

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS APPROVING
AND AUTHORIZING PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE
COMBINATION TAX AND REVENUE CERTIFICATES OF OBLIGATION.**

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas (the "City"), has determined that certificates of obligation should be issued under and pursuant to the provisions of Texas Local Government Code, Subchapter C of Chapter 271, as amended, for the purpose of paying contractual obligations to be incurred for (i) acquiring, constructing, improving and equipping public safety facilities and library facilities, (ii) acquiring vehicles for the public safety department (iii) constructing, improving and equipping existing municipal facilities, (iv) constructing street improvements, including drainage, landscaping, curbs, gutters, sidewalks, entryways, pedestrian pathways, signage, traffic signalization and street noise abatement incidental thereto and the acquisition of land and rights-of-way therefor and (v) professional services rendered in connection therewith; and

WHEREAS, prior to the issuance of such certificates, the City Council is required to publish notice of its intention to issue the same in a newspaper of general circulation in the City, said notice stating (i) the time and place the City Council tentatively proposes to pass the ordinance authorizing the issuance of the certificates, (ii) the maximum amount proposed to be issued, (iii) the purposes for which the certificates are to be issued and (iv) the manner in which the City Council proposes to pay the certificates;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS:

SECTION 1: That the City Secretary is hereby authorized and directed to cause notice to be published of the City Council's intention to issue certificates of obligation, in one or more series, in the principal amount not to exceed THIRTY-EIGHT MILLION DOLLARS (\$38,000,000) for the purpose of paying contractual obligations to be incurred for (i) acquiring, constructing, improving and equipping public safety facilities and library facilities, (ii) acquiring vehicles for the public safety department (iii) constructing, improving and equipping existing municipal facilities, (iv) constructing street improvements, including drainage, landscaping, curbs, gutters, sidewalks, entryways, pedestrian pathways, signage, traffic signalization and street noise abatement incidental thereto and the acquisition of land and rights-of-way therefor and (v) professional services rendered in connection therewith; such certificates to be payable from ad valorem taxes and a limited pledge of the net revenues of the City's Water and Wastewater System. The notice hereby approved and authorized to be published shall read substantially in the form and content of **Exhibit A** hereto attached and incorporated herein by reference as a part of this resolution for all purposes.

SECTION 2: That the City Secretary shall cause the notice described above to be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the City, once a week for two consecutive weeks, the date of the first publication to be at least thirty-one (31) days prior to the date stated therein for the passage of the ordinance authorizing the issuance of the certificates of obligation.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS, ON THIS THE 20th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2016.

APPROVED:

Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Secretary

City Attorney

(City Seal)