

Investment Portfolio Summary

Northwest ISD



For the Month Ended December 31, 2020

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MARKET RECAP - DECEMBER 2020:

The fourth quarter story was multifaceted, with a global resurgence of the virus, FDA approval of two extremely effective vaccines, a contested election that will presumably result in a Biden presidency, and signs of a slowdown in economic growth. During the quarter, Covid-19 hospitalizations quadrupled and the total number of Covid deaths jumped by 70%. Because the broad economy remained open for the most part during the holidays, experts are bracing for another rise in cases in January.

Economic data released during December confirmed prior signals that the economic recovery was slipping. The ISM manufacturing index fell from 59.3 to a still solid 56.7, but the employment index was more concerning as it fell from 53.2 into contraction territory at 48.4. November's employment report confirmed that signal and was clear in its depiction of moderating job growth with nonfarm payrolls increasing just 245k, well below the 460k median forecast. Payrolls are still down more than 10 million from the pre-pandemic period early in the year. The sidelined workers primarily represent the service sector, with restaurants, bars, gyms, conferences and sporting events still far from normal. The unemployment rate dropped from 6.9% to 6.7% last month, although this improvement is a little deceptive as it was driven by a decline in the labor force participation rate which, at 61.5%, is now within one tenth of a 45-year low. First time filings for unemployment benefits spiked to a three-month high of 892k in mid-December and stubbornly remain nearly 4x pre-pandemic norms. Some 20 million Americans continue to receive unemployment benefits in combined state and federal programs. Consumer spending has slowed as well, with overall retail sales for November down -1.1% following a downwardly revised -0.1% October decline. Inflation remains on the backburner with overall CPI holding steady at +1.6% year-over-year, while core CPI runs at a +1.2% pace. The 2020 housing boom finally moderated with existing home sales slipping by -2.5% in November, breaking a five-month string of advances. However, the 6.7 million unit annualized sales pace was still +25.8% above the same period a year ago. New home sales dropped -11.0% in November but are still up more than +20% year-over-year.

It's important to note that the recovery thus far has been wildly uneven. Census data revealed in early December that nearly 83 million adults in the U.S. are finding it "somewhat" or "very difficult" to cover basic monthly expenses such as food, rent or mortgage, car payments, medical expenses, or student loans. This is in sharp contrast to the surge in overall wealth that has driven household net worth to a new record high. Congress did finally pass an aid package by the end of the year, offering another month of eviction protection, an extension of federal jobless benefits and a \$600 stimulus check for individuals, in addition to a replenishing of the Paycheck Protection Program.

The forward-looking stock markets focused on the vaccine rollout and the additional aid package rather than the rapid spread of the virus and the weakening economic numbers. Both the DOW and the S&P 500 closed the year at fresh record highs. First quarter GDP growth is likely to be relatively weak, but should improve in subsequent quarters as an increasing number of Americans are vaccinated and begin a return to pre-pandemic normality.



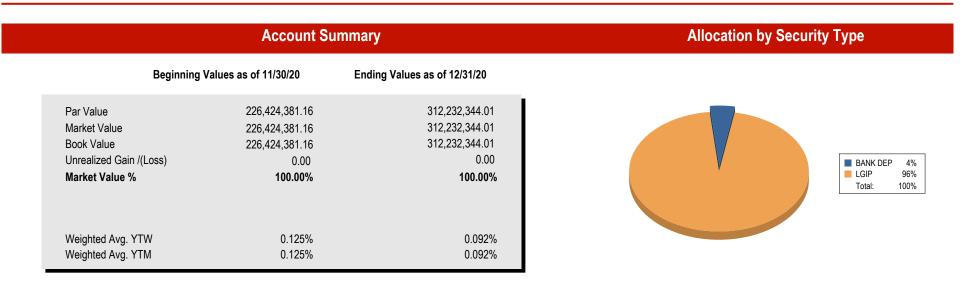
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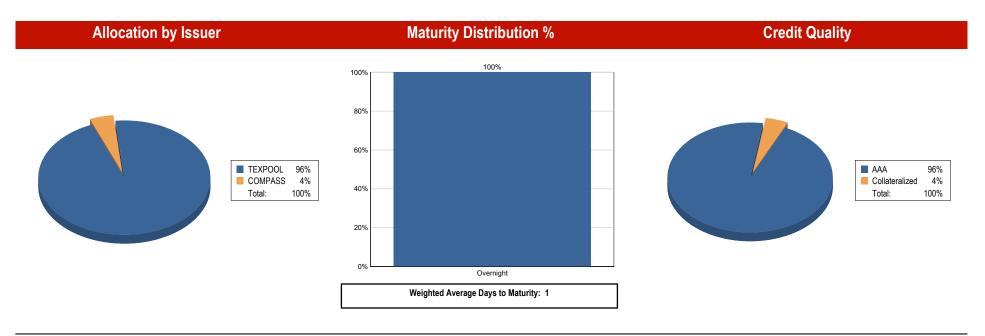
This report is prepared for the **Northwest ISD** (the "Entity") in accordance with Chapter 2256 of the Texas Public Funds Investment Act ("PFIA"). Section 2256.023(a) of the PFIA states that: "Not less than quarterly, the investment officer shall prepare and submit to the governing body of the entity a written report of the investment transactions for all funds covered by this chapter for the preceding reporting period." This report is signed by the Entity's investment officers and includes the disclosures required in the PFIA. To the extent possible, market prices have been obtained from independent pricing sources.

The investment portfolio complied with the PFIA and the Entity's approved Investment Policy and Strategy throughout the period. All investment transactions made in the portfolio during this period were made on behalf of the Entity and were made in full compliance with the PFIA and the approved Investment Policy.

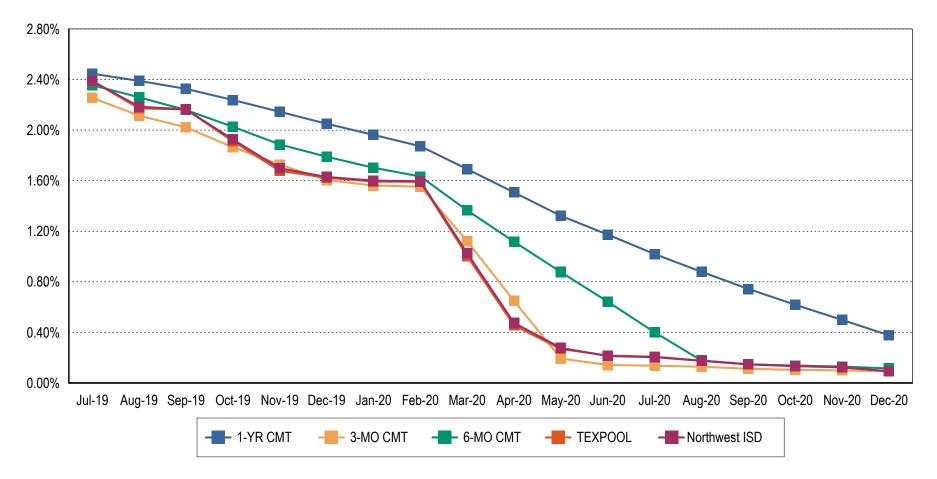
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Note 1: CMT stands for Constant Maturity Treasury. This data is published in Federal Reserve Statistical Release H.15 and represents an average of all actively traded Treasury securities having that time remaining until maturity. This is a standard industry benchmark for Treasury securities. The CMT benchmarks are moving averages. The 3-month CMT is the daily average for the previous 3 months, the 6-month CMT is the daily average for the previous 6 months, and the 1-year and 2-year CMT's are the daily averages for the previous 12-months.

Note 2: Benchmark data for TexPool is the monthly average yield.



Northwest ISD Detail of Security Holdings As of 12/31/2020

CUSIP	Settle Date	Sec. Type	Sec. Description	CPN	Mty Date	Next Call	Call Type	Par Value	Purch Price	Orig Cost	Book Value	Mkt Price	Market Value	Days to Mty	Days to Call	YTM	YTW
Activity Accoun	nt																
TEXPOOL		LGIP	TexPool					172,182.36	100.000	172,182.36	172,182.36	100.000	172,182.36	1		0.091	0.091
Total for Activit	ty Accou	nt						172,182.36	100.000	172,182.36	172,182.36	100.000	172,182.36	1		0.091	0.091
Capital Project																	
BBVA-NWL BBVA-NWZ TEXPOOL		BANK DEP BANK DEP LGIP	BBVA Compass LIBOR BBVA Compass ZBA Int TexPool					1,301,210.26 12,311,149.31 116,089,470.33	100.000 100.000 100.000	1,301,210.26 12,311,149.31 116,089,470.33	1,301,210.26 12,311,149.31 116,089,470.33	100.000 100.000 100.000	1,301,210.26 12,311,149.31 116,089,470.33	1 1 1		0.092 0.122 0.091	0.092 0.122 0.091
Total for Capita	al Project							129,701,829.90	100.000	129,701,829.90	129,701,829.90	100.000	129,701,829.90	1		0.094	0.094
Capital Project	AFB																
TEXPOOL		LGIP	TexPool					413,646.15	100.000	413,646.15	413,646.15	100.000	413,646.15	1		0.091	0.091
Total for Capita	al Project	AFB						413,646.15	100.000	413,646.15	413,646.15	100.000	413,646.15	1		0.091	0.091
General Operati	ing Fund																
BBVA-NW TEXPOOL		BANK DEP LGIP	BBVA Compass MM TexPool					85,026.91 106,500,473.15	100.000 100.000	85,026.91 106,500,473.15	85,026.91 106,500,473.15	100.000 100.000	85,026.91 106,500,473.15	1 1		0.192 0.091	0.192 0.091
Total for Gener	al Opera	ing Fund						106,585,500.06	100.000	106,585,500.06	106,585,500.06	100.000	106,585,500.06	1		0.091	0.091
Interest & Sinki	ng																
TEXPOOL		LGIP	TexPool					75,359,185.54	100.000	75,359,185.54	75,359,185.54	100.000	75,359,185.54	1		0.091	0.091
Total for Interes	st & Sink	ing						75,359,185.54	100.000	75,359,185.54	75,359,185.54	100.000	75,359,185.54	1		0.091	0.091
Total for Northy	west ISD							312,232,344.01	100.000	312,232,344.01	312,232,344.01	100.000	312,232,344.01	1		0.092	0.092



Northwest ISD

Change in Value

From 11/30/2020 to 12/31/2020

CUSIP	Security Type	Security Description	11/30/20 Book Value	Cost of Purchases	Maturities / Calls / Sales	Amortization / Accretion	Realized Gain/(Loss)	12/31/20 Book Value	11/30/20 Market Value	12/31/20 Market Value	Change in Mkt Value
Activity Acco	unt										
TEXPOOL	LGIP	TexPool	172,169.08	13.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	172,182.36	172,169.08	172,182.36	13.28
Total for Acti	vity Account		172,169.08	13.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	172,182.36	172,169.08	172,182.36	13.28
Capital Projec	t										
BBVA-NWL BBVA-NWZ TEXPOOL	BANK DEP BANK DEP LGIP	BBVA Compass LIBOR BBVA Compass ZBA Int TexPool	1,300,871.94 16,309,189.12 123,610,555.07	338.32 0.00 0.00	0.00 (3,998,039.81) (7,521,084.74)	0.00 0.00 0.00	0.00 0.00 0.00	1,301,210.26 12,311,149.31 116,089,470.33	1,300,871.94 16,309,189.12 123,610,555.07	1,301,210.26 12,311,149.31 116,089,470.33	338.32 (3,998,039.81) (7,521,084.74)
Total for Cap	ital Project		141,220,616.13	338.32	(11,519,124.55)	0.00	0.00	129,701,829.90	141,220,616.13	129,701,829.90	(11,518,786.23
Capital Projec	t AFB										
TEXPOOL	LGIP	TexPool	413,614.19	31.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	413,646.15	413,614.19	413,646.15	31.96
Total for Cap	ital Project AFB		413,614.19	31.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	413,646.15	413,614.19	413,646.15	31.96
General Opera	ating Fund										
BBVA-NW TEXPOOL	BANK DEP LGIP	BBVA Compass MM TexPool	85,013.21 44,552,105.30	13.70 61,948,367.85	0.00 0.00	0.00 0.00	0.00 0.00	85,026.91 106,500,473.15	85,013.21 44,552,105.30	85,026.91 106,500,473.15	13.70 61,948,367.85
Total for Gen	eral Operating Fund		44,637,118.51	61,948,381.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	106,585,500.06	44,637,118.51	106,585,500.06	61,948,381.55
Interest & Sin	king										
TEXPOOL	LGIP	TexPool	39,980,863.25	35,378,322.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	75,359,185.54	39,980,863.25	75,359,185.54	35,378,322.29
Total for Inter	rest & Sinking		39,980,863.25	35,378,322.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	75,359,185.54	39,980,863.25	75,359,185.54	35,378,322.29
Total for Nort	huset ISD		226,424,381.16	97,327,087.40	(11,519,124.55)	0.00	0.00	312,232,344.01	226,424,381.16	312,232,344.01	85,807,962.85

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Earned Income

opSecurities From 11/30/2020 to 12/31/2020

CUSIP	Security Type	Security Description	Beg. Accrued	Interest Earned	Interest Rec'd / Sold / Matured	Interest Purchased	Ending Accrued	Disc Accr / Prem Amort	Net Income
Activity Acco									
ACTIVITY ACCO	unt								
TEXPOOL	LGIP	TexPool	0.00	13.28	13.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	13.28
Total for Acti	vity Account		0.00	13.28	13.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	13.28
Capital Projec	et e								
BBVA-NWL	BANK DEP	BBVA Compass LIBOR	0.00	338.32	338.32	0.00	0.00	0.00	338.32
BBVA-NWZ	BANK DEP	BBVA Compass ZBA Int	0.00	1,960.19	1,960.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,960.19
TEXPOOL	LGIP	TexPool	0.00	9,271.61	9,271.61	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,271.61
otal for Cap	ital Project		0.00	11,570.12	11,570.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	11,570.12
Capital Projec	t AFB								
TEXPOOL	LGIP	TexPool	0.00	31.96	31.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	31.96
otal for Cap	ital Project AFB		0.00	31.96	31.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	31.96
General Opera	ating Fund								
BBVA-NW	BANK DEP	BBVA Compass MM	0.00	13.70	13.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	13.70
EXPOOL	LGIP	TexPool	0.00	4,458.82	4,458.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,458.82
otal for Gen	eral Operating Fund		0.00	4,472.52	4,472.52	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,472.52
nterest & Sin	king								
TEXPOOL .	LGIP	TexPool	0.00	3,784.30	3,784.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,784.30
Total for Inter	rest & Sinking		0.00	3,784.30	3,784.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,784.30
otal for Nort	thwest ISD		0.00	19,872.18	19,872.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	19,872.18