RESOLUTION 2024-45

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIMAS, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, APPROVING THE CITY INVESTMENT POLICY FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2025, DELEGATING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY TREASURER TO INVEST CITY FUNDS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE INVESTMENT POLICY SUBJECT TO CITY MANAGER OR DESIGNEE, APPROVAL, AND REQUIRING THE CITY TREASURER TO PROVIDE MONTHLY REPORTS OF INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS TO THE CITY COUNCIL

WHEREAS, the City of San Dimas, California (City) has established an Investment Policy to provide an optimal combination of security and investment return while meeting the daily cash flow demands of the City and conforming to all State and local statutes governing the investment of public funds; and

WHEREAS, the Investment Policy dictates the objectives, investment authorization and authority, authorized and suitable investments, diversification of securities and maturities, and reporting guidelines that are in conformity with California Government Code Section 53600.3; and

WHEREAS, the Investment Policy requires an annual review and approval by the City Council to ensure compliance with California Government Code and any new laws or regulations that may impact the investment of idle funds; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed the proposed Investment Policy for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2025, and finds that it provides clear objectives, guidelines, and suitable investment options for the City's funds; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to delegate the authority to the City Treasurer to invest City funds in accordance with the Investment Policy, subject to approval by the City Manager, and to require the City Treasurer to provide monthly reports of investment transactions to the City Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of San Dimas as follows:

SECTION 1. The City Council of the City of San Dimas hereby approves the City Investment Policy for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2025, as attached as **Exhibit A**.

SECTION 2. The City Treasurer is hereby authorized to invest City funds in accordance with the approved Investment Policy, subject to approval by the City Manager.

SECTION 3. The City Treasurer shall provide a monthly report of all investment transactions to the City Council within 30 days following the end of each month, certifying compliance with the City's Investment Policy.

SECTION 4. The City Clerk shall attest and certify the adoption of this resolution.

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PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 11th day of June 2024.

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Emmett G. Badar, Mayor

ATTEST:

Debra Black, City Clerk

I, Debra Black, City Clerk, hereby certify that Resolution 2024-45 was approved by vote of the City Council of the City of San Dimas at its regular meeting of June 11, 2024 by the following vote:

AYES:Badar, Bratakos, Vienna, WeberNOES:NoneABSENT:NakanoABSTAIN:None

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Debra Black, City Clerk

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EXHIBIT A

CITY OF SAN DIMAS STATEMENT OF INVESTMENT POLICY

- 1. POLICY: It is the policy of the City of San Dimas to invest public funds in a manner that will provide an optimal combination of security and investment return while meeting the daily cash flow demands of the City and conforming to all State and local statutes governing the investment of public funds.
- 2. SCOPE: This investment policy applies to the investment of all financial assets of the City, except for those of the City's deferred compensation plans, the management of which is distinct and is not governed by this Investment Policy, and bond and financing proceeds, which will be made in accordance with the provisions of the applicable indentures or financing documents. For the purpose of investment of bond and financing proceeds into vehicles authorized by the provisions of the applicable indentures or financing documents by this policy, all funds are pooled with the General Fund to facilitate ease of handling and to minimize costs of maintaining multiple investment accounts. Earnings on the pool of funds are allocated on a periodic basis to the respective individual funds.
- 3. PRUDENCE: California Government Code section 53600.3 classifies all governing bodies of local agencies or persons authorized to make investment decision on behalf of those local agencies investing public funds as trustees, and therefore fiduciaries subject to the prudent investor standard. The prudent investor standard requires that when investing, reinvesting, purchasing, acquiring, exchanging, selling, or managing public funds, a trustee shall act with care, skill, prudence, and diligence under the circumstances then prevailing, including, but not limited to, the general economic conditions and the anticipated needs of the agency, that a prudent person acting in a like capacity and familiarity with those matters would use in the conduct of funds of a like character and with like aims, to safeguard the principal and maintain the liquidity needs of the agency.
- 4. OBJECTIVES: The Chief objectives, in priority order, of the City's Investment activities shall be:
 - Safety: Safety of principal is the foremost objective of the investment program. Investments of the City shall be undertaken in a manner that seeks to ensure the preservation of capital in the overall portfolio. To attain this objective, the City will diversify its investments to minimize the risk of loss resulting from over concentration of assets in a specific maturity range, of a specific issuer, or in a specific class of securities.
 - Liquidity: The City's investment portfolio will be managed to ensure sufficient liquidity to enable the City to meet all reasonably anticipated operating

requirements, and should consist of securities with an active secondary or resale market.

- Return on Investment: The City's investment portfolio shall be designed with the objective of attaining an optimal return throughout budgetary and economic cycles within established portfolio safety and liquidity parameters.
- 5. AUTHORIZATION AND DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY: Under and as specified by California Government Code Section 53601, the legislative body of a local agency (i.e., the City Council) is authorized to invest money in its treasury that is not required for immediate needs. As permitted under California Government Code Section 53607, the City Council with the approval of this Policy delegates management responsibility for the investment program for a concurrent and renewable period of one-year to the City Treasurer or in his/her designee, who shall assume full responsibility for those transactions until the delegation of the authority is revoked or expires, and who shall make a monthly report of those transactions to the City Council.
- 6. ETHICS AND CONFLICTS OF INTEREST: All City officers and employees involved in the City's investment process shall act responsibly as custodians of the public trust, and refrain from personal business activity that could conflict with proper execution of the investment program or which could impair their ability to make impartial investment and portfolio management decisions.
- 7. AUTHORIZED AND SUITABLE INVESTMENTS: The City is empowered by statute (California Government Code Section 53600 et seg.) to invest money in certain types of securities and funds. Within that empowerment, the City restricts eligible securities and funds to those listed below. Each type listed is subject to various specific requirements and restrictions, imposed by the above referenced California Government Code Section, and by the City by way of this Investment Policy.
 - U.S. Treasury Securities
 - Federal Agency and U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprise Obligations
 - Medium Term Notes
 - Corporate Bonds
 - Commercial Paper
 - Time Deposits (including non-negotiable Certificates of Deposit)
 - Negotiable Certificates of Deposit
 - Bankers' Acceptances
 - Local Agency Investment Fund (LAIF)
 - Los Angeles County Investment Pool (LACIP)
 - Cal Trust
 - Shares of Beneficial Interest issued by a Joint Powers Authority
 - Repurchase Agreements
 - Mutual Funds
 - Money Market Mutual Funds
 - U.S. Supranational Securities

Except as specifically authorized by the City Council in advance, no investment shall be made in any security that at the time of investment has a term remaining to maturity in excess of five years.

As a Local Agency, except for certain securities described in the below section, the City is specifically prohibited from investing in inverse floaters, range notes, mortgage- derived interest-only strips, <u>or any securities that could result in zero interest accrual if held to</u> <u>maturity</u> (California Government Code section 53601.6).

- 8. SAFEKEEPING AND CUSTODY: All security transactions shall be conducted on a deliver-versus-payment (DVP) basis. Securities shall be held by a third-party qualified custodian and evidenced by monthly safekeeping statements.
- 9. DIVERSIFICATION OF SECURITIES AND MATURITIES: The City shall maintain a diversified portfolio to minimize the risk of loss resulting from over concentration of assets in a specific maturity range, of a specific issuer, or in a specific security type.

The City employs a passive investment strategy, by which the City's full intent at the time of purchase is to hold all investments until maturity. Investments shall be made and maintained to match the City's projected cash flow requirements. Investments shall be made in realization that market prices of securities will vary depending on economic and interest rate conditions at any point in time. In the context of both the City's primary investment goals (safety, liquidity, return on investment), the sale of individual securities prior to maturity for purposes of portfolio reconfiguration may be appropriate.

The City's maturity matrix guideline ranges are as follows:

Maturity Range	Guideline Portfolio Percentage 30%
1 Day to 1 Year	- 100%
1 Year to 3 Years	5%- 60%

3 Years to 5 Years 0%- 40%

- 10. INTERNAL CONTROLS: Internal policies and procedures shall be maintained to assure that appropriate controls are in place to document and confirm all transactions. Transaction authority shall be separated from accounting and record keeping. An independent analysis by an external auditor shall be conducted annually to review internal control, account activity and compliance with policies and procedures.
- 11. PERFORMANCE STANDARDS: Given the City's passive investment strategy and the strategy for maturities diversification, the average weighted maturity of the portfolio will normally approximate two years. The basis used by the Treasurer to determine

whether market yields are being achieved shall be to bench mark portfolio returns as of the end of the month and the average of portfolio returns for the last twelve month ends against comparable two-year Treasury Constant Maturity Yields.

12. REPORTING: The City Treasurer or his/her designee shall provide the City Council and the City Manager a monthly Investment Report within 30 days following the end of the month covered by the report. Each report shall be certified the City Treasurer or his/her designee, signifying compliance with the City's Investment Policy.

Each report shall include the type of investment, issuer, Par and dollar amount invested, maturity date and interest rate. In accordance with California Government Code Section 53646, the City shall provide a copy of its Investment Policy and will supersede previous applicable language.

- 13. LEGISLATIVE CHANGES: Any State of California legislative action that further restricts allowable securities, investments, portfolio limits or any other elements of this policy will be incorporated in the City's Investment Policy and will supersede previous applicable language.
- 14. INVESTMENT POLICY ADOPTION: The City's Investment Policy shall be reviewed at least annually and adopted by resolution of the City Council at a public meeting. Any modification to the Investment Policy must be considered by the City Council at a public meeting.