

**Columbus Consolidated Government  
Council Meeting Agenda Item**

<b>TO:</b>	Mayor and Councilors
<b>AGENDA SUBJECT:</b>	Contract Extension for Banking Services (Annual Contract) – RFP No. 19-0002
<b>INITIATED BY:</b>	Finance Department

It is requested that Council authorize the extension of the annual contract with Synovus Bank (Columbus, GA) for financial services: Option 1-Banking Services, through June 30, 2026.

Per Resolution No. 459-18, Council authorized a five-year contract with Synovus Bank to provide Banking Services. The contract expired on June 30, 2024. In accordance with Article 3-109 (Annual Contracts: Price Agreement and Service Contracts) of the Procurement Ordinance, the contract was extended for one year through June 30, 2025. A three-month extension was approved on May 13, 2025, per Resolution No. 150-25, to allow time to advertise a new RFP. However, it is necessary to request additional time to complete the RFP advertisement and evaluation process for the next contract. Council approval is required for contract extensions beyond one year.

Funds are budgeted each fiscal year for these ongoing expenses: General Fund - Finance Department-Cash Management-Contractual Services; 0101-200-2950-CASH-6319.

## A RESOLUTION

NO. \_\_\_\_\_

### **A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXTENSION OF THE ANNUAL CONTRACT WITH SYNOVUS BANK (COLUMBUS, GA) FOR FINANCIAL SERVICES: OPTION 1 - BANKING SERVICES, THROUGH JUNE 30, 2026.**

**WHEREAS**, per Resolution No. 459-18, Council authorized a five-year contract with Synovus Bank to provide Banking Services. The contract expired on June 30, 2024. In accordance with Article 3-109 (Annual Contracts: Price Agreement and Service Contracts) of the Procurement Ordinance, the contract was extended for one year through June 30, 2025. A three-month extension was approved on May 13, 2025, per Resolution No. 150-25, to allow time to advertise a new RFP. However, it is necessary to request additional time to complete the RFP advertisement and evaluation process for the next contract. Council approval is required for contract extensions beyond one year.

### **NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, HEREBY RESOVES AS FOLLOWS:**

That the City Manager and/or his designee is hereby authorized to extend the annual contract with Synovus Bank (Columbus, GA) for financial Services: Option 1 - Banking Services through June 30, 2026. Funds are budgeted each fiscal year for these ongoing expenses: General Fund - Finance Department - Cash Management - Contractual Services; 0101- 200-2950-CASH-6319.

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Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia, held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of \_\_\_\_\_ members of said Council.

Councilor Allen	voting _____
Councilor Anker	voting _____
Councilor Chambers	voting _____
Councilor Cogle	voting _____
Councilor Crabb	voting _____
Councilor Davis	voting _____
Councilor Garrett	voting _____
Councilor Hickey	voting _____
Councilor Huff	voting _____
Councilor Tucker	voting _____

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Lindsey G. McLemore, Clerk of Council

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B.H. "Skip" Henderson III, Mayor

