



Statement from Dallas City Manager Kimberly Bizer Tolbert

I continue to meet with Dallas Mavericks leadership as part of our strong partnership and shared commitment to the long-term future of the franchise and enhancing the fan experience in Dallas.

As part of those discussions, the Dallas Mavericks organization indicated its intent to submit a letter of interest through the City's Open Call for Concepts and Ideas process. Together, the Mavericks and the City have an opportunity to shape a bold, forward-looking vision that not only supports the continued success of the franchise, but also creates lasting benefits for our residents, neighborhoods, and the future of Dallas.

The City and the Mavericks organization will remain engaged in active and collaborative discussions moving forward. CEO Rick Welts and his team have been clear in their commitment to keeping the Mavericks in Dallas, and the City Manager's Office shares that vision. We are excited about what we can accomplish together through a partnership rooted in innovation, community investment, and a shared belief in Dallas' future.