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#### Independent Auditor's Report

Board of Directors Robert Blum Municipals, Inc.:

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. (the Company) as of March 31, 2010, and the related statements of income, changes in stockholder's equity, and cash flows for the year then ended that you are filing pursuant to rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. as of March 31, 2010, and the results of its income and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The information contained in Schedules I, II, and III is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

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Oakland, California May 24, 2010

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## Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. Statement of Financial Condition March 31, 2010

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#### Assets

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 707,124
Receivables from clearing organization	7,301
Deposit with clearing organization	30,002
Municipal bonds owned, at market value	160,339
Deposits	 700
Total assets	\$ 905,466
Liabilities and Stockholder's Equity	
Liabilities	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 47,929
Payable to clearing organization	161,263
Liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors	 250,000
Total liabilities	459,192
Commitments and contingencies	
Stockholder's equity	
Common stock, no par value, 25,000 shares authorized,	
5,000 shares issued and outstanding	150,000
Retained earnings	 296,274
Total stockholder's equity	 446,274
Total liabilities and stockholder's equity	\$ 905,466

## Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. Statement of Income For the Year Ended March 31, 2010

#### Revenues

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Trading revenue	<u>\$</u>	669,434
Total revenues		669,434
Expenses		
Employee compensation and benefits		530,363
Communications and information services		41,403
Occupancy		17,907
Promotional		10,042
Interest		22,688
Regulatory		10,681
Professional services and other		16,205
Total expenses		649,289
Net income (loss) before income tax provision		20,145
Income tax provision		800
Net income (loss)	<u>\$</u>	19,345

## **Robert Blum Municipals, Inc.** Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to the Claims of General Creditors For the Year Ended March 31, 2010

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		Amount
Balance at March 31, 2009	\$	250,000
Increase (decrease)		
Balance at March 31, 2010	<u>\$</u>	250,000

# Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. Statement of Changes in Stockholder's Equity For the Year Ended March 31, 2010

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	Con	nmon Stock	F	Carnings	 Total
Balance at March 31, 2009	\$	150,000	\$	276,929	\$ 426,929
Net income (loss)				19,345	 19,345
Balance at March 31, 2010	\$	150,000	<u>\$</u>	296,274	\$ 446,274

## Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. **Statement of Cash Flows** For the Year Ended March 31, 2010

Cash flow from operating activities:				
Net income (loss)			\$	19,345
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to net				
cash provided by (used in) operating activities:				
(Increase) decrease in assets:				
Receivables from clearing organization	\$	1,690		
Deposit with clearing organization		2		
Municipal bonds owned, at market value		204,977		
Increase (decrease) in liabilities:				
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		43,794		
Payable to clearing organization		(204,633)		
Income taxes payable		(800)		
Total adjustments				45,030
Net cash and cash equivalents provided by (used in) operating		64,375		
Net cash and cash equivalents provided by (used in) investing a	activ	ities		-
Net cash and cash equivalents provided by (used in) financing	activ	vities		
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents				64,375
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year				642,749
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year			<u>\$</u>	707,124
Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information:				
Cash paid during the year for:				
Interest	\$	22,688		
Income taxes	\$	1,600		

#### Note 1: GENERAL AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### General

Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. ("the Company") was incorporated in the State of California on April 17, 1995. The Company is registered as a broker/dealer in securities under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA"), and the Securities Investor Protection Corporation ("SIPC").

The Company is engaged in business as a securities broker-dealer. Substantially all of its business consists of trading municipal securities in a principal capacity.

Under its membership agreement with FINRA and pursuant to Rule 15c3-3(k)(2)(ii), the Company conducts business on a fully disclosed basis and does not execute or clear securities transactions for customers. Accordingly, the Company is exempt from the requirement of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 pertaining to the possession or control of customer assets and reserve requirements.

#### Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The presentation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

For purposes relating to the statement of cash flows, the Company has defined cash equivalents as highly liquid investments, with original maturities of less than three months, that are not held for sale in the ordinary course of business.

Receivables from clearing organization represent commissions earned on security transactions. These receivables are stated at face amount with no allowance for doubtful accounts. An allowance for doubtful accounts is not considered necessary because probable uncollectible accounts are immaterial.

Securities transactions are recorded on a trade date basis with related commission income and expenses also recorded on a trade date basis.

# Note 1: GENERAL AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

The Company has adopted FASB ASC 320, Investments — Debt and Equity Securities. As such, marketable securities held by the Company are classified as trading securities and stated at their fair market value. Realized gains or losses from the sale of marketable securities are computed based on specific identification of historical cost. Unrealized gains or losses on marketable securities are computed based on specific identification of recorded cost, with the change in fair value during the period included in income.

The inventory of municipal securities are valued at fair value as determined by management. Municipal securities for which there is no market on a securities exchange or no independent publicly quoted market price are valued at fair value as determined by management. There was no material difference between cost and market (or fair value) at the balance sheet date.

The Company accounts for its income taxes in accordance with FASB ASC 740, Income Taxes. This standard requires the establishment of a deferred tax asset or liability to recognize the future tax effects of transactions that have not been recognized for tax purposes, including taxable and deductible temporary differences, as well as net operating loss and tax credit carryforwards. Deferred tax expenses or benefits are recognized as a result of the changes in the assets and liabilities during the year.

Current income taxes are provided for estimated taxes payable or refundable based on tax returns. Deferred income taxes are recognized for the estimated future tax effects attributable to temporary differences in the basis of assets and liabilities for financial and tax reporting purposes. Measurement of current and deferred tax assets and liabilities is based on provisions of enacted federal and state tax laws.

#### Note 2: RECEIVABLES FROM CLEARING ORGANIZATION

Pursuant to the clearing agreement, the Company introduces all of its securities transactions to clearing brokers on a fully disclosed basis. Customers' money balances and security positions are carried on the books of the clearing brokers. In accordance with the clearance agreement, the Company has agreed to indemnify the clearing brokers for losses, if any, which the clearing brokers may sustain from carrying securities transactions introduced by the Company. In accordance with industry practice and regulatory requirements, the Company and the clearing brokers monitor collateral on the customers' accounts. As of March 31, 2010, the receivables from clearing organization of \$7,301 are pursuant to these clearance agreements.

#### Note 3: DEPOSIT WITH CLEARING ORGANIZATION

The Company has a clearing agreement with Southwest Securities Inc. ("Clearing Broker") to carry its account and the accounts of its clients as customers of the Clearing Broker. This Clearing Broker has custody of the Company's cash balances which serve as collateral for any amounts due to the Clearing Broker as well as collateral for securities sold short or securities purchased on margin. Interest is paid monthly on these cash deposits at the average overnight repurchase rate. The balance at March 31, 2010 was \$30,002.

#### Note 4: INCOME TAXES

The provision for income tax expense (benefit) is composed of the following:

	Cu	irrent	Defe	rred	r	Fotal
Federal	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
State		800		-		800
Total income tax expense (benefit)	\$	800	\$	-	\$	800

The Company has available at March 31, 2010, unused Federal net operating losses, which may be applied against future taxable income or carried back to offset previous taxable income, resulting in a deferred tax asset of approximately \$914. The net operating loss begins to expire in the year 2029.

A 100% valuation allowance has been established against this benefit since management cannot determine if it is more likely than not that the asset will be realized.

#### Note 5: PAYABLE TO CLEARING ORGANIZATION

As discussed in the Municipal Bonds Owned, At Market Value (Note 3), the Company acquired its municipal bond positions using credit extended from the clearing organization. At March 31, 2010, the credit balance payable to the clearing organization was 161,263. To the extent that this liability is collateralized by the municipal bond positions, it is not included in aggregate indebtedness for the purpose of SEC Rule  $15c_3-1(c)(1)$ .

#### Note 6: RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Interest paid on borrowings under subordinated liabilities totaled \$22,500 for the year ended March 31, 2010, and was paid to the Company's sole shareholder.

# Note 6: RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (Continued)

The Company leases all of its office equipment from the Company's sole shareholder. Lease payments for the equipment totaled \$4,312 for the year ended March 31, 2010.

It is possible that the terms of certain of the related party transactions are not the same as those that would result for transactions among wholly unrelated parties.

#### Note 7: SUBORDINATED LIABILITIES

The borrowings under subordinated agreements at March 31, 2010 are listed below:					
Subordinated note, 9%, due August 31, 2014	\$	100,000			
Subordinated note, 9%, due June 31, 2015	\$	150,000			
	\$	250,000			

The subordinated borrowings are covered by agreements approved by FINRA and are thus available in computing net capital under the Securities and Exchange Commissions's uniform net capital rule.

#### Note 8: PROFIT SHARING PLAN

The Company's profit sharing plan (the "Plan") covers all eligible employees. The plan was effective on August 1, 1995, and provides for a Company contribution of up to 25% of eligible compensation. All contributions to the plan are at the discretion of the Company. The Company contributed \$43,000 to the Plan for the year ended March 31, 2010.

#### Note 9: CONCENTRATIONS OF CREDIT RISK

The Company is engaged in various trading and brokerage activities in which counter-parties primarily include broker-dealers, banks, and other financial institutions. In the event counter-parties do not fulfill their obligations, the Company may be exposed to risk. The risk of default depends on the creditworthiness of the counter-party or issuer of the instrument. It is the Company's policy to review, as necessary, the credit standing of each counter-party.

#### Note 10: COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

#### *Commitments*

On April 22, 2010, the Company entered into a lease agreement for office space under a noncancelable lease which commenced July 1, 2010 and expires June 30, 2015. The lease contains provisions for rent escalation based on increases in certain costs incurred by the lessor.

At March 31, 2010, the minimum annual payments are as follows:

Year Ending March 31,		
2011	\$	11,064
2012		11,064
2013		11,064
2014		11,064
2015		11,064
2016 & thereafter		
	<u>\$</u>	55,320

#### Contingencies

The Company maintains several bank accounts at financial institutions. These accounts are insured either by the Federal Deposit Insurance Commission ("FDIC"), up to \$250,000, or the Securities Investor Protection Corporation ("SIPC"), up to \$500,000. At times during the year ended March 31, 2010, cash balances held in financial institutions were in excess of the FDIC and SIPC's insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and management believes that it has placed its cash on deposit with financial institutions which are financially stable.

#### Note 11: RECENTLY ISSUED ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

The Financial Accounting Standards Board (the "FASB") issued a new professional standard in June of 2009 which resulted in a major restructuring of U.S. accounting and reporting standards. The new professional standard, issued as ASC 105 ("ASC 105"), establishes the Accounting Standards Codification ("Codification or ASC") as the source of authoritative accounting principles ("GAAP") recognized by the FASB. The principles embodied in the Codification are to be applied by nongovernmental entities in the preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States. Rules and interpretive releases of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") issued under authority of federal securities laws are also sources of GAAP for SEC registrants. Existing GAAP was not intended to be changed as a result of the Codification, and accordingly the change did not impact the financial statements of the Company.

# Note 11: RECENTLY ISSUED ACCOUNTING STANDARDS (Continued)

For the year ending December 31, 2009, various accounting pronouncements or interpretations by the Financial Accounting Standards Board were either newly issued or had effective implementation dates that would require their provisions to be reflected in the financial statements for the year then ended. The Company has reviewed the following Statements of Financial Accounting Standards ("SFAS") /Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") topics for the year to determine relevance to the Company's operations:

<u>Statement No.</u>	Title	Effective Date
SFAS 141(R)/ ASC 805	Business Combinations	After December 15, 2008
SFAS 157/ ASC 820	Fair Value Measurements	After November 15, 2008
SFAS 161/ ASC 815	Disclosures about Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities – an Amendment of FASB Statement No. 133	After December 15, 2008
SFAS 165/ ASC 855	Subsequent Events	After June 15, 2009
SFAS 166*/ ASC 860	Accounting for Transfers of Financial Assets – an Interpretation of FASB Statement No. 140	After November 15, 2009
SFAS 167*/ ASC 810	Amendments to FASB Interpretation No. 46(R)	After November 15, 2009
SFAS 168/ ASC 105	The FASB Accounting Standards Codification and the Hierarchy of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles – a replacement of FASB Statement 162	After September 15, 2009

\*Currently being processed for inclusion in the Codification

The Company has either evaluated or is currently evaluating the implications, if any, of each of these pronouncements and the possible impact they may have on the Company's financial statements. In most cases, management has determined that the pronouncement has either limited or no application to the Company and, in all cases, implementation would not have a material impact on the financial statements taken as a whole.

#### Note 12: NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule (SEC rule 15c3-1), which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1. Rule 15c3-1 also provides that equity capital may not be withdrawn or cash dividends paid if the resulting net capital ratio would exceed 10 to 1. Net capital and aggregate indebtedness change day to day, but on March 31, 2010, the Company had net capital of \$685,544 which was \$585,544 in excess of its required net capital of \$100,000; and the Company's ratio of aggregate indebtedness (\$48,853) to net capital was 0.07 to 1, which is less than the 15 to 1 maximum allowed.

## Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. Schedule I - Computation of Net Capital Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-1 As of March 31, 2010

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Computation of net capital		
Common stock	\$ 150,000	
Retained earnings	296,274	
Total stockholder's equity		\$ 446,274
Add: Additions to capital Subordinated liabilities	250,000	
Total allowable subordinated liabilities		250,000
Total equity & allowable subordinated liability		696,274
Less: Non-allowable assets		
Deposits	(700)	
Total non-allowable assets		(700)
Net capital before haircuts		695,574
Less: Haircuts on securities	(10.020)	,
Haircut on municipal securities Total haircuts on securities	(10,030)	(10,030)
Net Capital		685,544
<b>Computation of net capital requirements</b> Minimum net capital requirements		
6 2/3 percent of net aggregate indebtedness	\$ 3,257	
Minimum dollar net capital required	<u>\$ 100,000</u>	
Net capital required (greater of above)		(100,000)
Excess net capital		<u>\$ 585,544</u>
Ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital	0.07:1	

There was a \$1 rounding difference between net capital computation shown here and the net capital computation shown on the Company's unaudited Form X-17A-5 report dated March 31, 2010.

## Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. Schedule II - Computation for Determining of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3 As of March 31, 2010

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A computation of reserve requirements is not applicable to Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. as the Company qualifies for exemption under Rule  $15c_{3-3}(k)(2)(ii)$ .

## Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. Schedule III - Information Relating to Possession or Control Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3 As of March 31, 2010

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Information relating to possession or control requirements is not applicable to Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. as the Company qualifies for exemption under Rule 15c3-3(k)(2)(ii).

Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. Supplementary Accountant's Report on Internal Accounting Control Report Pursuant to 17a-5 For the Year Ended March 31, 2010

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Board of Directors Robert Blum Municipals, Inc.:

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. (the Company), as of and for the year ended March 31, 2010, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered the Company's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.

Also, as required by rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company including consideration of control activities for safeguarding securities. This study included tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in rule 17a-5(g) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness (or aggregate debits) and net capital under rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

- 1. Making the quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications and comparisons, and the recordation of differences required by rule 17a-13
- 2. Complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgements by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above-mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable but not absolute assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph. Because of inherent limitations in internal control and the practices and procedures referred to above, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

A *control deficiency* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A *material weakness* is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first and second paragraphs and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control and control activities for safeguarding securities that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures, as described in the second paragraph of this report, were adequate at March 31, 2010, to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, management, the SEC, Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, and other regulatory agencies that rely on rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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Oakland, California May 24, 2010 Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. Report on the SIPC Annual Assessment Pursuant to rule 17a-5 (e) 4 For the Year Ended March 31, 2010

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**BREARD & ASSOCIATES, INC.** CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Board of Directors Robert Blum Municipals, Inc.

Pursuant to Rule 17a-5 (e) (4) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1954, we have performed the following procedures with respect to the accompanying schedule (Form SIPC-7) of Securities Investor Protection Corporation assessments and payments of Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. ("the Company") for the year ended March 31, 2010. Our procedures were performed solely to assist the Company in complying with Rule 17a-5 (e) (4), and our report is not to be used for any other purpose. The procedures we performed are as follows:

- 1. Compared listed assessment payments with respective cash disbursements records entries;
- 2. Compared amounts reported on the unaudited Form X-17A-5 for the year ended March 31, 2010, with the amounts reported in General Assessment Reconciliation (Form SIPC-7);
- 3. Compared any adjustments reported in Form SIPC-7 with supporting schedules and working papers;
- 4. Proved the arithmetical accuracy of the calculations in the Form SIPC-7 and in the related schedules and working papers supporting adjustments; and
- 5. Compared the amount of any overpayment applied with the Form SIPC-7 on which it was computed.

Because the above procedures do not constitute an examination made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we do not express an opinion on the schedule referred to above.

In connection with the procedures referred to above, nothing came to our attention that caused us to believe that the amounts shown on the Form SIPC-7 were not determined in accordance with applicable instructions and forms. This report relates only to schedules referred to above and does not extend to any financial statements of Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. taken as a whole.

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Breard & Associates, Inc. Certified Public Accountants

Oakland, California May 24, 2010

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## Robert Blum Municipals, Inc. Schedule of Securities Investor Protection Corporation Assessments and Payments For the Year Ended March 31, 2010

	Amount		
Total assessment	\$	1,641	
SIPC-4 general assessment Payment made on October 30, 2009		(644)	
SIPC-7T general assessment Payment made on May 4, 2010		(997)	
Total assessment balance (overpaymment carried forward)	\$	-	

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## DETERMINATION OF "SIPC NET OPERATING REVENUES" AND GENERAL ASSESSMENT

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		Amou begin and e	nts for the fiscal period ting <u>April 1</u> , 20 <u>09</u> nding <u>March 31</u> , 20 <u>10</u> Eliminate cents
	em No. Total revenue (FOCIIS Line 12/Part IIA Line 9, Gode 4030)	\$	669,461
20	Additions: 1) Total revenues from the securities business of subsidiaries (except foreign subsidiaries) and predecessors not included above.		
	-? Not loss from principal transactions in socurities in trading accounts.		
	(3) Net loss from principal transactions in commodities in trading accounts.		
	(4) Interest and dividend expense deducted in determining item 2a.	••••••	
	45) Net loss from management of or participation in the underwriting or distribution of securities.		
	(6) Expenses other than advertising, printing, registration fees and legal fees deducted in determining net profit from management of or participation in underwriting or distribution of securities.		
	(7) Net loss from securities in investment accounts.		
	Total additions		
2h	Deductions: (1) Revonues from the distribution of shares of a registered open end investment company or unit investment trust, from the sale of variable annuities, from the business of insurance, from investment advisory services rendered to registered investment companies or insurance company separate accounts, and from transactions in security futures products.		
	(2) Revenues from commodity transactions.		
	(3) Commissions, floor brokerage and clearance paid to other SIPC members in connection with securities transactions.		
	(4) Reimbursements for postage in connection with proxy solicitation.		1999 M & 199
	(5) Net gain from securities in investment accounts.		
	(6) 100% of commissions and markups earned from transactions in (i) certificates of deposit and (ii) Treasury bills, bankers acceptances or commercial paper that mature nine months or less from issuance date.		
	(7) Direct expenses of printing advertising and legal fees incurred in connection with other revenue related to the securities business (revenue defined by Section 16(9)(L) of the Act).	***********	
	<ul> <li>(8) Other revenue not related either directly or indirectly to the securities business.</li> <li>(See Instruction C):</li> </ul>		
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	<ul> <li>(9) (i) Total interest and dividend expense (FOCUS Line 22/PART IIA Line 13. Code 4075 plus line 2b(4) above) but not in excess</li> <li>12,918</li> <li>of total interest and dividend income.</li> </ul>		
	(ii) 40% of margin interest earned on customers securities accounts (40% of FOCUS line 5, Code 3960).		12,918
	Enter the greater of line (i) or (ii)		- 
	Total deductions		12,918
2d	). SIPC Net Operating Revenues	\$	656,543 1,641
2e	. General Assessment @ .0025	\$ (to p	age I but not less than
	2		minimum)

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