## Exhibit 1

## NOTICE OF 2015 TAX YEAR PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX RATE FOR CITY OF DENTON

A tax rate of <u>\$696380</u> per \$100 valuation has been proposed for adoption by the governing body of the <u>City of</u> <u>Denton</u>. This tax rate exceeds the lower of the effective or rollback tax rate, and state law requires that two public hearings be held by the governing body before adopting the proposed tax rate. The governing body of the <u>City of</u> <u>Denton</u> proposes to use revenue attributable to the tax rate increase for the purpose of <u>paying maintenance and</u> <u>operations expenses, and debt service</u>.

PROPOSED TAX RATE	<u>\$0.696380</u> per \$100
PRECEDING YEAR'S TAX RATE	<u>\$0.689750</u> per \$100
EFFECTIVE TAX RATE	<u>\$0.656271</u> per \$100
ROLLBACK TAX RATE	\$0.721554 per \$100

The effective tax rate is the total tax rate needed to raise the same amount of property tax revenue for the <u>City of</u> <u>Denton</u> from the same properties in both the 2014 tax year and the 2015 tax year.

The rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the <u>City of Denton</u> may adopt before voters are entitled to petition for an election to limit the rate that may be approved to the rollback rate.

## YOUR TAXES OWED UNDER ANY OF THE ABOVE RATES CAN BE CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

property tax amount = (<u>rate</u>) x (<u>taxable value of your property</u>) / 100

For assistance or detailed information about tax calculations, please contact:

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You are urged to attend and express your views at the following public hearings on the proposed tax rate:

First Hearing: <u>6:30 p.m. on August 18, 2015</u> at City Hall, 215 E. McKinney Street, Denton, TX, 76201

Second Hearing: 6:30 p.m. on September 1, 2015 at City Hall, 215 E. McKinney Street, Denton, TX, 76201