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Title: SUBMISSION AND ACKNOWLEDGING **RECEIPT** OF **REPORTS** ENTITLED "COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL **FINANCIAL** REPORT **FOR** FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019" AND "THE CITY OF NORMAN SINGLE AUDIT REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30. 2019." AS PREPARED BY THE CITY OF NORMAN FINANCE DEPARTMENT AND AUDITED BY THE FIRM OF BKD, LLP, FOR THE CITY OF NORMAN, AUTHORITY, **NORMAN** OKLAHOMA, **NORMAN** UTILITIES AUTHORITY, NORMAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY NORMAN TAX INCREMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY.

Notes:	ACTION NEEDED: filing thereof.	Motion	to	acknowledge	receipt	of	the	report	and	direct	the
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Agenda Date: 12/10/2019

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Attachments: City of Norman 6-19 Single Audit FINAL, City of

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BACKGROUND: Oklahoma Statutes, Title 11, Section 17-105 require that an audit of the funds, assets, books, and records of the clerk and treasurer of the City be prepared and reviewed by an independent, qualified accountant. The City of Norman has, since fiscal year 1988-89, prepared an audit in conformance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). For the past

twenty-two fiscal years, the City has received the Government Finance Officers Association's Award for Excellence in Financial Reporting. The <u>Comprehensive Annual Financial Report</u> (CAFR) for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018 (FYE 2019) is included here. The CAFR includes financial statements for the City of Norman, the Norman Utilities Authority, the Norman Municipal Authority, the Norman Tax Increment Finance Authority (NTIFA) and Norman Economic Development Authority (NEDA) as required by the Trust Indentures of various Trusts of which the City of Norman is the beneficiary.

Many of the federal and state grants that the City receives also require an audit report to be reviewed by independent accountants, as directed by the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Award. The "Single Audit" report is also included to meet those requirements.

On May 8, 2018, the Council accepted the proposal of BKD, LLP, (RFP 1718-55), to provide independent auditing services for the City of Norman, the Norman Municipal Authority, Norman Utilities Authority, Norman Tax Increment Finance Authority and related entities for a period of three fiscal years with an option to extend the services for an additional two fiscal years.

<u>DISCUSSION:</u> The financial statements of both the City and its Trusts have received an unmodified ("clean") opinion from BKD, LLP that they fairly represent the financial position of the City and its related Trusts as of June 30, 2019, in all material respects. These statements, in near-final form, were reviewed and discussed at the Council Finance/Audit Committee meeting on November 21, 2019.

Under separate cover, the Council Audit/Finance Committee may receive a "management letter" from the City's external auditor. The management letter may discuss findings during the audit review that are <u>not</u> considered material to the overall operations of the City, future audit and accounting standards to be considered, or other items that would impact on the fair representation of the City's financial position.

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Fiscal Year 2018-2019 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report and Single Audit Report be accepted. All documents are available for review in the City Clerk's Office.