

# Post-Issuance Compliance Policy

Office of the Comptroller May 10, 2022



# Strategic Plan Alignment

#### Goal 6. Set the Standard for Sound Governance and Fiscal Management

• 6.6 Ensure continued financial stability and accountability through sound financial management, budgeting and reporting



# Purpose of the Policy

- Meet requirements of the IRC of 1986 as amended
- Meet requirements of the SEC Rule 15(c) 2-12 for continuing disclosures
- Meet bond covenants obligation





## Purpose of the Tax Code regarding Arbitrage and Yield Restrictions

- Arbitrage on gross proceeds must be rebated to the federal government every five years after the date of issuance
- Yield restrictions requirements need to be met in order to avoid compromising the tax – exempt status of the debt issuance



# Continuing Disclosures SEC Rule 15 (c) 2-12

Requires the City to file with the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board the following disclosures:

- Annual report and annual information
- Notices of events (reportable events)

#### CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS

#### ANNUAL COMPREHENSIVE FINANCIAL REPORT



FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2021

## Compliance with Bond Covenants







Ensure annual appropriation of revenues to meet debt service payment Timely transfer debt service payments to trustee or paying agent Ensure compliance with the uses and purposes of the bond

# **Compliance Officer**

- The Chief Financial Officer (CFO) is designated as the Compliance Officer
- Responsible for ensuring the City carries out its post-issuance compliance requirements
- Comptroller will assist with the review





# **Due Diligence Review**

- The City will complete the annual due diligence review with respect to the annual report no later than February 28 of each year
- The City will review bond issuances spending, annual budget appropriation, debt service payments and compliance with bond covenants as applicable annually during the month of April.
- The review will be documented and available upon request.





# Review of Post Issuance Compliance Policy

• The policy should be reviewed at least biennially by the Compliance Officer or his designee.



#### VISION

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MISSION

Deliver exceptional services to support a high quality of life and place for our community Develop a vibrant regional economy, safe and beautiful neighborhoods and exceptional recreational, cultural and educational opportunities powered by a high performing government

☆ VALUES

Integrity, Respect, Excellence, Accountability, People

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## MISIÓN

Brindar servicios excepcionales para respaldar una vida y un lugar de alta calidad para nuestra comunidad

#### VISIÓN

Desarrollar una economía regional vibrante, vecindarios seguros y hermosos y oportunidades recreativas, culturales y educativas excepcionales impulsadas por un gobierno de alto desempeño

VALORES

Integridad, Respeto, Excelencia, Responsabilidad, Personas

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