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Independent Bankers Assn. of Texas Honors Stovall, Grandey & Allen for 30 Years of Membership

AUSTIN, Texas—The Independent Bankers Association of Texas (IBAT) is proud to recognize Stovall, Grandey & Allen, LLP for 30 years of associate membership in the organization. The IBAT Board of Directors honored this important milestone with a resolution presented at its September meeting, which immediately preceded the association's 43rd Annual Convention in Austin, September 30-October 3, 2017.

IBAT associate members are companies and firms that serve the financial services industry, helping to ensure that Texas community banks are best equipped to meet their customers' needs. These members are dedicated to helping perpetuate community banking throughout Texas by providing safe, effective and technologically advanced products and services. Stovall, Grandey & Allen is an accounting firm located in downtown Fort Worth that specializes in services for community banks, including financial statement audits, income tax services, internal audits and compliance reviews.

"While community banks are the financial foundation of Texas communities, IBAT associate members like Stovall, Grandey & Allen play an essential role by providing a solution that helps Texas community banks be able to help their customers," said Chris Williston, IBAT president and chief executive officer. "We are extremely grateful for its long-standing support of IBAT and community banking."

For more information about IBAT associate members and the services they provide, visit www.ibat.org/ibatproductlibrary.

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About the Independent Bankers Association of Texas

Formed in 1974, the Independent Bankers Association of Texas (IBAT) represents Texas community banks. The Austin-based group is the largest state community banking organization in the nation, with membership comprised of more than 2,000 banks and branches in 700 Texas communities. Providing safe and responsible financial services to

all Texans, IBAT member bank assets range in size from \$10 million to more than \$20 billion with combined assets statewide of nearly \$165 billion. IBAT member banks are committed to supporting and investing in their local communities.

About Stovall, Grandey & Allen, LLP

Located in downtown Fort Worth, Stovall, Grandey & Allen, LLP (SGA) offers a variety of accounting, auditing, consulting and tax services to businesses and individuals throughout the United States. SGA was formed in 1972 by David G. Stovall and Wendell K. Grandey, with Carol Allen becoming a partner in 1995 and Brenda Young in 2005. Stovall, Grandey & Allen, LLP is registered with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (PCAOB) and is subject to inspection every three years by the PCAOB. SGA is an associate member of the Independent Bankers of Texas (IBAT) and the Community Bankers of Washington (CBW). All partners and professional staff are members of the AICPA and Texas State Society of CPAs.