Thrift Industry Day

Hector Retta Commissioner



Department Update

- FY 2024 Notable Points
- Agency Priorities and Initiatives FY 2025
- FY 2025 Budget
- Mortgage Grant Fund



FY 2024

- Federal Open Markets Committee (FOMC) registered no change in the Federal Funds target range of 5.25% - 5.5%
- Inflation

August 2024 August 2023 August 2022 2.53% 3.67% 8.26%

- Cybersecurity trends and concerns
- Texas Community Banks (TA < \$10 billion) account for 47% of loans, 33% of assets, and 34% of deposits



Financial Markets

| Index | 8/30/23 | 9/16/24 | Delta |
|---------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| NYSE | 16,000.37 | 19,256.38 | 20.3% |
| NASDAQ | 14,034.97 | 17,592.13 | 25.3% |
| DJIA | 34,721.91 | 41,622.08 | 19.9% |
| S&P 500 | 4,507.66 | 5,633.09 | 24.9% |
| NVIDIA | \$49.36 | \$116.78 | 236.6% |
| BOEING | \$224.03 | \$155.55 | (30.6)% |
| | | | |



Agency Priorities and Initiatives

- Legislative 89th Legislative Session
- Regulatory Activities
- Policy and Rule Development
- Outreach and Communications
- Agency Operations



FY 2025 Budget

- Provide the resources needed to execute the mission of the agency
- Budget revenues up .5% YOY; expenses up 9.9%
- Personnel Costs 89.6% of total expenses, up 9.2%
- Information Technology at 12.5% and Travel at 57.7% are the largest increases in Operating Costs
- Thrift assessments will be at 60% of approved maximum rates and will cover the cost of regulation



Mortgage Grant Fund

- Established by the 87th Texas Legislature by enactment of Texas Finance Code Chapter 156, Subchapter G
- Funded primarily by excess amounts transferred from the Recovery Fund
- Provides funding for two (2) purposes:
 - Support consumer financial education relating to mortgage loans
 - Payment of claims for fraud committed by unlicensed individuals acting as a Residential Mortgage Loan Originator



Mortgage Grant Fund Eligibility

- Non-profit organizations, including government organizations
- For-profit organizations if the program has a statewide impact
- Auxiliary mortgage loan activity companies registered with the Department under Texas Finance Code Chapter 156
- Awarded on a reimbursement basis
- Awards may be from \$5,000 to \$100,000



Mortgage Grant Fund Disbursements

| Amount Awarded for the 2023-2024 Grant Cycle | \$576,176.00 |
|--|---------------------------------|
| Total Reimbursed from 1st and 2nd Reimbursement Requests (Year 1) | \$270,242.56 |
| 3 rd Reimbursement Requests (January 1 st – June 30 th , 2024 Year 2) | |
| Brazos Valley Affordable Housing | \$24,118.33 |
| Credit Coalition | \$25,000 |
| Foundation Communities | \$12,968.27 |
| Galilee Community Development | \$10,217.11 |
| Grassroots Community Development | \$9,662.24 |
| Habitat for Humanity Camp County | \$2,659.67* |
| Houston Habitat for Humanity | \$0 |
| Habitat for Humanity of Jefferson County | \$7,433.32 |
| Habitat Fort Worth Area Habitat for Humanity | \$16,429.31 |
| _ , , , , _ , , , , , , , , , , , , , , | * 4 0 0 4 0 0 0 = |

Estimated Total Requested for Reimbursement: \$108,488.35

Estimated Total Requested to Date: \$378,730.91

Estimated % of Funds Expended to Date: 65.7%

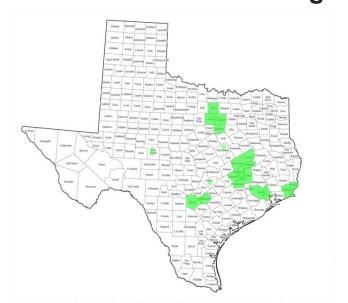
Estimated Funds Remaining: \$197,445.09

*estimated: additional information pending



Grant Cycle Coverage Comparison

2023 – 2024 Grantee Coverage



2025 – 2026 Applicant Coverage



10

Questions?

Hector Retta
Commissioner
512.475.1038
hretta@sml.Texas.gov

