

March 17, 2009

Robert Feldman Executive Secretary FDIC 1776 F Street, NW Washington, DC 20006

Dear Robert:

I believe the 20-basis-point special assessment (or 10-basis points if Congress authorizes an increase of the FDIC's line of credit with Treasury from \$30 billion to \$100 billion) designed to recapitalize the Deposit Insurance Fund (DIF) is a terrible idea for the country and our profits. Considering the economy and job market where it is now, I believe this would be a major risk for the United States.

Sincerely,

GRUBB & ELLIS THOMAS LINDERMAN GRAHAM

J. Rex Thomas, CPM, SIOR

Chairman, CEO