

# Public Improvement District Background

- ▶ **A PID is a legal mechanism to finance new public infrastructure in a defined geographic area**
  - **Authorized under the Public Improvement District Assessment Act (Chapter 372 of Local Government Code)**
- ▶ **Allows the City to levy and collect an assessment on property within the PID for reimbursement of expenses associated with public improvements**



# PID Background

- ▶ **August 19, 2014 City Council Approved Resolution 14-32**
- ▶ **Created a PID to finance public improvements in the Enclave at RiverPark subdivision**
  - **54.5 acre single family development**
  - **139 homes**
- ▶ **PID similar to a MUD but limited authority**
  - **Eliminates an extra layer of government**
  - **No additional operating expenses**



# Reimbursement & Financing

- ▶ **Once the certified value in the PID exceeds \$31M, the City reimburses the developer for \$2M in infrastructure+ interest**
- ▶ **2018 Certified Value = \$37.2M**
- ▶ **City in the process of verifying the amount due to developer**
  - **Estimated at \$2.125M**
    - **~\$1.63M from 15 yr. bond issuance (to minimize the amount and duration of the assessment on homeowners)**
    - **~\$490,000 from PID funds**
- ▶ **Annual assessments to pay debt service over 15 years**



# Proposed Assessment

- ▶ **2018 Assessment \$970 per lot**
  - **Due whether lot is built on or not**
  - **Landscape reserves and rights of way are excluded**
- ▶ **Assessment estimated to decline as City contributes 50% of property taxes from the PID area to help repay the debt service on the reimbursement**



# **2018 Assessment**

- ▶ **Public Hearing on proposed assessment: August 28<sup>th</sup>**
- ▶ **Included on annual property tax statements**
- ▶ **Collected by Fort Bend County Tax Office**
- ▶ **Tax office remits funds to City**



# Recommendation

- ▶ **Approval of first reading of Ordinance No. 2138**
  - **Adopting 2018 PID assessment and updated Service and Assessment plan**
- ▶ **Second reading of Ordinance will be on September 18th**



**QUESTIONS?**

