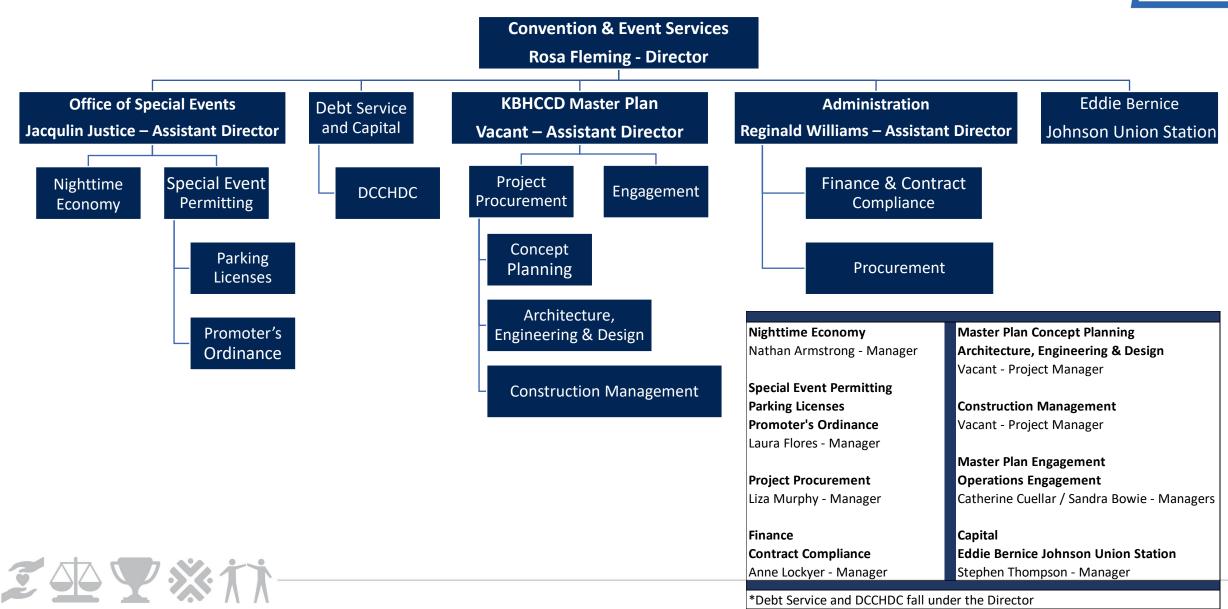
### **Department Goals**

- Progress from concept to implementation phase of the KBHCCD Master Plan by (1) awarding Project Management/Owner's Representation contracts, (2) releasing solicitations and awarding Architecture, Engineering and Design Services, Constructability Review, and Construction Management, (3) complete revenue bond sales and other financial transactions necessary for project development, and (4) complete hiring of the internal CES Master Plan division.
- Fully staff, onboard, and develop processes to establish the Nighttime Economy and Responsible Hospitality Unit.



# **CES Organizational Chart**





# **Total Budget**



Service	FY 2024-25 Budget
Dallas Convention Center	\$115,304,746
Office of Special Events	\$1,214,911
Convention Center Debt Service Payment	\$19,337,000
Convention Center Master Plan	\$717,446
Eddie Bernice Johnson Union Station	\$1,286,032
Total	\$137,860,135



# **Position Overview**



Positions	FY 2024-25 Budget	Change
General Fund	0	-
Enterprise Fund	40.2	2.3%
Grant, Trust, and Other Funds	0	-
Total	40.2	2.3%

• Enhancement (FY25): Reimburse Development Services for personnel costs incurred to expedite permitting and inspection process for KBHCCD Master Plan ~\$700k



# **Budget Summary by Service**



Service	FY 2022-23 Actual	FY 2023-24 Adopted Budget	FY 2023-24 Forecast*	FY 2024-25 Planned Budget
Dallas Convention Center	\$115,464,345	\$114,758,565	\$126,517,614	\$115,304,746
Office of Special Events	\$844,345	\$1,148,142	\$1,148,142	\$1,124,911
Convention Center Debt Service Payment	\$19,335,104	\$19,333,500	\$19,333,500	\$19,337,000
Convention Center Master Plan	-	\$664,635	\$764,735	\$809,785
Union Station	\$945,349	\$1,241,156	\$1,241,156	\$1,286,409
Total	\$136,589,143	\$137,145,998	149,218,098**	\$137,860,135

<sup>\*</sup>January 2024 Forecast



<sup>\*\*</sup> FY24 forecast expenses include \$10M capital construction transfer from operating fund balance approved in midyear ordinance

# Operating Expense and Revenue



	FY 2022-23 Actual	FY 2023-24 Adopted Budget	FY 2023-24 Forecast*	FY 2024-25 Planned Budget
Personnel Services	\$2,241,583	\$4,294,325	\$3,757,290	\$4,520,728
Supplies - Materials	3,201,096	3,254,984	3,258,976	3,460,359
Contractual – Other Services	121,150,314	129,596,689	142,201,832	129,879,048
Capital Outlay	0	0	0	0**
Reimbursements	(131,927)	0	0	0
Department Expense Total	\$136,607,178	\$137,145,998	\$149,218,147	\$137,860,135
Department Revenue Total	\$148,963,599	\$137,145,998	\$139,218,098	\$137,870,135

<sup>\*</sup>January 2024 Forecast

<sup>\*\*</sup>CES capital outlay is funded through Capital Construction Fund 0082



# Revenue Overview



### **Operating**

- City's local hotel occupancy tax (HOT) rate is 13% of the room rate charged within city limits
- Alcohol and Mixed Beverage Taxes
- Event Revenues
- Office of Special Events revenues

### **Debt Service**

- 2% Brimer Bill (split 80/20 KBHCCD and Fair Park with collections through 2054)
- Project Financing Zone (collections continue through 2052)



# Performance Measures



Measure	FY 2022-23 Actual	FY 2023-24 Target	FY 2023-24 Forecast*	FY 2024-25 Target
Percentage of pro-forma based revenue increase (OVG360)	25%	25%	Paused until 2029**	Paused until 2029**
Percentage of client survey respondents rating their overall experience at KBHCCD as "excellent" or "good"	90%	90%	90%	90%
Percentage of permit holder survey respondents who rated their overall experience with the Office of Special Events as "excellent" or "good"***	80%	80%	80%	80%
Number of planned safety repairs completed	36	36	12	12
Percentage of Kay Bailey Hutchison Convention Center Master Plan contract awards to M/WBE firms	-	37%	57%	50%
Number of hospitality and tourism internships	-	4	4	8
Percentage completion of the KBHCCD Master Plan	-	-	13%	33%

<sup>\*</sup>FY 2023-24 – 1Qtr Report





# Summary of Services, Programs and Activities

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### Specialized Programs: Eddie Bernice Johnson Union Station

- Intentional integration of KBHCCD Master Plan Component 2: Eddie Bernice Johnson Union Station Multi-modal Transit Hub
- Aligns with CECAP, Vision Zero, Complete Streets
- Partners: Amtrak, DART, Leasing Contractors



# Summary of Services, Programs, and Activities



### Specialized Programs: Tourism and Hospitality Internship Program

- 10-week paid internship program
- Rotations within City departments and partner organizations, including OVG, VisitDallas, American Airlines Center, Omni Dallas Hotel and SMEs
- Career development pathway in tourism and hospitality management, and college credit
- Aligns with Racial Equity Plan progress measure, CECAP



# Summary of Services, Programs, and Activities



### Specialized Programs: Nighttime Economy

- Responsible Hospitality Conference April 18-20
- Proactive outreach to industry shown to decrease costs to City departments like DFR, DPD, Code, the City Attorney's Office and others by fostering voluntary compliance
- Publication of initial nighttime revenue generation study
- Aligns with Economic Development Plan, Vision Zero, CECAP, Budgeting for Equity



# Summary of Services, Programs, and Activities/



### Specialized Programs: KBHCCD Master Plan

- Added Master Plan service, realigned existing services to support KBHCCD Master Plan
  - City Plan Alignment: Budgeting for Equity, Racial Equity Plan, Complete Streets, the Comprehensive Environment and Climate Action Plan, (CECAP), Vision Zero, Economic Development Policy, Forward Dallas, and Council policy guidance from the Ad Hoc Committee on Professional Sports Recruitment and Retention and Economic Development Committee
- Budget Initiative Tracker Component 1 progress





# Update on Budget Initiatives

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### **KBHCCD Master Plan Progress**

- Historic M/WBE participation on project management contracts
- Transition from concept to implementation
  - Architecture, Engineering Design and Pre-Construction solicitations under review
  - Owner or Rolling Owner Controlled Insurance Program (OCIP/ROCIP) pilot approved April 24, 2024
- Dallas Wings user agreement solidified to anchor the Dallas Memorial Auditorium



# Appendix A: CES Staffing



#### CES FTEs (2018-2025)





#### **Convention and Event Services**



Economic Development Committee May 6, 2024

Rosa Fleming, Director Convention and Event Services



### Planning & Urban Design

Economic Development Committee May 6, 2024

Andrea Gilles, Interim Director Andreea Udrea, Assistant Director Arturo Del Castillo, Assistant Director Planning & Urban Design

### **Purpose**



- Provide an overview of Planning + Urban Design
- Highlight department program, services, and activities
  - Briefing reflects FY 2024-25 Planned Budget as developed Summer 2023
  - The starting point of every Budget Development process (February – September) is the Planned Budget from prior year
  - Revenue and expenditure assumptions will change prior to CMO recommendation on August 13, 2024



### Role of the Department / Fact Sheet



#### **Mission**

Serve the public interest with compassion, integrity, and inclusivity through community-based planning that guides the future of Dallas.

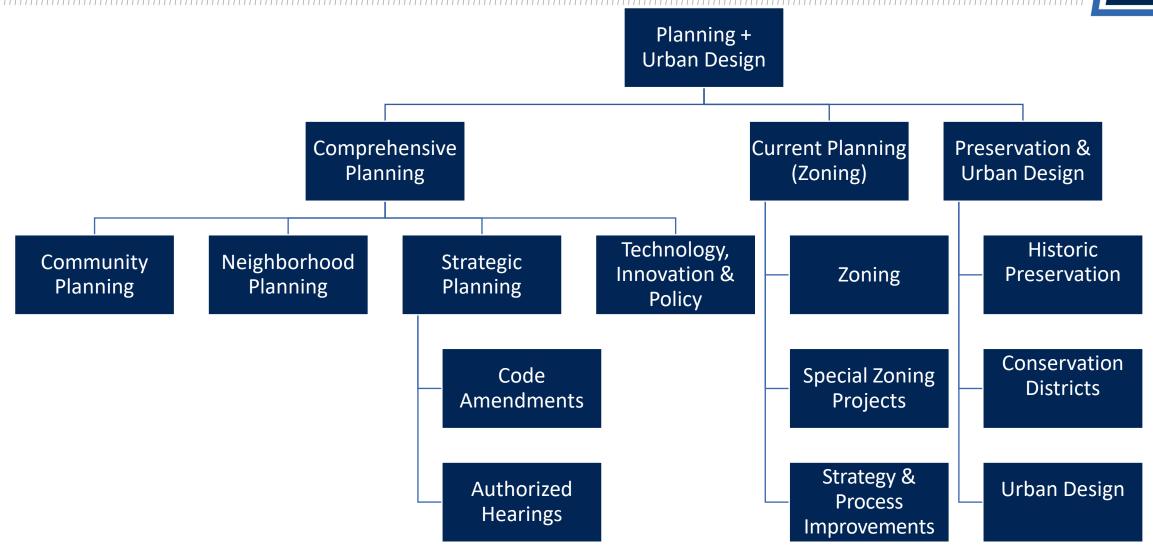
#### **Department Goals**

- Complete an equitable ForwardDallas land use plan update
- Prepare amendments to the Development Code that improve customer service and support adopted City policies
- Complete equitable and inclusive community engagement for the Historic and Cultural Preservation Strategy
- Target 50% of engagement for ForwardDallas and Development Code updates in census tracts with majority Black and Hispanic residents
- Continue process improvements to automate and modernize the zoning change process for better efficiency and customer service



### Organizational Chart







### Total Budget — All Funds



Service	FY 2023-24 Budget	FY 2024-25 Planned
General Fund	\$10,587,421	\$10,374,816
Reimbursement from Enterprise Fund	(2,563,388)	(2,563,388)
Total	\$8,024,033	\$7,811,428

- The change in funding between FY 2023-24 Budget and FY 2024-25 Planned is due primarily to a \$500,000 allocation for the Historic Resources Survey in FY 23-24
- Changes are also attributed to addition of full-year funding for two positions added in FY 23-24 and citywide adjustments to compensation, employee health benefits, pensions, ITS changes, etc.



### **Position Overview**



Positions	FY 2023-24 Budget	FY 2024-25 Planned	Change
General Fund	72	72	0

No changes are planned in the authorized position count



# **Budget Summary by Service**



Service	FY 2022-23 Actual	FY 2023-24 Adopted Budget	FY 2023-24 Forecast*	FY 2024-25 Planned Budget
Comprehensive Planning	\$4,446,168	\$5,937,472	\$5,675,607	\$6,185,302
Current Planning (Zoning)*	(27,386)	0	0	0
Preservation & Urban Design	274,969	2,086,561	2,070,026	\$1,626,126
Expense Total	\$4,693,751	\$8,024,033	\$7,745,633	\$7,811,428

<sup>\*</sup>January 2024 Forecast



<sup>\*</sup> Budget of ~\$2.5 million (reference slide 5). Expense incurred in General Fund and reimbursed through Enterprise Fund.

# Operating Expense and Revenue



Service/Division	FY 2022-23 Actual	FY 2023-24 Adopted Budget	FY 2023-24 Forecast*	FY 2024-25 Planned Budget
Personnel Services	\$5,322,031	\$7,391,605	\$6,848,193	\$7,637,690
Supplies - Materials	42,783	132,831	130,571	129,892
Contractual – Other Services	813,941	3,062,985	3,216,382	2,607,234
Capital Outlay	19,922	0	0	0
Reimbursements	(1,504,926)	(2,563,388)	(2,449,513)	(2,563,388)
Department Expense Total	\$4,693,751	\$8,024,033	\$7,745,633	\$7,811,428
Department Revenue Total	\$0	\$37,300	\$15,800	\$37,300

<sup>\*</sup>January 2024 Forecast



### Revenue Overview



# Historic Preservation First Year of Revenue Collection

- Demolition Permit
- Certificate of Appropriateness Fee
- Unauthorized Cover Up Fee
- The last cost of service study for Historic Preservation was conducted in 2019.



### Revenue Overview



#### **Current Planning (Zoning)**

- Fees for Current Planning (Zoning) are collected by Planning & Urban Design but deposited into Enterprise Fund accounts.
  - Zoning Application Fees
  - Development Plans and Minor Amendments Fees
  - Zoning Sign Notification Fees
  - Print, Map, and Copy Sales
- The last cost of service study for Current Planning (Zoning) was conducted in 2019 when the function was under Development Services.



### Performance Measures



Measure	FY 2022-23 Actual	FY 2023-24 Target	FY 2023-24 Forecast*	FY 2024-25 Target
Percentage of zoning change requests increasing housing density	100%	80%	66.7%	80%
Percentage of zoning change requests with CPC and Council decision following staff recommendation	88.3%	90%	97.3%	90%
Percentage decrease in zoning change requests	60%	15%	33%	15%
Percentage of zoning requests following the CPC schedule	0	90%	In progress	90%
Percentage decrease of average process time	0	10%	In progress	10%
**Percentage of engagement/public meetings in majority Black and Hispanic neighborhoods	69.3%	50%	90%	50%

\*FY 2023-24 – 1Qtr Report

\*\*Equity-focused measure that aligns to the City's Racial Equity Plan







#### **COMPREHENSIVE PLANNING**

- Future Land Use Planning
  - Citywide: ForwardDallas & Area, Neighborhood & Corridor Plans
  - ✓ 2 in process: ForwardDallas & S Dallas/Fair Park Area Plan
- Code amendments
  - ✓ 6 in process: Parking, Impervious Cover, State Law Compliance, School Uses, NSOs, Parkland Dedication
- City-initiated rezonings (Authorized Hearings)
  - ✓ 5 in process: (1) Floral Farms Area & (4) West Oak Cliff Area
- City Plan Commission and its Subcommittee Support
  - ✓ Comp Land Use Plan (CLUP); Zoning Ordinance Advisory (ZOAC)
- GIS Mapping, Technology and Data Analytics





#### **CURRENT PLANNING (Rezoning)**

- Administers the Dallas Development Code
- Reviews and processes rezoning applications through the public hearing process (general zoning changes, planned development districts, specific use permits, etc.: apprx. 350 applications/year)
- Ensures all rezoning activities follow the Dallas Development Code, state law, all applicable codes and laws, and other city plans and policies
- Ensures that all activities are conducted to promote and protect the public interest, in an equitable manner
- Supports all functions of the City Plan Commission (CPC)





#### PRESERVATION AND URBAN DESIGN

- Conservation Districts
  - New & Expanded Districts:
    - √ 18 CDs; 1 adopted 4/24/24; 2 in process; 4 in queue
  - Building Permit Review
  - Code Compliance

#### Historic Preservation

- Landmark (historic) Designation
  - ✓ 21 Districts; 132+ Buildings; 10 potential cases in progress
- Certificates of Appropriateness: apprx. 700 applications/year
- Historic Districts Tax Incentive Programs
  - √ 92 in program; 6-8 added/year
- Supports functions of the City Landmark Commission
- Historic Resource Surveys
- New Historic & Cultural Preservation Strategy (4/2024)





#### PRESERVATION AND URBAN DESIGN

#### Urban Design

- Leads city's Urban Design strategy for public spaces & private development's relationship to public spaces
- Provides urban design guidance to City departments and Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Boards
- Supports the Urban Design Peer Review Panel (UDPRP): apprx. 16 projects reviewed/year (154 total projects reviewed since program's inception in 2013)





#### **Budgeting for Equity**

- Reform Development Code to make development more accessible, sustainable and suitable based on identified needs
- Address environmental justice through Development Code Reform to manage areas that have been identified through the ForwardDallas Plan, CECAP, community input and other city department initiatives.
- Provide enhanced training opportunities for CPC to build equity awareness and knowledge base to improve decision-making and equity outcomes.
- Post rezoning request presentations on public webpage to provide early and easy access to information by interested parties.





# Update on Budget Initiatives

# Update on Budget Initiatives



#### Successes

- ForwardDallas at CPC
- South Dallas/Fair Park Area Plan/PD595 in process
- Dallas Development Code Update
- Adoption of Historic Cultural and Preservation Strategy
- Adoption of South Winnetka Heights CD
- West Oak Cliff Area Plan Authorized Hearings all in process
- Zoning almost fully staffed & improved staff retention
- Staff augmentation with on-call contract
- Cleared rezoning cases backlog—back to normal timeframe
- Progress on migration to an electronic platform to process rezoning requests (full migration expected 2025)



# Update on Budget Initiatives



#### **Challenges & Opportunities**

- Working with an increasingly complex and outdated
   Development Code and processes that limit efficiencies
- Still on paper-based applications
- Staff recruitment for highly specialized staff for the rezoning review, city-initiate rezonings, code amendments, and community engagement
- Risk of losing historic preservation funding for resources survey due to lack of staff capacity to administer





### Planning & Urban Design

Economic Development Committee May 6, 2024

Andrea Gilles, Interim Director Andreea Udrea, Assistant Director Arturo Del Castillo, Assistant Director Planning & Urban Design



#### City of Dallas

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#### Agenda Information Sheet

**File #:** 24-1515 **Item #:** C.

Media Production Development Zone South Side Studios Dallas, LLC [Heather Lepeska, Assistant Director]



# Media Production Development Zone South Side Studios Dallas, LLC

**Economic Development Committee May 6, 2024** 

Heather Lepeska Assistant Director Office of Economic Development

#### Overview



- Background
- Proposed Project
- Next Steps



#### **Background: Media Production Development Zone Act**



#### The Media Production Development Zone Act (Act)

- Approved by the State of Texas in 2009 (Chapter 485A, Texas Government Code)
- Administered by the Texas Film Commission
- Allows for a two-year sales and use tax exemption for the construction, maintenance, expansion, improvement, or renovation of a media production facility at a qualified media production location in a media production
  - development zone
- Act requires City Council to approve a Zone (Media Production Development Zone) and specific projects (Qualified Media Production Location) for projects to be considered for state designation





#### Background: Media Production Development Zone Act



- At any one time, legislation allows for designation of:
  - 10 State MPDZs
  - 5 Regional MPDZs
  - 3 Qualified Media Production Locations per MPDZ
- Zone expires 5 years after the date the last qualified media production location was designated within the zone's boundaries
- Three existing zones designated to date:
  - Fort Worth (one TIF district designated as an MPDZ)
  - Austin (citywide)
  - Midlothian (citywide)

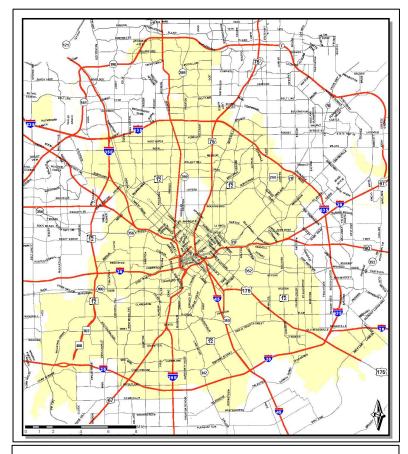


#### **City Approvals**



City Council will be asked to designation both the Media Production Development Zone (MPDZ) and a Qualified Media Production Location (QMPL)

- The MPDZ must have adequate workforce, infrastructure, facilities, or resources to support the production and completion of moving image product
- The QMPL must be within the designed MPDZ and be built, renovated or improved to serve as a media production facility

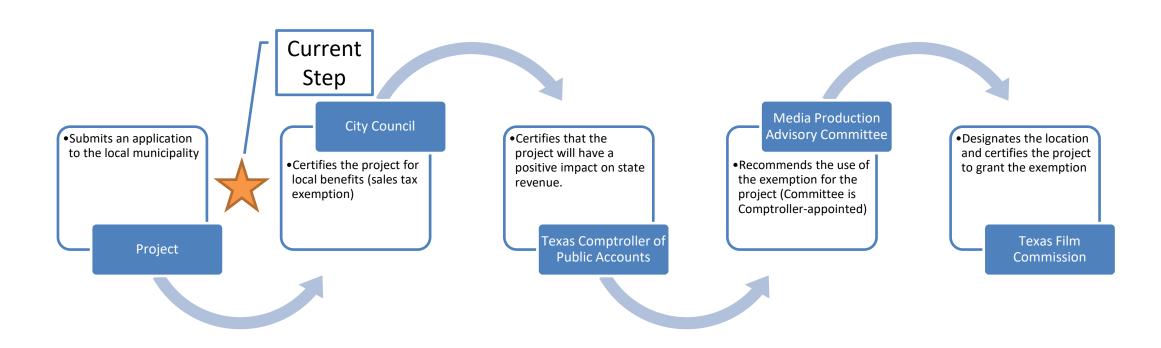


Proposed Dallas Media Production Development Zone



#### **Background: Process**





More detailed process map available in the Appendix



#### Proposed Project – South Side Studios Dallas, LLC (SSSD)



- Located at 2901 Botham Jean Blvd., Dallas, TX 75215 on 11 acres
- Existing production studio facility in south Dallas and Dallas' leading filming space for feature film and TV including Queen of the South (USA), The Chosen (TBN), Dallas (reboot) (TNT), and Prison Break (Fox)
- Existing facilities include the West Stage Building (approx. 70,000 SF) which contains stage space and production offices, and the Forest Building (approx. 50,000 SF) consisting of additional offices, a mill area, wardrobe storage, and prop shop







#### Proposed Project – South Side Studios Dallas, LLC



**Project Owner:** South Side Studios Dallas

 Joint venture (founded in 2023) between Matthews Holdings Southwest (owner) and Talon Entertainment Finance

**Project:** Renovate the West Building into a state-of-the-art, purpose-built Studio Production Facility consisting of 3 separate sound stages plus additional improvements in the Forest building

 Includes new roofs, soundproofing and HVAC; West Building will be renovated to create three stages totaling 43,035 sf, one with an LED virtual production wall installed, production offices, hair/make-up rooms, "green rooms", and a commissary

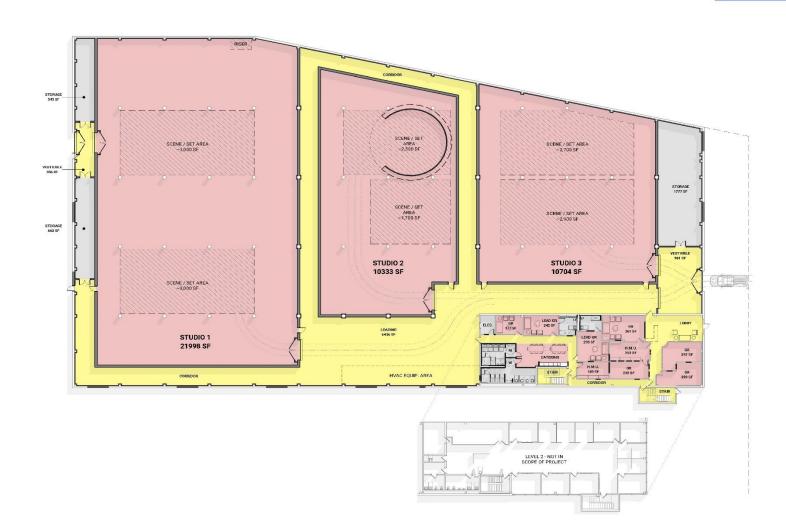
South Side Studios Dallas will serve as the studio's operator, overseeing the leasing of soundstages, production and post-production spaces and other support



#### **Proposed Project**



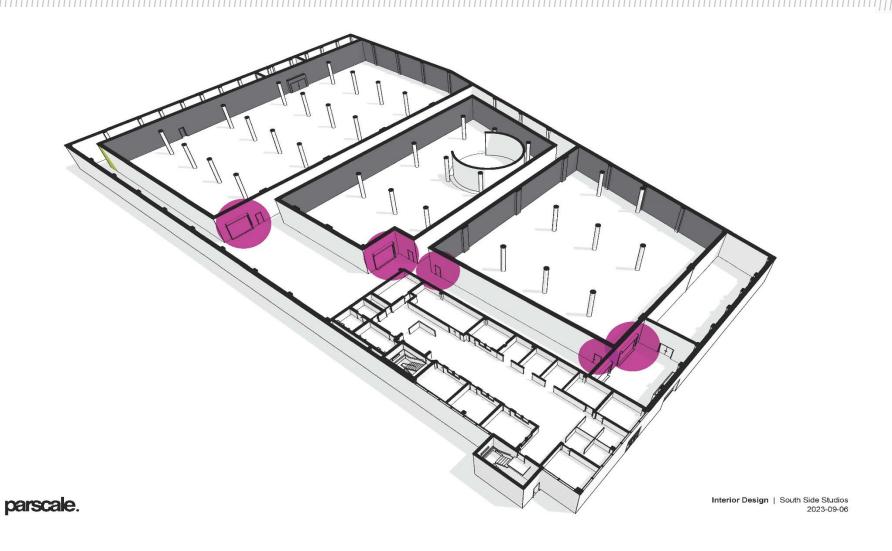
- \$6.275M in renovations
- \$1.533M in furniture, fixtures, and equipment purchases
- Includes an LED virtual production wall and film and video production equipment to serve as rental inventory for inand out-of-house productions





# **Proposed Project**



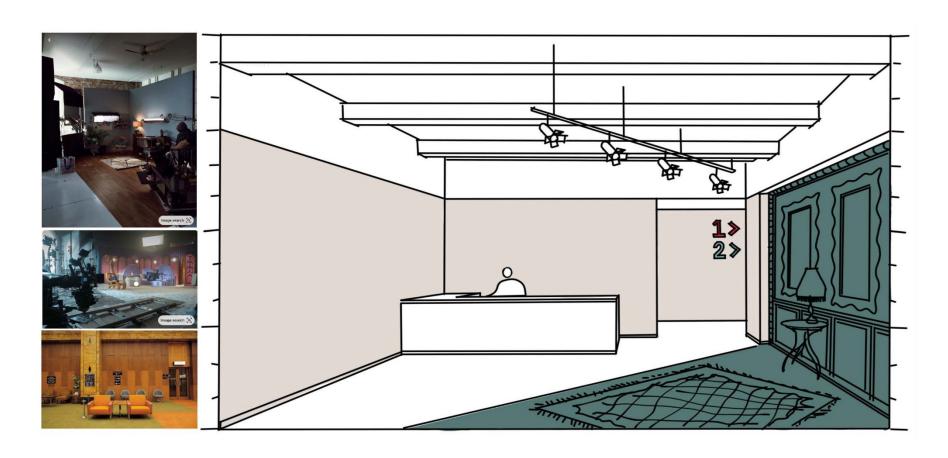




# **Proposed Project**



"ON SET" CONCEPT



parscale.

Lobby Interiors Concept (Forest Building Shown) | South Side Studios 2023-08-30



### Proposed Project – Proposed Incentive



- If designated as a Qualified Media Production Location, the state will issue the project a sales tax exemption for construction and materials related to the construction of the facility
- Estimated City revenue forgone from this sales tax exemption is approximately \$150,000
- The state's portion of the sales tax (6.25%) is also exempted (estimated to be approximately \$456,000)
- Per the economic impact study conducted by TXP for the application, the Studio increases regional economic activity by \$13.6 million, labor income by \$4.7 million, and employment by 86.6 jobs



#### **Next Steps**



#### OED staff recommends the following:

- May 22—Authorize designation of the City of Dallas as Media Production Development Zone No. 1 (whole City designation to facilitate any future projects seeking this approval)
- May 22—Authorize nomination of the property located at 2901 Botham Jean Blvd owned by South Side Studios Dallas, LLC as a Qualified Media Production Location within Media Production Development Zone No. 1
- Upon Council approval, the City submits documentation nominating South Side Studios Dallas, LLC as a qualified project to the Texas Film Commission





## Media Production Development Zone South Side Studios, LLC

Economic Development Committee
May 6, 2024

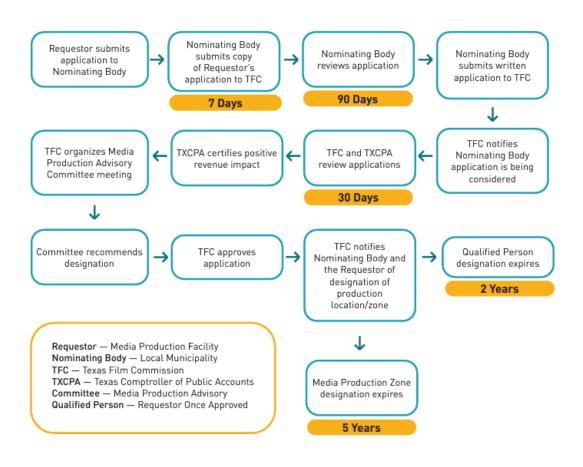
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#### **Appendix: Timeline**





#### MEDIA PRODUCTION DEVELOPMENT ZONE EXEMPTION PROCESS







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#### Agenda Information Sheet

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Development Services Monthly Technology and Metrics Review [Andrew Espinoza, Director/Chief Building Official, Development Services]



## Development Services Monthly Technology and Metrics Review

Economic Development Committee May 6th, 2024

Andrew Espinoza, Director/Chief Building Official Development Services
City of Dallas

#### **Presentation Overview**



- Accomplishment:
  - Metrics (Residential and Commercial)
  - Hiring and Recruitment
  - Training
  - Communication Updates
  - Staffing & Augmentation
  - Next Steps



#### **Technology**

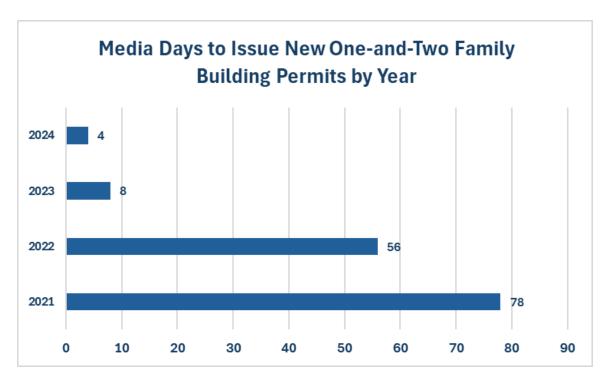


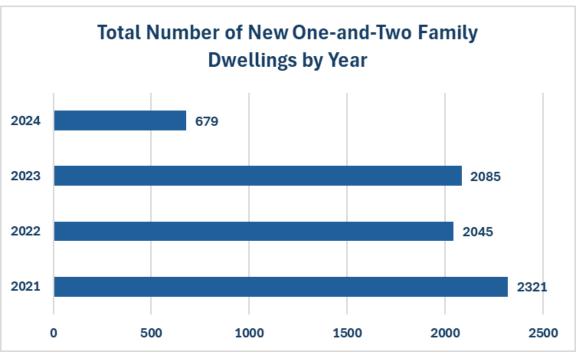
- Commercial Dashboard data (June 2024 launch date)
  - Development Services and Data Business Intelligence have scheduled preview presentations for the dashboard with individual Council Members in May 2024
  - Presentation to stakeholders scheduled for May 2024.
- DallasNow Project which is our new permitting software system replacement initiative is in its 11th month.
  - Approaching halfway mark on Go Live Date.
- DSD continues to meet established implementation milestones and scheduling timelines.



#### **Metrics**









2.8 Billion Estimated
Residential Project
Valuation 2021-2024 YTD



#### **Metrics**



#### March 2024

- Residential Permit submittals increased from 136 to 207.
  - A **52%** increase from previous month.
  - 154 New Single-Family permits were issued.
  - A total of 43 RSVP permits issued the SAME DAY.
  - The Department issued permits within 3 days for the month.
  - 15 New Commercial, 23 Commercial Additions, 233 Commercial Remodels
  - 37 Complex Commercial Q-Team projects.
  - 23 Minor Commercial Q-Team permits issued SAME DAY.



## Metrics/Strategic Plan



2022/2023 DSD established strategic goals:

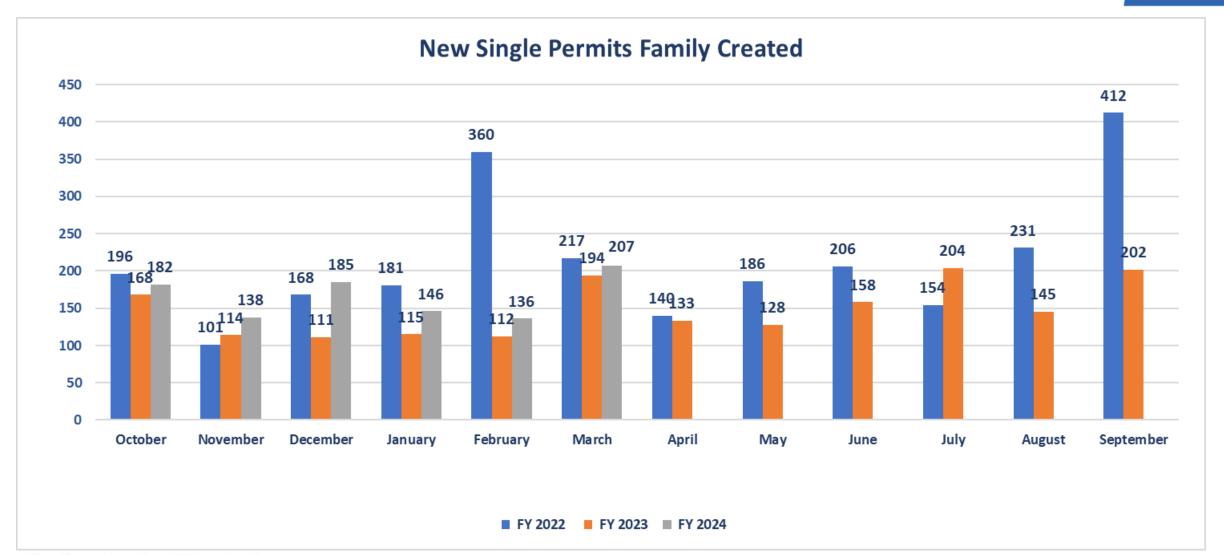
- Reduce Residential Permitting Times by 50% by March 2023
- Issue New One-and-Two
   Single Family permits within 3 business days
- Perform all initial plan reviews within 15 business days

Same Day RSVP Program Affordable Housing Team Permit Concierge **Performance Metrics** Dashboard/Technology Third-Party



#### **Residential Permit Volume**

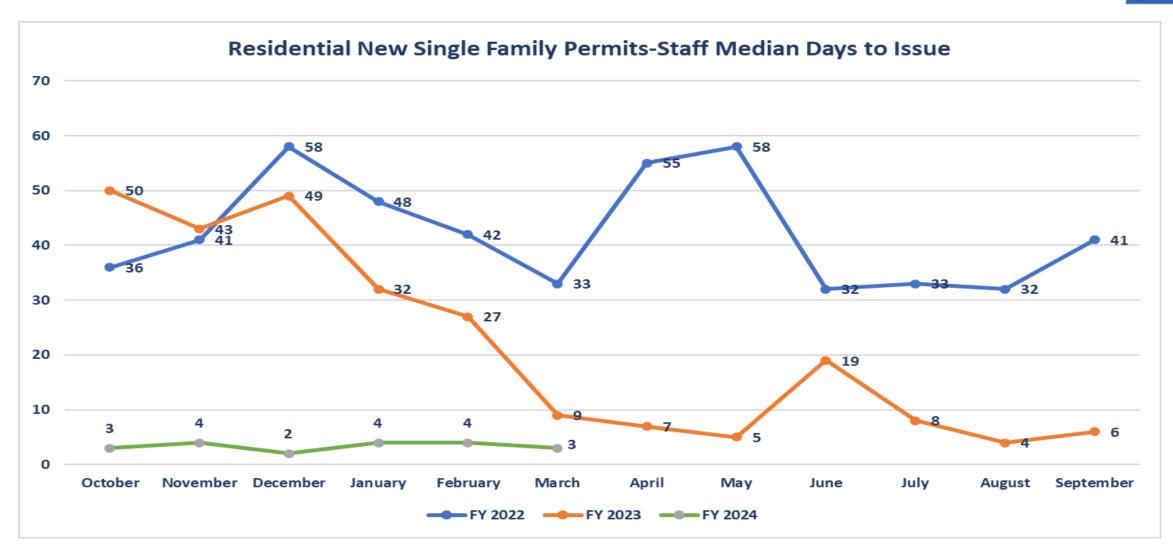






#### **Residential Turnaround Times**

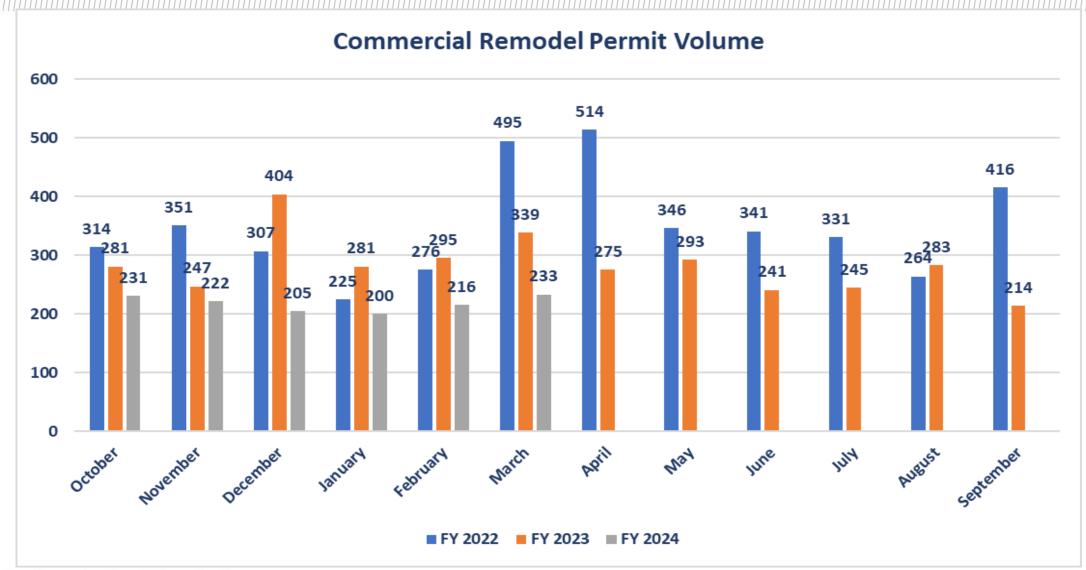






#### **Commerical Remodel Permit Volume**

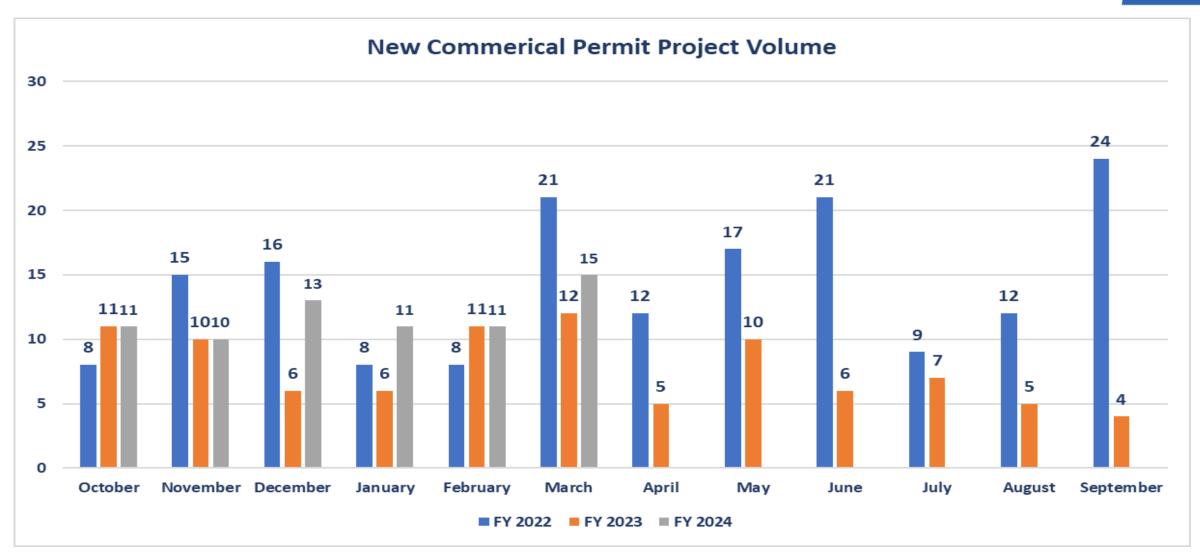






#### **Commerical Permit Volume**







## Hiring and Recruitment



Job Classification	Vacancies	Job Classification	Vacancies
00701 - Engineer Assistant I	1	31025 - Lead Inspector - Multidiscipline	2
02218 - Surveyor	2	31030 - Inspector III - Development	1
02520 - Project Coordinator I	2	31031 - Inspector III - Electrical	3
02527 - Project Coordinator - Development	2	31032 - Inspector III - Plumbing	6
02528 - Senior Project Coordinator - Development	1	31034 - Inspector III - Signs	1
06206 - Sanitarian	2	31037 - Inspector III - Zoning	1
16404 - Senior Plans Examiner	3	32405 - Administrative Specialist I	1
18034 - Senior Departmental Budget Analyst	1	-35548 - Senior Geographic Information System Analyst	1
24112 - Intern - Development Services Engineering	1	-36619 - Supervisor - Development Services	4
28043 - Senior Planner	1	36690 - Development Services Administrator	1
31012 - Supervisor - Building Inspections Development Services	1	42001 - Permit Clerk	1
31013 - Part-Time Flex-Inspector (Plumbing)	8	42003 - Permit Technician	1
31014 - Part-Time Flex-Inspector (HVAC)	7	48607 - Senior Training Specialist - Development Services	1
31017 - Senior Plans Examiner - Plumbing	1	Total Vacancies	40
31022 - Senior Inspector - Plumbing	1	Total Part-time Positions/Interns	16
31023 - Inspector III - Building Inspection	1	Total Department Restructure	3
		Total Vacancies as of 4/18/2024	59



### Hiring and Recruitment



- Hosted DSD Hiring Event
- Friday, April 12, 2024 Downtown City Library
  - 171 total walk-ins
  - 124 total applications received
  - 71 total interviews
  - 29 offer letters made on the spot
  - 42 of City team staff participation
  - Library, Civil Service, HR Onboarding, Development Services Participation

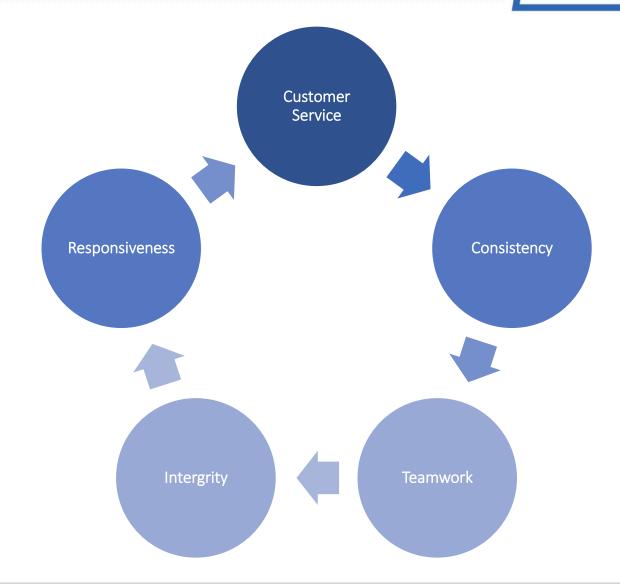


### **Training**



## Established dedicated DSD Training team in July 2023 to focus on **Department Guiding Principals**

- Supervisory Inspector Training Program
- Residential Plans Examiner Training Program
- New DSD Employee Onboarding Training Program
- Call Center and Permit Center Training Program
- DSD Mentorship Program





### **Training**



- January 2024-March 2024
- Quality Control Workshops
- Policy Trainings
- ICC Examinations prep courses
- Lunch and Learns
- Employee and Development Engagements
- Women Who Build Luncheon

Feedback Rating 4.5

Total # of Trainings 28

Total # of Hours 375

Total # of Attendees 186



## **Communication Updates**



Metric	Oct-23	Nov-23	Dec-23	Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24	Apr-24
New Fans/Followers	66	51	133	100	136	170	201
# of Posts	93	67	92	57	78	102	82
# of Reels/Videos	3	1	5	3	3	7	3
# of Post Video Views	114	521	525	188	656	2725	395
# of Email Campaigns	5	6	9	11	6	8	8
# of Emails Sent	3583	3406	5534	6208	4132	4839	5548
# of Emails Opened	2310	2259	4119	3513	1124	2487	2603
Email Open Rate	77%	79%	79%	60%	29%	57%	53%
Outreach/Engagements	10	3	4	2	5	9	8

#### DSD Meaningful Partnerships and Engagement

Communications Manager

Outreach Specialist

Permitting Quick Guides

**Lunch & Learns** 

**Annual Report** 

Internal Communications

Website Management

Stakeholder Sessions



## Staffing and Assignments

- Reduced permitting turn around times
- Leveraged third-party contracts to supplement and support operations
- DSD, CAO, and Procurement partnered to onboard six (6) contracts
  - FY2021/2022-\$3.2M
  - FY2022/2023-\$3.8M
  - FY2023/2024-\$524k



#### **Next Steps**



- Continue to partner with Bond Office on 7800 N.
   Stemmons action plan (Ongoing)
- Onboard DSD new hires from Hiring Fair (May 2024)
- Continue to partner with Human Resources and Compensation on Plumbing Inspection workgroup compensation evaluation (Ongoing)
- Launch Commerical Permitting Dashboard (June 2024)





## Development Services Monthly Technology and Metrics Review

Economic Development Committee May 6, 2024

Andrew Espinoza, Director/Chief Building Official Development Services City of Dallas



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#### Agenda Information Sheet

**File #:** 24-1520 **Item #:** E.

Small Business Center Partnership with Small Business Administration [Joyce Williams, Director, Small Business Center]



Small Business
Administration
Partnership with City of
Dallas – Small Business
Center

Economic Development May 6, 2024

Joyce Williams, Director, Small Business Center City of Dallas

Ahmad Goree, Assistant Director, Program
Management Division
Small Business Administration

#### **Presentation Overview**



- Purpose
- Background/History
- Partnership Opportunities
- Small Business Administration Programs (SBA)
- Next Steps



#### Purpose



 Provide an update of SBA partnership opportunities to meet the needs of small businesses



### Background/History



- The partnership between SBA and City of Dallas SBC began in 2022 to intentionally build trust and serve small businesses.
  - SBC hosted Bankers Roundtable
  - Salem Institutional Baptist Church Presentation
  - Referrals to Small Business Development Centers



### Strength of the Partnership



- Through this partnership, the City could collaborate with the Small Business Administration (SBA) to explore avenues for extending additional support to small businesses because of SBC's limited incentive tools
- While federal programs administered by the SBA are well-established within the Dallas small business ecosystem, it's imperative to acknowledge that systemic inequities have undermined trust. By partnering with the City, we create an opportunity for broader community engagement, fostering trust and inclusivity.
- The City's Fresh Start program, while commendable, presents challenges with its requirements that may restrict hiring opportunities for justice-involved individuals. Through our partnership with the SBA, we present alternative avenues, encouraging consideration of entrepreneurial opportunities for this demographic





#### **Small Business Administration**





U.S. Small Business Administration

#### OUR PROGRAMS — THE "THREE C'S"

Capital

Counseling

Contracting



#### ACCESS TO CAPITAL

How can funds be used

- •Purchase machinery, equipment, fixtures, inventory
- Expand or renovate facilities
- Construct commercial buildings
- Refinance business debt
- Change of ownership
- Business Acquisitions
- •Fund Start-Up operations
- Working Capital

# 504 LOAN PROGRAM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

The 504 loan program provides long-term, fixed rate financing for major fixed assets that promote business growth and job creation.

504 loans are available through Certified Development Companies (CDCs), SBA's community-based partners who regulate nonprofits and promote economic development within their communities. CDCs are certified and regulated by SBA.

The maximum loan amount for a 504 loan is \$5.5 million. For certain energy projects, the borrower can receive a 504 loan for up to \$5.5 million per project, for up to three projects not to exceed \$16.5 million total.

## CAPITAL-MICROLOAN PROGRAM

These are for Loans from \$100 to a Maximum of \$350,000

#### Micro Lenders are Intermediaries

 That Receive Loans from SBA to in turn make smaller loans in their communities.

Local Micro Lenders are:

Lift Fund

**BCL** of Texas

People Fund

#### Maximum loan size is \$5 million

# CAPITAL-7(A) LOAN PROGRAM)

Guaranty is 85% for loans \$150K or less, 75% for loans over \$150K.

Maximum interest rate: 2.25% over Prime on maturities less than 7 years, 2.75% over Prime on maturities of seven years or more.

## CAPITAL SUCCESS STORY KEVIN ALAM AND MIKE HOQUE



Started a restaurant in downtown Dallas.

Applied and received a SBA loan for \$770,000.

Expanded to 5 restaurants with 250 employees a yearly sales of \$10 million.

### CAPITAL-RESULTS

#### **Dallas/Fort Worth District**

1,982 loans worth \$1.046 billion in FY 2015

2,155 loans worth \$1.1 billion in FY 2016

2,062 loans worth \$1.2 billion in FY 2017

1,913 loans worth \$1.3 billion in FY 2018

1,598 loans worth 1.16 billion in FY 2019

1,320 loans worth \$1 billion in FY 2020

1,820 loans worth \$1.8 billion in FY 2021

1,589 Loans worth \$1.4 billion in FY 2022

1,738 Loans worth \$1.3 billion in FY 2023



# CITY OF DALLAS LOANS FY 2023

252 Loans

\$170 Million

3,578 jobs supported

# WESLEY WELLNESS 4621 ROSS AVE.

SBA 7 Loan \$1,672,700 in Nov. 2022

Opened in 2023

Dallas Woman-Owned Small Business



# CAPITAL-**SMALL BUSINESS** INVESTMENT COMPANIES (SBIC)

Venture Capitalist Firms that are licensed by SBA.

They can Either:

Invest in your business (Equity Financing) or

Make a loan to you (Debt Financing)

Primarily but not necessarily for Hi Tech/Hi Growth companies that have difficulties obtaining financing from banks.

Companies that have used This Program are APPLE, INTEL, STAPLES and so many others



VALESCO INDUSTRIES DALLAS

SBA licensed Small Business Investment Company

Invest into business looking to remain or become leaders in their industry

Business sizes of \$15 to \$100 million in revenue

Investments from \$5 million plus

Current fundraising goal of \$400 million

### COVID RELIEF IN DALLAS

### Paycheck Protection Program

Number of Loan: 11,332

Total amount: \$6.68 billion

Avg Ioan: \$588,000

Jobs: 646,609

#### **Revitalization Fund**

- Number of grants:1,000
- Total amount: \$281 million
- Avg. grant: \$281,000

### Shuttered Venue Operators Grant

- Number of grants:135
- Total amount: \$313 million
- Avg. grant: \$2.3 million

### COUNSELING



- Provide mentorship, coaching and training
- Large volunteer corp.
- No charge for counseling
- Local office: 214-987-9491
   SCORE Dallas
   Mon Fri 9am 2pm by appt.



- Provide consulting, technical support and training
- Professional staff
- No charge for counseling
- Local office(214) 860-5859
  - Dallas Metro SBDC

### **VETERANS**

**Veterans Business Outreach Center** 

University of Texas Arlington

College of Business

701 S West Street

Arlington, TX 76019

Room 609 (6th Floor)

# DALLAS/FORT WORTH DISTRICT CONTRACTING

Dollars	FY24 YTD	FY23
Small Business	\$789,150,288	\$1,716,681,062
Small Disadvantage Business	\$410,136,963	\$890,647,165
8(A)	\$99,636,533	\$239,182,397
Veteran Owned Small Business	\$321,647,558	\$604,196,050
Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business	\$314,305,670	\$579,695,283
Woman Owned Small Business	\$164,682,942	\$372,760,210
HUBZone	\$11,118,872	\$46,512,161

# City of Dallas Partnerships



FY22 Lender Roundtable at J. Erik Jonsson Central Library



FY 23 Salem Institutional Baptist Church Presentation

## FY24 CITY OF DALLAS PARTNERSHIPS

#### April

Second Chance Roundtable

#### May

Regulatory Fairness Roundtable

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# **Next Steps**



- Implement key partnership strategies to increase the number of loans and or grants provided to small businesses in historically underserved communities
- Partner to implement the Reentry Entrepreneurship pilot
- Create an impact tracking report that addresses systemic barriers for small businesses
- Provide an update to Economic Committee in April 2025 on results and impact of the key partnership strategies





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D CEO's 2024 Commercial Real Estate Awards [Kevin Spath, Interim Director, Office of Economic Development]

#### Memorandum



DATE May 3, 2024

Honorable Members of the City Council Economic Development Committee: Tennell To Atkins (Chair), Omar Narvaez (Vice Chair), Carolyn King Arnold, Adam Bazaldua, Paul Ridley, Kathy Stewart, Chad West

#### SUBJECT D CEO's 2024 Commercial Real Estate Awards

Staff is pleased to announce that several Dallas projects were recently recognized in D Magazine's D CEO 2024 Commercial Real Estate Awards. Launched in 2013, D CEO's annual program celebrates outstanding North Texas commercial real estate projects, transactions, dealmakers, and industry executives driving economic activity in the past year. Winners and finalists were featured in the April 2024 issue of D CEO.

Out of a total of 54 finalists across 12 categories pertaining to projects and transitions, 25 of the recognized projects are located within the city of Dallas. Five (5) of those finalists won their respective categories. Among the winners, two (2) were directly or indirectly supported by the Office of Economic Development. The table below lists category winners located in the city of Dallas (\*asterisks indicate projects directly or indirectly supported by Office of Economic Development).

Category	Award Winner	
Deal of the Year	Knox Street Development	
Best Retail Lease or Project	*Target at Wynnewood Village	
Best Office Lease	Bank of America at Parkside	
Best Hospitality Project	*JW Marriott Hotel Arts District	
Community Impact	The Kessler School	

Please refer to **Exhibit A** for a list of additional finalists located within the city of Dallas. For a comprehensive list of all the winners, please visit D Magazine's website for the digital edition of the April 2024 D CEO magazine at:

https://www.dmagazine.com/publications/d-ceo/2024/april/d-ceo-april-2024-digital-edition/.

Among the categories celebrating individuals and organizations, the Office of Economic Development would like to congratulate all dealmakers and industry executives for their recognition as economic development catalysts in our city. Special recognition was given to:

- Trammell Crow Company, Developer of the Year
- Jack Matthews, Pioneer Award
- CBRE, Commercial Real Estate Broker of the Year

Overall, the D CEO's 2024 Commercial Real Estate Awards further highlight the vibrancy and diversity of the commercial real estate market in Dallas and the North Texas region. Staff are proud of the Office of Economic Development's involvement in several of these projects.

Should you have any questions, please contact Kevin Spath, Interim Director, Office of Economic Development, at (214) 671- 1691 or kevin.spath@dallas.gov

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### **EXHIBIT A**

#### D CEO's Commercial Real Estate Awards Dallas Finalists

**Additional Dallas Finalists** 

Category	Nominee
Best Retail Lease or Project	Harwood Hospitality Group
Best Office Lease	HF Sinclair, ISN Software Corp.
Best New Mixed-Use Project	Lincoln Property Co. headquarters
Best New Office Project	Harwood No.14 The Quad Thirteen Thirty-Three and River Edge
Best New Multifamily Project	The Boheme Oakhouse
Best Hospitality Project	The Knox Hotel
Best Land Deal	Fi-field Residential Turtle Creek
Best Commercial Property Sale	NOVEL Turtle Creek Stemmons Towers
Best Redevelopment or Renovation	Crown Block Dallas County Records Building GoodSurf
Community Impact	*1632 MLK Boulevard Retail Harwood Park *The Loop Dallas The Place at Honey Springs *South Dallas Cloud Kitchen
* Indicates direct or indirect support from	the Office of Economic Development



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Dallas Business Journal's 2024 Best Real Estate Deals [Kevin Spath, Interim Director, Office of Economic Development]

#### Memorandum



DATE May 3, 2024

Honorable Members of the City Council Economic Development Committee: Tennell To Atkins (Chair), Omar Narvaez (Vice Chair), Carolyn King Arnold, Adam Bazaldua, Paul Ridley, Kathy Stewart, Chad West

#### **SUBJECT Dallas Business Journal's 2024 Best Real Estate Deals**

Staff is pleased to announce that several Dallas projects were recently recognized in Dallas Business Journal's 2024 Best Real Estate Deals (BRED) award program. The BRED program highlights the best in real estate developments, both underway and delivered, across greater Dallas-Fort Worth. Winners were recognized at an awards event on April 18, 2024.

Out of a total of 55 finalists across 19 categories pertaining to projects and transactions, 16 of the projects recognized are located within the city of Dallas. Eight (8) of those projects won their respective categories, with Knox Street Development winning two awards, including Deal of the Year, and Tom Thumb at Shops at Redbird and the Target at Wynnewood Village tying for the Retail category. Among the winners, four (4) projects were directly or indirectly supported by the Office of Economic Development. The table below lists category winners located in the city of Dallas (\*asterisks indicate projects directly or indirectly supported by Office of Economic Development).

Category	Award Winner	
Deal of the Year	Knox Street Development	
Mixed-Use Under Construction	Knox Street Development	
Multifamily (urban)	Novel Turtle Creek by Crescent	
Nonprofit	*The Loop Dallas	
Office deal	*Bridge Labs at Pegasus Park	
Office Development	Harwood No.14	
Building Rehab	Dallas County Records Building renovation	
Retail	*Tom Thumb at Shops at Redbird	
	*Target at Wynnewood Village	

For a comprehensive list of all the winners, please visit Dallas Business Journal's website at <a href="https://www.bizjournals.com/dallas/news/2024/04/18/best-real-estate-deals-winners-revealed.html">https://www.bizjournals.com/dallas/news/2024/04/18/best-real-estate-deals-winners-revealed.html</a>

Three additional projects that were directly and indirectly supported by the Office of Economic Development were finalists. The nominees include:

Category	Nominee
Medical	Bonton Farms Health & Wellness Center
Nonprofit	South Dallas Cloud Kitchen
Building Rehab	1632 MLK Boulevard retrofit

Overall, the Dallas Business Journal's BRED award program further highlights the vibrancy and diversity of the real estate market in Dallas and the North Texas region. Staff are proud of the Office of Economic Development's involvement in several of these projects.

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#### Agenda Information Sheet

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Upcoming Agenda Item for Proposed Amendments for Shops at RedBird Project Development Agreement, as amended [Kevin Spath, Interim Director, Office of Economic Development]

#### Memorandum



DATE May 6, 2024

Honorable Members of the City Council Economic Development Committee: Tennell To Atkins (Chair), Omar Narvaez (Vice Chair), Carolyn King Arnold, Adam Bazaldua, Paul Ridley, Kathy Stewart, and Chad West

### Upcoming Agenda Item Regarding Proposed Amendments for Shops at RedBird SUBJECT Project

Since the Tax Increment Development, Chapter 380 Grant, and Chapter 380 Loan Agreement ("2018 TIF/Chapter 380 Agreement") with WCWRD Inc and its affiliates or subsidiaries ("Developer") was authorized by City Council in June 2018, the Developer has continued to make substantial progress on the Reimagine RedBird Mall Redevelopment Project ("Project"), now known as Shops at RedBird, generally located at the southeast corner of Camp Wisdom Road and Westmoreland Road in the Mall Area TIF District.

In February 2024, the Developer submitted a request for three relatively minor amendments to the 2018 TIF/Chapter 380 Agreement to address an issue arising over the past few years mostly due to the COVID-19 pandemic and its lasting impact on shifting market demand for certain Project elements that had been contemplated in 2017-2018 when the terms and conditions of the 2018 TIF/Chapter 380 Agreement were originally negotiated. The requested amendments are also associated with the Developer's need for greater flexibility to creatively consummate private financing necessary to navigate the impacts of the pandemic and continue development of the Project (specifically redevelopment of the former Macy's building) without additional City funding.

On April 29, 2024, the Mall Area Redevelopment TIF District Board of Directors unanimously approved the proposed amendments and forwarded a recommendation of approval to City Council.

On May 22, 2024, City Council will be asked to authorize a fourth amendment to the 2018 TIF/Chapter 380 Agreement, approved as to form by the City Attorney, specifically including (deletions are shown as strikethroughs; additions are shown in italicized and underlined font):

a. amending Section 2.C(7) as follows:

"Renovating and modernizing existing mechanical, electrical and structural systems including lighting, HVAC, flooring, and ceilings to create an office environment on the second floor of the in-line DATE May 3, 2024

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portion of the Mall, and in the former Macy's building and the former Dillard's building as described on Exhibit A-1 and shown on Exhibit A-2 (the former Macy's, the former Dillard's, and the in-line Mall buildings but excluding the parking areas which are included within the parcels containing such buildings being referred to collectively herein as the "Main Mall Properties") by December 31, 2025;"

b. amending Section 2.D(2) as follows:

"Developer shall achieve a minimum occupancy of (i) at least 75% of ground floor retail space immediately surrounding the "green space" as noted in the Concept Plan and (ii) at least 60% on all other new construction and within the Main Mall Properties (excluding, if it has not yet been renovated and/or redeveloped, the former Macy's building) by the CO Date and these retail spaces must continue to be occupied at these levels throughout the term of the Agreement (the "Occupancy Requirement"), the initial achievement of which shall be subject to extension under Section 1.B."

c. amending Section 5.E as follows:

"Partial Lien Releases. Prior to repayment of the Loan, the City shall execute partial releases of its lien and/or execute subordination agreements for portions of the Property that are contributed, sold or ground leased to unaffiliated third parties for vertical development of multi-family, hotel, or other commercial, residential, or mixed-use developments. Notwithstanding the foregoing, until the Loan is paid in full, Developer shall ensure that the Main Mall Properties remain under the direct ownership and control of the Loan Guarantor or under ownership and control of a subsidiary entity of which the Loan Guarantor is the sole member and/or holds a controlling interest in such subsidiary entity; provided, however, that, with the prior written consent of the Director of the Office of Economic Development, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld, the former Macy's building may be contributed to a joint venture in which the Loan Guarantor receives a percentage of the joint venture commensurate with the value of the Macy's property only if doing so will result in the redevelopment/adaptive reuse of the former Macy's building into a hotel or other use(s) acceptable to Director that is expected to increase the value of the former Macy's building."

d. as consideration to the City for the specific amendments listed above, amending Section 2.A to increase the Developer's minimum Investment

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Requirement by \$15,000,000 for the Project from \$135,000,000 to \$150,000,000; and

e. making any modifications to any other associated Project documents as may be necessary to effectuate the specific amendments described herein.

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