## 2009 Austin Bank Annual Report



## **Rock Solid Legacy**

"Over the past 100 years, Austin Bank continues to stand tall as a strong, stable financial institution—rock solid since 1900. Our legacy has been the result of many years of hard work, adherence to our founding principles of honor and integrity, prudent

decision-making, and our dedication to East Texas. Our actions have always been in the best long-term interests of our customers, our employees and our shareholders. Thank you for your trust and loyalty. We value the confidence you have placed in us, and look forward to serving you for many years to come."



Jeff Austin, Jr., Chairman of the Board

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## **PASSIONATE ABOUT PEOPLE**

#### 2009 HIGHLIGHTS

In 2009, Austin Bank continued to offer products and services focused on building strong customer relationships while delivering the latest technology and convenience.

- ★ Deposit cut-off times were extended. If the bank is open, the deposit is credited that same day.
- We continued to improve Online Banking with our interactive website.
- ★ By installing encryption software, email security was improved.
- ★ The bank focused on small businesses, crucial to our East Texas economy, to fortify relationships and offer assistance, tools and resources.
- \* Austin Bank Rewards
  were introduced as a way of saying
  'Thank you' to loyal customers for
  debit card use.



Jeff Austin, III, Vice Chairman of the Board

"The people of Austin Bank have always been, and will always be, our greatest strength. We appreciate their commitment to the Bank's success and to providing the best possible service to our customers. We are humbled by the time and financial resources they give in partnership with the Bank to support the East Texas communities we serve. I thank all

of them sincerely for their professionalism, and for their continued commitment to our clients and to each other." Jeff Austin, Ill, Vice Chairman of the Board



Austin Bank receives '2010 Best Companies to Work for in Texas' Award

- ★ Named as one of the "Best Companies to Work For in Texas" in 2009 and 2010
- ★ 2009 Service Awards totaled 515 years of dedicated employee tenure, led by Jeff Austin, Jr's 50 years of service

2009 Community Involvement Recipient
Billie Mims, VP / Community Lender,
Kilgore, honored for her work with
the Kilgore Unit of the Boys and Girls
Club of Gregg County. Mims is a
charter member of the club's Kilgore
Unit Advisory Council.



**2009 Community Involvement Recipient** Janis Adams, CSR, Jacksonville, recognized for her work with the Jacksonville Kiwanis Club and its programs that assist the children of Cherokee County.

# Investing in the future

Austin Bank continues to make a difference in the communities we serve at a time when the need is so great.

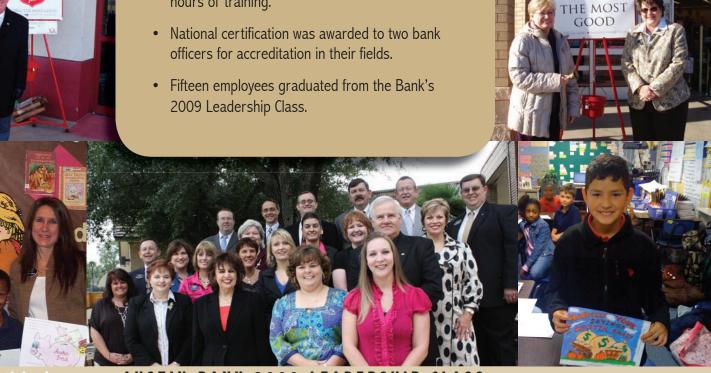
- Scholarship donations of \$35,500 were awarded to 31 East Texas graduating seniors in 2009 with \$133,000 in scholarships donated since 2005.
- Austin Bank Community Involvement Awards in the amount of \$4,000 honored four bank employees for volunteer work and their community service organization.
- More than \$300,000 in contributions, both monetary and in-kind-sponsorships, in direct support of local education, the arts, literacy, health, and housing needs.
- Austin Bank employees completed over 10,000 hours of training.



2009 Community Involvement Recipient
Kelli Jester, Asst. Item Processing
Manager, Longview Greggton,
recognized for her work with the
American Cancer Society Relay for Life.



2009 Community Involvement Recipient
Natalie Lynch, Location President,
Longview Loop, honored for her work
with the Junior League of Longview.
She has been an active member for
four years and currently serves as
Treasurer.



# ROCK SOLID Financial Performance

Austin Bank exhibited another year of strong financial performance despite current market conditions. Well capitalized, the Bank's assets were funded by core deposits. Furthering solidifying the Bank's performance is the depth of experience and stability of staff, low employee turnover and improved technology.

#### Austin Bank, Texas NA Consolidated Balance Sheets

December 31, 2009 and 2008

ASSETS	<u>2009</u>	2006
Cash and balances due from banks	\$ 36,546,000	\$ 32,924,000
Securities available for sale	124,586,000	155,716,000
Federal funds sold	0	15,100,000
Net loans	791,768,000	757,707,000
Other assets	88,269,000	85,361,000
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 1,041,169,000	\$ 1,046,808,000

#### LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY

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Non-interest bearing deposits	\$	226,204,000	\$	238,967,000		
Interest bearing deposits		678,780,000		673,952,000		
Total deposits		904,984,000		912,919,000		
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase		10,898,000		19,974,000		
Other liabilities		<u>18,560,000</u>		17,538,000		
Total liabilities		934,442,000		950,431,000		
Total stockholder's equity		106,727,000		96,377,000		
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	\$	1.041.169.000	\$	1.046.808.000		

#### Dedicated Leadership Austin Bank Executive Team



Jeff Austin, Jr. Chairman of the Board



Glenn Bass
Senior Executive Vice President



**Jeff Austin, III**Vice Chairman of the Board



Larry Bolton Senior Executive Vice President



John P. Williams President/CEO



Keith Chambers
Senior Executive Vice President/CFO



Sissy Austin
Senior Executive Vice President

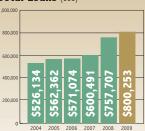


**Billy Mullins**Senior Executive Vice President

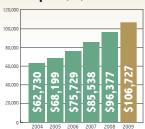
#### **Total Assets (000)**



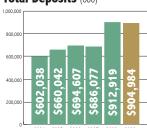
#### Total Loans (000)



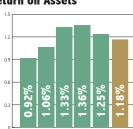
#### Total Capital (000)



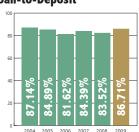
#### Total Deposits (000)



#### **Return on Assets**

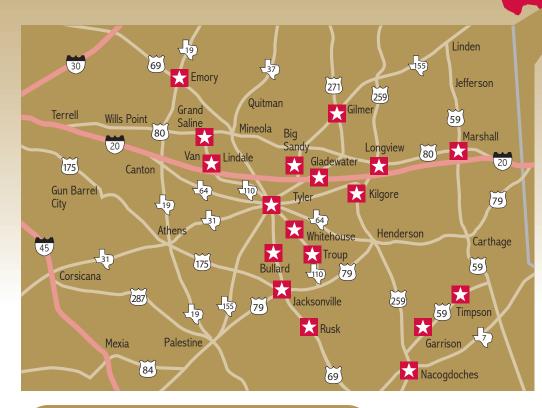


#### Loan-to-Deposit



### **Exceptional Service and Convenience**

The Bank of Choice for East Texas proudly serves 27 convenient locations in 18 cities and 9 counties.



#### Banking & ATM Locations

Big Sandy Bullard **Emory** Garrison Gilmer Gladewater **Grand Saline** Jacksonville (2)\* Kilgore Longview (5)\* Marshall Nacogdoches Rusk Timpson Troup Tyler (5)\* Van Whitehouse \*Multiple banking locations

#### **Austin Bank Directors**

Jeff Austin, Jr. - Chairman Marion Dingler\* Barry Hughes J. N. Grimes\* Jeff Austin, III - Vice Chairman Ron Jurenka\* John P. Williams - President/CEO Ronny E. Lee C. S. (Buddy) Hinton, Jr.\* Sissy Austin - Sr. EVP Michael Austin Neill William M. Holland\* E. Glenn Bass - Sr. EVP\* Robert Nichols Lowell Holloway\* Larry Bolton - Sr. EVP Joe H. Sharp, Jr. Bryant Langford\* Keith Chambers - Sr. EVP - CFO Jason Petersen\* Eddie Smith Billy Mullins - Sr. EVP J. W. Sparkman Herbert Riley\* Gene Brumbelow J. E. Brown\* Brenda Sharp\* Jane Austin Chapman Todd Burton\* Joe Terrell\* Glen Hamilton Charles Creed\* Harry Tilley\* C. L. Hopson II Don Dacus\* Rick Waldrop\* \*Advisory Directors

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#### **Affiliations and Awards:**

Member of:
TexasBankersAssociation

**Member FDIC** www.FDIC.gov



Better Business Bureau of Central East Texas



2006 Torch Award Recipient





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