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#### **OATH OR AFFIRMATION**

I, C. BURTON STONE	, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
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(b) Statement of Financial Condition.	
(c) Statement of Income (Loss).	
(d) Statement of Changes in Financial Condition.	
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(m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.	to exist or found to have existed since the data of the provious audit

<sup>\*\*</sup>For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

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#### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Members of Ridgeview Capital, LLC Centerville, Utah

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Ridgeview Capital, LLC as of December 31, 2011 and the related statements of income, changes in members' equity, and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are being filed pursuant to Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and include the supplemental schedule of the net capital computation required by Rule 15c3-1. 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 standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). 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 consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, 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 Ridgeview Capital, LLC as of December 31, 2011, and the results of its operations 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 the Supplementary Information on pages 13 to 14 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.

Stayner, Bates + Jensen, P. c.

Stayner, Bates & Jensen, P.C. Salt Lake City, Utah February 10, 2012

Statement of Financial Condition December 31, 2011

## **ASSETS**

Cash and cash equivalents (Note 2)	\$	10,841
Advisory and other fees receivable, including interest (Note 2)		1,758,516
Property and equipment, at cost, net of accumulated depreciation of \$95,366 (Notes 2 and 3)		_
TOTAL ASSETS		1,769,357
LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY		
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	_\$	960
TOTAL LIABILITIES		960_
MEMBERS' EQUITY		
Common interest member contributions		329,619
Preferred interest member contributions (Note 6)		30,000
Retained earnings		1,408,778
TOTAL MEMBERS' EQUITY	_	1,768,397
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY	\$_	1,769,357

## Statement of Income For the Year Ended December 31, 2011

### **REVENUES**

Management and advisory fees Interest income	\$ 310,000 81,849
TOTAL REVENUES	 391,849
OPERATING EXPENSES	
Legal and professional Office, telephone, and supplies (Note 7) Other expenses	 4,435 6,000 2,174
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	 12,609
NET INCOME	\$ 379,240

Statement of Changes in Members' Equity For the Year Ended December 31, 2011

	 	ommon Interest Member ntributions	i	Preferred Interest Member ntributions		Retained Earnings	Total Members' Equity
Balance, December 31, 2010	\$	17,970	\$	330,000	\$	1,029,538	\$ 1,377,508
Common interest member contributions (Note 8)		311,649		-		-	311,649
Preferred interest member distributions (Note 6)		-		(300,000)		-	(300,000)
Net income for the year ended December 31, 2011		<del>_</del>				379,240	379,240
Balance, December 31, 2011		329,619	\$	30,000	_\$_	1,408,778	\$ 1,768,397

# Statement of Cash Flows For the Year Ended December 31, 2011

#### CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

Net income Changes in operating assets and liabilities:	\$ 379,240
Increase in advisory and other fees receivable Increase in accrued expenses	(391,849) 960
Net Cash Used in Operating Activities	 (11,649)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	 <u>-</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	
Contributions by members Distribution to members	311,649 (300,000)
Distribution to members	 (000,000)
Net Cash Provided by Financing Activities	11,649
NET CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	-
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	10,841
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR	\$ 10,841
SUPPLEMENTAL CASH FLOW INFORMATION	
Cash paid for interest	\$ -

Notes to the Financial Statements
December 31, 2011

#### NOTE 1 - NATURE OF ORGANIZATION

The financial statements presented are those of Ridgeview Capital, LLC (the Company). The Company was originally organized as a Limited Liability Company in the State of Utah as Harvest Growth Partners, LLC on June 6, 2003. The Company subsequently changed its name on November 12, 2003.

The Company's corporate finance activities include mergers and acquisitions, corporate restructuring, fairness opinions and other financial advisory services. The Company is a registered broker-dealer licensed by the United States Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority. The Company operates pursuant to SEC Rule 15c3-3(k)(2)(i) and does not hold funds or securities or owe funds or securities for, or owe money or securities to, customers.

#### NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### a. Accounting Method

The financial statements are prepared using the accrual method of accounting. The Company has elected a December 31 year-end.

#### b. Use of Estimates

The preparation 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 revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### c. Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash equivalents include short-term, highly liquid investments with maturities of three months or less at the time of acquisition.

#### d. Advisory and Other Fees Receivable

Advisory fees receivable, including accrued interest, due from three related party entities, totaled \$1,758,516 at December 31, 2011. No allowance for bad debts is deemed necessary as management expects the full amounts to be collected.

#### e. Concentrations of Credit Risk

The Company maintains its cash in federally insured bank accounts. The Company's accounts are all within the FDIC insurance limits. As such, the Company does not anticipate any losses on its cash accounts.

Notes to the Financial Statements
December 31, 2011

#### NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### f. Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are stated at cost. Betterments and improvements are capitalized over their estimated useful lives, whereas repairs and maintenance expenditures on the assets are charged to expense as incurred. When assets are disposed of, the cost and accumulated depreciation (net book value of the assets) is eliminated and any resulting gain or loss is reflected accordingly. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the life of the lease. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets. The estimated useful lives are as follows:

Computers, equipment and software	3-5 years
Furniture and fixtures	5 years

#### g. Revenue Recognition

Transaction fees (deal fees) are recognized as revenue upon completion of the transaction process. Advisory and consulting fees are recognized as the related services are rendered. Nonrefundable retainers are recognized as received. Costs connected with transaction fees are expensed as incurred.

#### h. Advertising

The Company follows the policy of charging the cost of advertising to expense as incurred.

#### i. Income Taxes

The Company is treated as a partnership for income tax purposes and as such, each member is taxed separately on their distributive share of the Company's income whether or not that income is actually distributed. Therefore, no accrual for income taxes has been recorded in the financial statements.

#### NOTE 3 - PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Property and equipment consisted of the following at December 31, 2011:

Computers, equipment and software	\$ 23,162
Furniture and fixtures	<u>72,204</u>
Total	95,366
Less: accumulated depreciation	(95,366)
Property and equipment, net	\$ -

All property and equipment was fully depreciated as of December 31, 2010; therefore, there was no depreciation expense on property and equipment for the year ended December 31, 2011.

Notes to the Financial Statements December 31, 2011

#### NOTE 4 - 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. The Company has elected to use the alternative method, permitted by the rule, which requires that the Company maintain minimum net capital of \$5,000. At December 31, 2011, the Company had net capital of \$9,881 which was \$4,881 in excess of its required net capital of \$5,000.

#### NOTE 5 - RESERVE REQUIREMENTS

The Company is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 (per paragraph K (2) (i)) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as a broker or dealer which carries no customers' accounts and does not otherwise hold fund or securities of customers.

#### NOTE 6 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

#### Expense Sharing Agreement - Office Space

The Company is obligated under an expense sharing agreement with a related company for its office space in Salt Lake City, Utah and other expenses. Monthly payments under the agreement are \$500. The term of the agreement expired December 31, 2011, but it renews automatically for additional one-year terms unless terminated by either party (see also Note 7 below).

#### Operating Leases - Other

The Company is obligated under a lease agreement for office equipment. Monthly lease payments are \$321. The lease term expires in February 2013. The monthly lease payments are currently being paid by a related company. The Company is still liable on this lease agreement, however, through the end of the lease term, if the related company fails to make the monthly payments.

#### **Preferred Member Interests**

During 2003, certain preferred members contributed equity of \$330,000 ("Preferred Interests"). These preferred interests in the Company were to receive profit distributions, if and when profit distributions are made, up to an "Agreed Upon Return" equal to 2.5 times their original contribution amount. If the Company has not distributed this Agreed Upon Return by the eighth (8<sup>th</sup>) anniversary date of the original contribution, the Company had agreed to deliver to each holder of the Preferred Interests an unsecured promissory note representing such holder's portion of the unpaid amount of the Agreed Upon Return in exchange for the redemption and cancellation of such Member's Preferred Interests. During the year ended December 31, 2011, each of these agreements matured as the 8<sup>th</sup> anniversary had elapsed.

Notes to the Financial Statements
December 31, 2011

#### NOTE 6 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (Continued)

#### Preferred Member Interests (Continued)

During August 2011, the Company made a preferred interest member distribution to the member who had originally held a \$300,000 preferred interest, for a total of \$300,000, effectively returning the original capital contributed. Although the original agreement stipulated that this member was to receive an Agreed Upon Return equal to 2.5 times this original contribution amount (or \$750,000), this member agreed to take a distribution of \$300,000 and agreed not to convert any unpaid additional distribution amounts originally agreed upon, into a promissory note. Therefore, for the year ended December 31, 2011, the Company recorded this \$300,000 payment as a preferred interest member distribution with no further distribution obligation or liability at December 31, 2011.

No distributions were made during the year ended December 31, 2011 to the remaining preferred interest member who had originally contributed the remaining \$30,000. This additional preferred interest member has made no claims against the Company for any distributions since the date of the initial investment and the Company does not currently expect to receive any demand or claim from this preferred interest member going forward. However, prior to December 31, 2011, the Company's common interest members have agreed to personally assume (outside of the Company) any distribution amounts in excess of the original \$30,000 contributed in the event that the original preferred interest member elects to demand conversion of this additional amount into a promissory note. Management of the Company believes, however, that the occurrence of this is considered remote. Accordingly, the Company has not recorded any further distribution obligation or liability at December 31, 2011 related to this potential conversion into a promissory note since the obligation will be assumed by individuals outside of the Company. The Company may be secondarily liable for the excess amount if the common members are unable to pay (assuming the election is ever made by the preferred interest member), but this is considered by management to be highly remote as of December 31, 2011.

#### NOTE 7 - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Effective January 1, 2009, the Company entered into an expense sharing agreement with a related company. Under this agreement, the Company is required to pay \$400 per month for office space and \$100 per month for telephone and other expenses. The term of this agreement expired December 31, 2011, but it renews automatically for additional one-year periods unless terminated by either party. Pursuant to this agreement, the Company has recorded office, telephone, and other expense of \$6,000 for the year ended December 31, 2011.

#### NOTE 8 - MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS

During the year ended December 31, 2011, the common interest members contributed cash of \$300,000 into the Company. In addition, a related company paid expenses on behalf of the Company, totaling \$11,649, which amount has been recorded as additional common interest member contributions for the year ended December 31, 2011.

Notes to the Financial Statements
December 31, 2011

#### NOTE 9 - SIPC SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT REQUIREMENT

The Company is not required to complete the SIPC Supplementary Report under SEC Rule 17a-5(e)(4) for the year ended December 31, 2011 because the Company's SIPC Net Operating Revenues are under \$500,000.

#### **NOTE 10 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

The Company has evaluated subsequent events through February 10, 2012, the date which the financial statements were available to be issued, and noted no material subsequent events that would require disclosure in these financial statements as of December 31, 2011.

Computation of Net Capital Requirements Pursuant To Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities and Exchange Commission December 31, 2011

## COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL

Total ownership equity from statement of financial condition	\$	1,768,397
Non-allowable assets (see page 14)		(1,758,516)
NET CAPITAL	_\$_	9,881
COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS		
Minimum net aggregate indebtedness - 6-2/3% of net aggregate indebtedness	_\$	64
Minimum dollar net capital required	_\$	5,000
Net Capital required (greater of above amounts)	_\$	5,000
EXCESS CAPITAL	_\$	4,881
Excess net capital at 1000% (net capital less 10% of aggregate indebtedness)	\$	9,785
COMPUTATION OF AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS		
Total liabilities net of deferred income taxes payable and deferred income	_\$_	960
Percentage of aggregate indebtedness to net capital		10%
The following is a reconciliation of the above net capital computation with the Company's corresponding unaudited computation pursuant to Rule 179-5(d)(4):		
NET CAPITAL PER COMPANY'S COMPUTATION	\$	10,841
Audit Adjustments		(960)
NET CAPITAL PER AUDIT REPORT	\$_	9,881

Non-Allowable Assets December 31, 2011

## NON-ALLOWABLE ASSETS

Accounts receivable from related entities	\$ 1,758,516
Property, equipment and leasehold improvements, at cost,	
net of accumulated depreciation of \$95,336	
	\$ 1,758,516

## <u>PART II</u>

RIDGEVIEW CAPITAL, LLC
STATEMENT OF INTERNAL CONTROL
DECEMBER 31, 2011



## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON INTERNAL ACCOUNTING CONTROL REQUIRED BY SEC RULE 17a-5

To the Members of Ridgeview Capital, LLC Centerville, Utah

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Ridgeview Capital, LLC (hereafter referred to as the "Company") for the year ended December 31, 2011, we have considered its internal control structure, including procedures for safeguarding securities, in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, and not to provide assurance on the internal control structure.

Also, as required by Rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission, we have made a study of the practice and procedures (including tests of compliance with such practices and procedures) followed by the Company that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in Rule 17a-5(g) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness (aggregate debts) and net capital under Rule 17a-5(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of Rule 15c-3. We did not review the practice and procedures followed by the Company: (1) in making the quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications, and comparisons, and recordation of differences required by Rule 17a-13; (2) in complying with the Governors of Federal Reserve System; or (3) in obtaining and managing physical possession or control of all fully paid and excess margin securities of customers, because the Company does not carry security accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities.

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining an internal control structure and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of internal control structure policies and procedures and of the practice and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the Commission's above mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of an internal control structure and the practices and procedures are to provide responsibility and safeguard against loss from unauthorized use or disposition, and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Rule 171-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practice and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

Because of inherent limitations in any internal control structure or the practices and procedures referred to above, errors or irregularities 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 degree of compliance with them may deteriorate.

Our consideration of the internal control structure would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control structure that might be a material weakness under the standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of the specific internal control structure elements does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that errors or irregularities in amounts that would be material in relationship to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. However, we noted no matters involving the accounting system and control procedures that we considered to be material weaknesses as defined above. In addition, the Company was in compliance with the exemptive provisions of Rule 15c3-3 as of December 31, 2011 and no facts came to our attention indicating that such conditions had not been complied with during the year then ended.

We understand that the practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the Commission 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 were adequate on December 31, 2011 to meet the Commission's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the use of management, the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, and other regulatory agencies which rely on Regulation 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and should not be used for any other purposes.

Stayner, Bates & Jensen, P.C.

Stayner, Bates & Jewsen, P.C.

Salt Lake City, Utah February 10, 2012