

Finance Department

Presentation to the City of Houston Budget and Fiscal Affairs Committee

Upcoming Financial Transactions

December 5, 2023

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Agenda

- General Obligation (GO)
 - a) Pricing Update: Public Improvement Bonds, Series 2023A
- Combined Utility System (CUS)
 - a) Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2024A



Public Improvement Bonds, Series 2023A – Pricing Update

System: General Obligation

Total Par Amount: \$271.3 million

Refunded Par Amount: N/A

Use: Capital Improvement Program

Series: 2023A

Average Life (Years): 12.798

Present Value Savings: N/A

Percentage Savings: N/A

All-In True Interest Cost (%): 4.481%

Series 2023A Closing Date: October 25, 2023



CUS Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2024A

Background:

- The City has used the issuance of commercial paper to provide an expedient, cost—effective method of accessing cash and providing interim financing. The commercial paper (CP) notes are later refinanced into fixed rate bonds that match the useful life of the projects and/or equipment being financed.
- The total Size of the Series 2024A bonds is anticipated to be up to approximately \$735 million, which includes approximately \$250 million to refund CP and the balance related to refunding and tender for purchase of eligible existing bonds in order to produce debt service savings.
- Current outstanding CP for CUS is \$180 million.

Next Steps:

An RCA is expected to be presented to City Council in March 2024.



CUS Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2024A

System: Combined Utility System

New Money or Refunding?: Refunding

Par Amount: \$735 Million

Use of the Debt Proceeds: CP Takeout and Refunding

Revenue Source Securing Debt: Net revenues of the Combined Utility System

5.188

Estimated Weighted Average Life of the Debt

Being Refunded(Years)

Estimated Change to the Weighted Average Life

of Debt Being Refunded

(0.676) years

Estimated Present Value Savings: 19.285 Million

Estimated Percentage Savings: 3.80%

Estimated True Interest Cost (%): 3.95%

Anticipated Council Agenda Date: March 2024

Anticipated Date of Pricing: April 2024

Anticipated Date Closing: April 2024



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Questions?