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BEING INTENTIONAL

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One of the tag lines for the new Rainy Day Fund is to BE INTENTIONAL. We want investors to think about, plan for, and save for something specific. This could be their first car, a trip to Israel, or a new home just to give a few examples. Whatever specific thing they decide to save for, the Rainy Day Fund is a great opportunity for them.

In order to help them reach their savings goal, Texas CEF has placed helpful features on it, including the following:

1. It only takes a minimum of \$25 to open. These funds must be new money to CEF. This means a person cannot transfer money to it from any other CEF fund.
2. They must sign up to have at least \$25 transferred electronically into their Rainy Day Fund. The best thing about this is that they get to pick the day to have it transferred! Not many places will allow you to choose the day, but we do!

Exciting News! We now have brand new applications with the Rainy Day Fund on them! They are available for download from our website. Please recycle all old applications and replace with these new ones. We also have the Rainy Day Fund flyer for you to download!



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The mission of the Texas District Church Extension Fund is to extend God's Kingdom by boldly and responsibly assisting congregations to acquire land and buildings and by linking investors with congregations.

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BE INTENTIONAL.

That's what we are asking our investors to be when it comes to the Rainy day Fund.

Now, we are going to ask that of you.

Be intentional . . . with your one on one conversations about CEF

Be intentional . . . about following up with people who expressed an interest in CEF

Be intentional . . . about working with your pastor on planning CEF Sunday

John Maxwell says in his book, *Intentional Living: Choosing a Life that Matters*, that "intentional living is about living your best story."

How can we help you be intentional in your role for CEF? How can we help you live out your best story? Let us know by emailing Raelyn at rpracht@texascef.org or calling 512-646-1242

TEXAS DISTRICT CEF AUGUST 2019 INTEREST RATES

Investment	Fixed Rate ²		Floating Rate ²	
	Rate	APY	Rate	APY
One Year Note ¹	2.250%	2.27%	2.000%	2.02%
Three Year Note ¹	2.375%	2.40%	1.875%	1.89%
Five Year Note ¹	2.625%	2.65%	1.875%	1.89%
Flex Savings			1.000%	1.00%
Rainy Day Fund **			1.250%	1.26%
**Amounts over \$10,000 receive the Flex Savings rate				
For Congregations Only				
Congregation Savings			1.250%	1.26%
Building Fund			2.625%	2.66%

CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to St. Paul in Jasper and their CEF Rep, Charles Wright for meeting their goal!

All individual Texas District CEF investments (FLEX, fixed and floating rate notes) may be included in a person's IRA portfolio, through our custodian GoldStar Trust Company. www.texascef.org/ira.html (1) Subject to penalty for early withdrawal. (2) Rates subject to change. Rates reviewed monthly. Texas District Church Extension Fund is a nonprofit religious organization; therefore, CEF investments are not SIPC or FDIC-insured bank deposit accounts. This does not constitute an offer to sell or a request to buy. The offer is made solely by CEF's Offering Circular.