OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION MARCH 15, 2016 AGENDA

Subject:	Action Required:	Approved By:
An ordinance authorizing the issuance of a promissory note to provide short-term financing under Amendment No. 78 to the Arkansas Constitution.	√ Ordinance Resolution Approval Information Report	
		Bruce T. Moore City Manager
SYNOPSIS	The City has a need to fund vehicles, software, and equipment as identified during the 2016 Budget process.	
FISCAL IMPACT	 The 2016 Temporary Note would be issued in the amount of \$4,525,000 to provide funding for the following projects: 1. Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (Little Rock Fire Department) – \$1,955,000 2. Vehicles and equipment (Fleet Services Allocation) – \$1,500,000 3. Information Technology Fire Suppression System – \$310,000 4. Information Technology Fiber Infrastructure - \$360,000 5. Planning Permitting Software and Field Devices - \$400,000 	
	General Fund revenues will be utilized for repayment of the note. The debt service expense will be included in the 2017 – 2021 Operating Budgets. It is anticipated that the annual debt service will be comparable to the amount that is included in the General Fund for the 2011 Short-Term Note that expires in 2016.	
RECOMMENDATION	Approval of the ordinance.	