### AMENDED INVESTMENT POLICY

This Amended Investment Policy (the "Policy") is adopted by the Board of Directors of East Downtown Redevelopment Authority (the "Authority") pursuant to Chapter 2256 of the Texas Government Code, effective as of September 16, 2019.

# ARTICLE I PURPOSE

### Section 1.01. Purpose.

This Policy with respect to Authority investments has been adopted to establish the principles and criteria by which the funds of the Authority should be invested and secured and to comply with various provisions of Texas law relating to the investment and security of funds of local government corporations (the "Investment Laws"). As of the date of the adoption of this Policy, the following laws are applicable to the investment of the Authority's funds: Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code; Chapter 791, Texas Government Code; Chapter 2257, Texas Government Code; and Section 404.101 et seq., Texas Government Code. The Investment Laws generally provide the minimum criteria for the authorized investment and security of the Authority's funds and require the Authority to adopt rules to ensure the investment of Authority funds in accordance with such laws. This Policy will specify the scope of authority of Authority Officials who are responsible for the investment of Authority funds.

## ARTICLE II DEFINITIONS

#### Section 2.01. Definitions.

Unless the context requires otherwise, the following terms and phrases used in this Policy shall mean the following:

- (a) "Authority Officials" means the Investment Officer, Directors, Employees, and persons and business entities engaged in handling the investment of Authority funds.
- (b) "Authorized Collateral" means any means or method of securing the deposit of Authority funds authorized by Chapter 2257, Texas Government Code.
- (c) "Authorized Investment" means any security in which the Authority is authorized to invest under Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code.
- (d) "Board" means the Board of Directors of the Authority.
- (e) "Collateral" means any means or method of securing the deposit of Authority funds under Article IV hereof.
- (f) "Collateral Act" means Chapter 2257, Texas Government Code, as amended from time to time.
- (g) "Director" means a person appointed to serve on the Board of Directors of the Authority.

- (h) "Employee" means any person employed by the Authority, but does not include independent contractors or professionals hired by the Authority as outside consultants, such as the Authority's financial advisor, accountant or general counsel.
- (i) "FDIC" means the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or any successor entity.
- (j) "Investment Act" means Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code, as amended from time to time.
- (k) "Investment Officer(s)" means the Director(s) or Employee(s) of the Authority appointed from time to time by the Board to invest and reinvest the funds of the Authority held in its various accounts.
- (1) "State" means the State of Texas.

### ARTICLE III INVESTMENT OFFICER

#### Section 3.01. Investment Officer.

From time to time, the Authority shall appoint one or more of its Directors or Employees to serve as Investment Officer(s) to handle the investment of Authority funds. The Investment Officer(s) shall be responsible for investing Authority funds in accordance with this Policy. The Investment Officer(s) shall invest the Authority's funds, not for speculation, but for investment, considering the probable safety of capital and the probable income to be derived, with all investment decisions to be governed by the objectives set forth in Section 7.01 hereof.

#### Section 3.02. Training.

The Investment Officer(s) shall attend training sessions and receive the number of hours of instruction as required by the Investment Act.

### Section 3.03. Reporting by the Investment Officer and Authority Officials.

Not less than quarterly and within a reasonable time after the end of the period reported, the Investment Officer and Authority Officials shall prepare and submit to the Board a written report of the investment transactions for all funds of the Authority for the preceding reporting period. The report must (1) describe in detail the investment position of the Authority on the date of the report, (2) be prepared jointly by all the Investment Officers of the Authority, if the Authority appoints more than one, (3) be signed by all Investment Officers and Authority Officials who prepare the report, (4) contain a summary statement of each pooled fund group that states the beginning market value for the reporting period; ending market value for the period; and fully accrued interest for the reporting period; (5)state the book value and the market value of each separately invested asset at the beginning and end of the reporting period by the type of asset and fund type invested, (6) state the maturity date of each separately invested asset that has a maturity date, (7) state the Authority fund for which each individual investment was acquired, and (8) state the compliance of the investment portfolio as it relates to this Policy and the Investment Act.

### Section 3.04. Assistance with Certain Duties of the Investment Officer.

The Board hereby authorizes and directs the Authority Officials requested by the Investment Officer to assist the Investment Officer(s) with any of his/her duties, including but not limited to the following:

- (a) Presenting a copy of this Policy to any person or business organization seeking to sell an investment to the Authority and obtaining the necessary written certification from such seller referred to in this section;
- (b) Handling investment transactions;
- (c) Preparing and submitting to the Board the written report of all investment transactions for the Authority as required by this section;
- (d) Researching investment options and opportunities;
- (e) Obtaining written depository pledge agreements as required herein;
- (f) Obtaining safe-keeping receipts from the Texas financial institution which serves as a depository for pledged Collateral; and
- (g) Reviewing the market value of the Authority's investments and of the Collateral pledged to secure the Authority's funds.

### ARTICLE IV PROCEDURES FOR INVESTMENT OF AUTHORITY MONIES

### Section 4.01. Qualified Broker/Dealers.

The list of qualified broker/dealers with whom the Authority may engage in investment transactions is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

# Section 4.02. <u>Disclosures of Relationships with Entities Offering to Enter into Investment Transactions with the Authority.</u>

The Investment Officer(s) and the Authority Officials shall disclose in writing (a) any "personal business relationship" with a business organization offering to engage in an investment transaction with the Authority and (b) any relationship within the second degree by affinity or consanguinity, as determined by Chapter 573, Texas Government Code, to any individual seeking to sell an investment to the Authority, as required by the Investment Act. The existence of a "personal business relationship" shall be determined in accordance with the Investment Act. Such disclosure statement shall be filed with the Board and the Texas Ethics Commission.

### Section 4.03. Certifications from Sellers of Investments.

The Investment Officer(s) or the Authority Officials shall present this Policy to any person or business organization offering to engage in an investment transaction with the Authority and obtain a certificate stating that such potential seller has reviewed the Policy as provided in the Investment Act. This certificate shall be in a form acceptable to the Authority and shall state that the potential seller has received and reviewed the Policy and has acknowledged that the potential seller has implemented

reasonable procedures and controls in an effort to preclude investment transactions with the Authority that are not authorized by this Policy, except to the extent that this authorization is dependent on an analysis of the makeup of the Authority's entire portfolio or requires an interpretation of subjective investment standards. Neither the Investment Officer nor the Authority Officials shall purchase or make any investment from a potential seller that has not delivered to the Authority this required certification. A form of certificate acceptable to the Authority is attached hereto as **Exhibit B**.

### Section 4.04. <u>Solicitation of Bids for Certificates of Deposit.</u>

Bids for certificates of deposit may be solicited orally, in writing, electronically or in any combination of those methods.

### Section 4.05. Settlement Basis.

All purchases of investments, except investment in investment pools or in mutual funds, shall be made on a delivery versus payment basis. The safekeeping entity for all Authority investments and for all Collateral pledged to secure Authority funds shall be one approved by the Investment Officer(s).

### Section 4.06. Monitoring of the Market Value of Investments and Collateral.

The Investment Officer(s), with the help of such Authority Officials as needed, shall determine the market value of each investment and of all Collateral pledged to secure deposits of Authority funds at least quarterly and at a time as close as practicable to the closing of the reporting period for investments. Such values shall be included on the investment report. The following methods shall be used:

- (a) Certificates of deposit shall be valued at their face value plus any accrued but unpaid interest.
- (b) Shares in money market mutual funds and investment pools shall be valued at par plus any accrued but unpaid interest.
- (c) Other investment securities with a remaining maturity of one year or less may be valued in any of the following ways:
  - (1) the lower of two bids obtained from securities broker/dealers for such security;
  - (2) the average of the bid and asked prices for such investment security as published in The Wall Street Journal or The New York Times;
  - (3) the bid price published by any nationally recognized security pricing service; or
  - (4) the market value quoted by the seller of the security or the owner of such Collateral.
- (d) Other investment securities with a remaining maturity greater than one year shall be valued at the lower of two bids obtained from securities broker/dealers for such security, unless two bids are not available, in which case the securities may be valued in any manner provided in 4.06(c) hereof.

### Section 4.07. Monitoring the Rating Changes in Investments

Consistent with Section 2256.021, Texas Government Code, as amended, the Investment Officer shall monitor all investments that require a minimum rating under subchapter A of Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code, as amended, such that any such investment that does not have the minimum rating shall no longer constitute an authorized investment. Such investments that do not have the required minimum rating shall be liquidated within 30 days of the investment's failure to maintain its required minimum rating.

## ARTICLE V PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO ALL FUNDS

### Section 5.01. <u>Provisions Applicable to All Fund Groups</u>.

- (a) All funds of the Authority shall be invested only in accordance with this Policy and shall comply with any additional requirements imposed by bond resolutions or trust indentures of the Authority and applicable state law or federal tax law, including the Investment Laws.
- (b) The Board, by separate resolution, may provide that a designated officer or agent of the Authority may withdraw or transfer funds from and to accounts of the Authority only in compliance with this Policy.
- (c) No fund groups shall be pooled for the purposes of investment, e.g. the funds in the Operating Account and in the Project Account shall not be commingled or pooled for purposes of investment.

# Section 5.02. <u>Policy of Securing Deposits of Authority Funds -- Applicable to All Deposited Authority Funds.</u>

- (a) The Authority recognizes that FDIC (or its successor) insurance is available for Authority funds deposited at any one Texas Financial Institution (including branch banks) only up to a maximum of \$250,000 (including accrued interest) for each of the following: (i) demand deposits, (ii) time and savings deposits, and (iii) deposits made pursuant to an indenture or pursuant to law in order to pay bondholders or noteholders¹ It is the policy of the Authority that all deposited funds in each of the Authority's accounts shall be insured by the FDIC, or its successor, and to the extent the deposit surpasses the FDIC Deposit Insurance Coverage limit at any given time, shall be secured by Collateral pledged to the extent of the fair market value of the principal amount deposited plus accrued interest as required by the Collateral Act.
- (b) If it is necessary for the Authority's depositories to pledge Collateral to secure the Authority's deposits, (1) the Collateral pledge agreement must be in writing, (2) the Collateral pledge agreement must be approved by the depository's board of directors or loan committee, (3) the depository's approval of the Collateral pledge agreement must be reflected in the minutes of the meeting of the depository's board or loan committee approving same, and (4) the Collateral pledge agreement must be kept in the official records of the depository. The depository must provide to the Investment Officer or Authority Officials with written proof of the depository's approval of the pledge

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The \$250,000 limit is temporary and may change from time to time under applicable law.

agreement as required herein in a form acceptable to the Authority. A signed or certified copy of the minutes of the meeting of the depository's board or loan committee reflecting the approval of the Collateral pledge agreement or other written documentation of such approval acceptable to the Investment Officer will be accepted. It is the preference of the Board that all requirements of this section be met prior to the deposit of any Authority funds in such financial institution when a pledge of Collateral is required; however, the Board recognizes that compliance with this preference might not be practicable due to time constraints for making a deposit. In such event, the Board directs the Investment Officer and Authority Officials to proceed diligently to have such agreement approved and documented to assure protection of the Authority's funds. If the decision is made to forego the protection of a Collateral pledge agreement with any depository, the Authority's Executive Director shall be responsible for maintaining the balance of deposit(s) in such depository plus any accrued but unpaid interest at or below FDIC insurance levels.

- (c) Collateral pledged by a depository shall be held in safekeeping at an independent third party institution, and the Authority's Executive Director shall obtain safe-keeping receipts from the Texas financial institution or the safekeeping institution that reflect that Collateral as allowed by this Investment Policy and in the amount required was pledged to the Authority. Principal and accrued interest on deposits in a financial institution shall not exceed the FDIC's, or its successor's, insurance limits or the market value of the Collateral pledged as security for the Authority's deposits. It shall be acceptable for the Authority's Executive Director to periodically receive interest on deposits to be deposited to the credit of the Authority if needed to keep the amount of the funds under the insurance or Collateral limits. It is the preference of this Board that there be no sharing, splitting or cotenancy of Collateral with other secured parties or entities; however, in the event that a depository cannot accommodate this preference due to the denominations of the securities to be pledged, the Board directs the Investment Officer and Authority Officials to obtain appropriate protections in the pledge agreement with the depository to assure that the Collateral is liquidated and the funds distributed appropriately to all parties with a security interest in such Collateral. The Authority's Executive Director shall monitor the pledged Collateral to assure that it is pledged only to the Authority, review the fair market value of the Collateral to ensure that the Authority's funds are fully secured, and report periodically to the Investment Officer and the Board regarding the Collateral.
- (d) The Authority's funds deposited in any Texas financial institution, to the extent that they are not insured, may be secured by the pledge of any of the following:
  - (1) Surety bonds;
  - (2) An obligation that in the opinion of the Attorney General of the United States is a general obligation of the United States and backed by its full faith and credit;
  - (3) A general or special obligation that is (a) payable from taxes, revenues, or a combination of taxes and revenues and (b) issued by a state or political or governmental entity, agency, instrumentality or subdivision of the state, including a municipality, an institution of higher education as defined by Section 61.003, Texas Education Code, a junior college, a district created under Article XVI, Section 59, of the Texas Constitution, and a public hospital;

- (4) A fixed-rate collateralized mortgage obligation that has an expected weighted average life of 10 years or less and does not constitute a "high-risk mortgage security" under the Collateral Act;
- (5) A floating-rate collateralized mortgage obligation that does not constitute a "high-risk mortgage security" under the Collateral Act;
- (6) A letter of credit issued by a federal home loan bank; or
- (7) A security in which a public entity may invest under the Investment Act. As of the date of this Policy, the following are the securities in which a public entity may invest under the Investment Act and, therefore, may be used as Collateral:
  - (i) Obligations, including letters of credit, of the United States or its agencies and instrumentalities;
  - (ii) Direct obligations of the State of Texas or its agencies and instrumentalities;
  - (iii) Collateralized mortgage obligations directly issued by a federal agency or instrumentality or the United States, the underlying security for which is guaranteed by an agency or instrumentality of the United States;
  - (iv) Other obligations, the principal and interest of which are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by or backed by the full faith and credit of the United States or the State of Texas or their respective agencies and instrumentalities, including obligations that are fully guaranteed or insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or by the explicit full faith and credit of the United States;
  - (v) Obligations of states, agencies, counties, cities, and other political subdivisions of any state rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than A or its equivalent;
  - (vi) Certificates of deposit issued by a depository institution that has its main office or a branch office in the State of Texas that are (1) guaranteed by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or its successor or the National Credit Union Share Insurance Fund or its successor, (2) secured by the obligations in which the Authority may invest under the Investment Act, or (3) secured in any other manner and amount provided by law for deposits of the Authority;
  - (vii) Certificates of deposit made in accordance with the following conditions: (1) a broker that has its main office or a branch office in this state and is selected from a list adopted by the Authority; (2) the funds are invested by the Authority through a depository institution that has its main office or a branch office in the State of Texas and that is selected by the Authority; (3) the broker or the depository institution selected by the Authority under Subdivision (2) arranges for the deposit of the funds in certificates of deposit in one or more federally insured depository institutions, wherever located, for the account of the Authority; (4) the

full amount of the principal and accrued interest of each of the certificates of deposit is insured by the United States or an instrumentality of the United States; and (5) the depository institution selected by the Authority under Subdivision (2), an entity described by Section 2257.041(d), or a clearing broker dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission and operating pursuant to Security and Exchange Commission Rule 15c3-3 (17C.F.R. Section 240.15c3-3) as custodian for the Authority with respect to the certificates of deposit issued for the account of the Authority;

- (viii) Repurchase agreements that comply with the Investment Act;
- (ix) Bankers' acceptances that comply with the Investment Act;
- (x) Commercial paper that complies with the Investment Act;
- (xi) No-load money market mutual funds that comply with the Investment Act; and
- (xii) No-load mutual funds that comply with the Investment Act; and
- (xiii) Guaranteed investment contracts that comply with the Investment Act.
- (e) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary provided above, the following may not be used as Collateral and are not authorized as investments for the Authority under the Investment Act:
  - (1) Obligations whose payment represents the coupon payments on the outstanding principal balance of the underlying mortgage-backed security collateral and pays no principal;
  - Obligations whose payment represents the principal stream of cash flow from the underlying mortgage-backed security collateral and bears no interest;
  - (3) Collateralized mortgage obligations that have a final stated maturity date of greater than 10 years other than those listed in Sections 5.02(d)(4) and 5.02(d)(5) above; or
  - (4) Collateralized mortgage obligations the interest rate of which is determined by an index that adjusts opposite to the changes in a market index.

### Section 5.03. Diversification.

The Investment Officer may invest up to 100% of the funds of the Authority in any investment instrument authorized in this Policy.

### ARTICLE VI AUTHORIZED INVESTMENTS

### Section 6.01. Authorized Investments.

Unless specifically prohibited by law or elsewhere by this Policy, Authority funds may be invested and reinvested only in the following types of investments:

- (a) Obligations, including letters of credit, of the United States or its agencies and instrumentalities, including the Federal Home Loan Banks;
- (b) Direct obligations of the State or its agencies and instrumentalities;
- (c) Collateralized mortgage obligations directly issued by a federal agency or instrumentality of the United States, the underlying security for which is guaranteed by an agency or instrumentality of the United States;
- (d) Other obligations, the principal and interest of which are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by or backed by the full faith and credit of the State or the United States or their respective agencies and instrumentalities;
- (e) Obligations of states, agencies, counties, cities, and other political subdivisions of any state rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than A or its equivalent;
- (f) Bonds issued, assumed, or guaranteed by the State of Israel;
- (g) Interest-bearing banking deposits that are guaranteed or insured by:
  - i. The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or its successor; or
  - ii. The National Credit Union Share Insurance Fund or its successor;
- (h) Interest-bearing banking deposits other than those described by Subsection 7 if:
  - i. The funds invested in the banking deposits are invested through (a) a broker with a main office or branch in this state and is selected from a list adopted by the Authority, or (b) a depository institution with a main office or branch office in this state that the authority selects;
  - ii. The broker or depository institution selected as described by Subsection (a) arranges for the deposit of the funds in the banking deposits in one or more federally insured depository institutions, regardless of where located, for the Authority's account;
  - iii. The full amount of the principal and accrued interest of the banking deposits is insured by the United States or an instrumentality of the United States; and
  - iv. The Authority appoints as the Authority's custodian of the banking deposits issued for the Authority's account: (i) the depository institution selected as described by Subsection (1); (ii) and entity described by Section 2257.041(d) of the Texas Government Code, as amended; or (iii) a clearing broker dealer registered with the Securities and

Exchange Commission and operating under Securities and Exchange Commission Rue 15c3-03.

- (i) Certificates of deposit issued by a depository institution that has its main office or a branch office in the State of Texas that are (1) guaranteed by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or its successor or the National Credit Union Share Insurance Fund or its successor, (2) secured by the obligations in which the Authority may invest under the Investment Act, or (3) secured in any other manner and amount provided by law for deposits of the Authority;
- Certificates of deposit made in accordance with the following conditions: (1) a broker (j) that has its main office or a branch office in this state and is selected from a list adopted by the Authority (2) the funds are invested by the Authority through a depository institution that has its main office or a branch office in the State of Texas and that is selected by the Authority; (3) the broker or the depository institution selected by the Authority under Subdivision (4) arranges for the deposit of the funds in certificates of deposit in one or more federally insured depository institutions, wherever located, for the account of the Authority; (5) the full amount of the principal and accrued interest of each of the certificates of deposit is insured by the United States or an instrumentality of the United States; and (6) the depository institution selected by the Authority under Subdivision (1), an entity described by Section 2257.041(d), or a clearing broker dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission and operating pursuant to Security and Exchange Commission Rule 15c3-3 (17C.F.R. Section 240.15c3-3) as custodian for the Authority with respect to the certificates of deposit issued for the account of the Authority;
- (k) Repurchase agreements that comply with the Investment Act;
- (1) Bankers' acceptances that comply with the Investment Act;
- (m) Commercial paper that complies with the Investment Act;
- (n) No-load money market mutual funds that comply with the Investment Act;
- (o) No-load mutual funds that comply with the Investment Act;
- (p) Investment Pools which meet the requirements set forth in Section 2256.016 and Section 2256.019 of the Texas Government Code, as amended, and which are specifically authorized by a resolution that is approved by the Board; and
- (q) With respect to bond proceeds, guaranteed investment contracts that comply with the Investment Act.

### Section 6.02. Prohibited Investments.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary stated herein, no funds of the Authority may be invested in the following or in any other type of investment prohibited by the Investment Act or other applicable law:

- (a) Obligations whose payment represents the coupon payments on the outstanding principal balance of the underlying mortgage-backed security collateral and pays no principal (IO's);
- (b) Obligations whose payment represents the principal stream of cash flow from the underlying mortgage-backed security collateral and bears no interest (PO's);
- (c) Collateralized mortgage obligations that have a stated final maturity date of greater than 10 years; and
- (d) Collateralized mortgage obligations the interest rate of which are determined by an index that adjusts opposite to the changes in the market index (inverse floaters).

### Section 6.03. Investment of Funds Held Under Trust Indentures.

Anything in this Policy to the contrary notwithstanding, to the extent that any funds are held by a trustee under a trust indenture relating to the Authority's bonds, such funds may be invested as provided by the resolution authorizing the issuance of the bonds or the trust indenture.

### ARTICLE VII INVESTMENT STRATEGIES

### Section 7.01. Strategy Applicable to All Funds.

The Authority's general investment strategy for all fund groups shall be to invest such monies from such fund groups so as to accomplish the following objectives, which are listed in the order of importance:

- (a) Understanding of the suitability of the investment to the financial requirements of the Authority;
- (b) Preservation and safety of principal;
- (c) Liquidity;
- (d) Marketability of the investment if the need arises to liquidate the investment before maturity;
- (e) Diversification of the investment portfolio; and
- (f) Yield.

### Section 7.02. <u>Investment Strategy for the Operating Account.</u>

Funds in the Operating Account shall be invested to meet the operating and cash flow requirements of the Authority as determined by the annual operating budget adopted by the Board. Operating funds shall not be invested for longer than three years.

## ARTICLE VIII MISCELLANEOUS

### Section 8.01. <u>Annual Review</u>.

The Authority shall review this Investment Policy at least annually and adopt a resolution confirming the continuance of the Investment Policy without amendment or adopt an Amended Investment Policy.

Section 8.02. Superseding Clause.

This Policy supersedes any prior policies adopted by the Board of Directors regarding investment or securitization of Authority funds.

Section 8.03. Open Meeting.

The Board officially finds, determines and declares that this Policy was reviewed, carefully considered, and adopted at a regular meeting of the Board, and that a sufficient written notice of the date, hour, place and subject of this meeting was posted at a place readily accessible and convenient to the public within the Authority and on a bulletin board located at a place convenient to the public in the City of Houston, Texas for the time required by law preceding this meeting, as required by the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Texas Government Code, and that this meeting had been open to the public as required by law at all times during which this Policy was discussed, considered and acted upon. The Board further ratifies, approves and confirms such written notice and the contents and posting thereof.

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### EXHIBIT A LIST OF AUTHORIZED BROKER/DEALERS

Allegiance Bank

Amegy Bank of Texas (Amegy Bank, N.A.)

American First National Bank

Bank of America Corporation

Bank of America, N.A.

Bank of OZK

Bank of Texas (BOKF, NA)

**BBVA** Compass Bank

Beal Bank

**BOKF** Financial

Capital Bank, N.A.

Capital One, N.A.

Capital Markets Group, Inc.

Cathay Bank

Central Bank

Chase Investments Services Corp.

Chasewood Bank

Citibank

City Bank

Comerica Bank

Commercial State Bank

CommunityBank of Texas, N.A.

**CUNA** 

**Edward Jones** 

Encore

Enterprise Bank and Trust Company

FirstBank & Trust Company

First Bank Texas

First Citizens Bank

First Community Bank, N.A.

First Financial Bank

First International Bank & Trust

First National Bank of Bastrop

First National Bank Texas

First Texas Bank

Fiserve, Inc.

Frost Bank

FTN Financial

Guaranty Bank and Trust

Green Bank, N.A.

Golden Bank, National Association

Hanmi Bank

Herring Bank

Hilltop Securities

HomeTown Bank, N.A.

Icon Bank

Independence Bank

Independent Bank

Integrity Bank

**IBC** Bank

Invesco

JPMorgan Chase & Co.

Chase Bank, N.A.

J.P. Morgan Securities LLC

Legacy Texas Bank

Legg Mason

LOGIC (Local Government Investment Cooperative)

Lone Star National Bank

Lone Star Investment Pool

LPL Financial Services

Masterson Advisors

Mercantil Commercebank, National Association

Merchants Bank

Metro Bank, National Association

Midkiff & Stone Capital Group, Inc.

MidSouth Bank

Moody National Bank

Morgan Stanley

Morgan Stanley Wealth Management

New First National Bank

Northern Trust, National Assocation

Omnibank National Association

Patriot Bank

Plains State Bank

Post Oak Bank

Preferred Bank

Prime Way Federal Credit Union

Prosperity Bank

Prudential Equity Group

Raymond James

RBC Wealth Management USA

Regions Bank

Regions Financial Corporation

Security State Bank

Southwestern National Bank

Spirit of Texas Bank

State Bank of Texas

State Street Bank & Trust Co.

**TexSTAR** 

Texan Bank

Texas Capital Bank, National Association

Texas Citizens Bank

**Texas CLASS** 

Texas Community Bank

Texas First Bank

Texas Gulf Bank

Texas State Bank

TIB - The Independent BankersBank

TexPool/TexPool Prime

The Bank of River Oaks
Tri Star Financial
Trustmark National Bank
U.S. Bank National Association
UBS Financial Services, Inc.
Unity National Bank
Vista Bank
Wallis State Bank
Wells Fargo Advisors, LLC
Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.
Whitney Bank
Woodforest National Bank

### Exhibit B

# CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE FROM SELLERS OF INVESTMENTS AS REQUIRED BY THE PUBLIC FUNDS INVESTMENT ACT

Го:	East Downtown Redevelopment Authority (the "Authority")		
From:			
	"qı org	ame of the person offering or the [Office such person holds]  ualified representative of the business ganization" offering to engage in an restment transaction with the Authority]	
of		(the "Business Organization")	
	[na	me of financial institution, business organization or investment pool]	
Date:			
certify		cordance with the provisions of Chapter 2256 of the Texas Government Code, I hereby	
	1.	I am an individual offering to enter into an investment transaction with the Authority or a "qualified representative" of the Business Organization offering to enter an investment transaction with the Authority, as applicable, as such terms are used in the Public Funds Investment Act, Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code, and that I meet all requirements under such act to sign this Certificate.	
	2.	I or the Business Organization, as applicable, anticipate selling to the Authority investments that comply with the Authority's Investment Policy and the Investment Act (collectively referred to herein as the "Investments") dated (the "Investment Policy").	
	3.	I or a registered investment professional that services the Authority's account, as applicable, have received and reviewed the Investment Policy, which the Authority has represented is the complete Investment Policy of the Authority now in full force and effect. The Authority has further acknowledged that I or the Business Organization, as applicable, may rely upon the Investment Policy until the Authority provides me or the Business Organization, as applicable, with any amendments to or any newly adopted form of the Investment Policy.	
	4.	I or the Business Organization, as applicable, have/has implemented reasonable procedures and controls in an effort to preclude investment transactions between the Authority and me or the Business Organization, as applicable, that are not authorized by the Investment Policy, except to the extent that this authorization is dependent upon an analysis of the Authority's entire portfolio or requires an interpretation of subjective investment standards.	

- 5. I or the Business Organization, as applicable, have/has reviewed or will review prior to sale, the terms, conditions and characteristics of the investments to be sold to the Authority and determined (i) that each of the Investments is an authorized investment for local governments under the Investment Act and (ii) each of the Investments is an authorized investment under the Investment Policy. The Business Organization makes no representation as to whether any limits on the amount of Authority monies to be invested in the Investments exceeds or in any way violates the Investment Policy.
- 6. The Business Organization makes no representations or guarantees regarding the prudence, reasonableness or adequacy of the Investment Policy.
- 7. The Business Organization has attached hereto, for return to the Authority, or will provide a prospectus or disclosure document for each of the Investments other than certificates of deposit and direct obligations of the United States.

By:	
Name:	
Title:	