## Appendix E - Investment Report

## **Investment Report**

Investment income for the whole year was \$259,530.

At the time of writing this report, FIN – 01 stipulates no more than 50% of the City's investments should be concentrated in any one Schedule I Bank. As previously communicated all the City's investments are in one Schedule I Bank. Financial Services advises this will be corrected by mid-year as certain investments mature and funds are reinvested.

#### **Investment Performance**

The City is currently experiencing a favorable budget to actual variance despite declining interest rates. The historical budget practice did not budgeted interest earned on and to be transferred to reserves. In 2021 Financial Services budgetted operating budget and reserve interest.

	Trir	nester 1	Tri	mester 2	Trir	nester 3	Total	Annualized Return
Actual	\$	95,102	\$	86,013	\$	78,415	\$259,530	1.70%
Budget	\$	11,670	\$	11,660	\$	11,670	\$ 35,000	
Variance	\$	83,432	\$	74,353	\$	66,745	\$224,530	

As a point of reference, the interest rate earned on the bank account has declined from 1.95%-2.10% on January 1, 2020 to 0.45%-0.60% by the fall of 2020. This decline was directly related to the Bank of Canada reduction in the overnight rate from 1.75% to 0.25% over the same time period in response to COVID-19 economic implications. In the event interest rates remain low as the current investments come due Council can expect the City's annualized return to decrease.

### **Investment Term Holdings**

Funds	Book Value	Weight	
Investments < 1 Year	\$ 6,483,390	27%	
Cash	\$17,233,663	73%	
Total Portfolio	\$23,717,053	100%	

Financial Services highlights that the investment to cash ratio is temporarily skewed to cash as a result of declining interest rates and the floor to which our bank account has provided.

#### Investments

Institution	Type of Investment ^	Purchased Amount	Interest Rate	Maturity Date	Percentage of Holdings
Scotiabank	Bank - GIC	\$ 108,903	2.20%	17-Jun-21	2%
Scotiabank	Bank - GIC	\$ 1,184,965	2.05%	23-Jun-21	18%
Scotiabank	Bank - GIC	\$ 5,189,522	2.05%	23-Jun-21	80%
Total excluding cash		\$ 6,483,390			100%
Primarily CIBC	Chequing Account	\$17,233,663	0.450%/ 0.600%	N/A	
Total including Cash *		\$23,717,053			

^The City does not own any of its own long-term or short-term debentures.

\* All figures in in Canadian dollars.

# Transactions

Transactions in the third quarter (September 1 to December 31) are as follows:

Transaction	Туре	Type of	Purchase	Interest
Date		Investment	Balance	Rate
03-Dec-20	Maturity	Bank - GIC	\$775,000	2.50%