# RED MOUNTAIN RANCH OF GUNNISON COUNTY ASSOCIATION, INC. POLICY AND PROCEDURE INVESTMENT OF RESERVE FUNDS

Effective December 16, 2015

The following Policy and Procedure has been adopted by the Executive Board ("Board") of Red Mountain Ranch of Gunnison County Association, Inc. ("Association") pursuant to Colorado statutes, for investment of the Association's Reserve Funds.

### **PURPOSE**

The purpose of this policy is to institute proper guidelines for the ongoing management of the Association's investment of its reserve funds.

#### **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVES**

This policy is designed to protect and preserve reserve funds for maintenance, repair and replacement of those items for which the Association is responsible and that must be periodically maintained, repaired or replaced. Reserve funds are to be invested in a manner that assures maximum safety and appropriate liquidity and, secondarily, maximizes yield within such constraints. The investment objectives are, in order of priority, as follows:

- 1. Preservation and safety of principal;
- 2. Liquidity to meet expected and unexpected expenditures; and
- 3. Maximization of yield.

#### INVESTMENT RESPONSIBILITIES

The Board has sole authority to approve and amend, alter or otherwise make changes to this Policy. Any modifications to this policy shall be in writing and approved by the Board.

The Board shall have direct control with regard to opening appropriate bank accounts and establishing safekeeping accounts or other arrangements for the custody of securities and execute such documents as may be necessary. The Board may employ the service of a qualified investment advisor to direct a portion or all of the investment activities of the Association consistent with guidelines set forth in this investment policy.

The Board will monitor ongoing investment activities to ensure property safety and liquidity are being provided and that the investment strategy is consistent with the Association's objectives. The Board of Directors shall review investment performance no less than quarterly.

### **INVESTMENT GUIDELINES**

### A. Eligible Investments

The portfolio will be limited to the following investments:

- 1. Certificates of deposit (CDs);
- 2. Money market deposit accounts;
- 3. Money market funds; and
- 4. U.S. treasuries and U.S. treasury zero coupons.

# B. Credit Quality Restrictions

All investments shall be AAA-rated or U.S. Treasury securities

# C. Maturity Limits

- 1. No individual investment may exceed 2 years in maturity; and
- 2. The weighted average maturity of the portfolio will not exceed 1 year. The Association must structure its investment portfolio in order to meet anticipated cash requirements.

# D. Strategy

Investments shall be structured so they mature in successive years for liquidity.

# E. Custodian

Investments will be held in custodial accounts with approved banks or financial institutions federally insured either through FDIC or the US Government, with no more than \$100,000.00 held in any one bank.

### **PROCEDURES**

- 1. Transfers of budgeted additions to reserves shall be made at least quarterly;
- 2. A quarterly report of earnings shall be prepared by management, financial advisor or the treasurer and presented at a Board meeting;
- 3. Two Board member signatures must be required to withdraw funds from investment accounts. An exception may be made for transfers between accounts of the Association so long as both accounts require two Board member signatures for withdrawals of funds; and
- 4. In addition to any requirements provided by the Association's governing documents, the Association shall obtain coverage by fidelity insurance to protect the Association from loss due to theft for any person with access to its investments.

# **CERTIFICATION:**

The undersigned, being the President of Red Mountain Ranch of Gunnison County Association, Inc., a Colorado nonprofit corporation, certifies that the foregoing policy and procedure was adopted by the Executive Board of the Association, at a duly convened meeting, open to the members to

attend, on December 16, 2015.

RED MOUNTAIN RANCH OF GUNNISON COUNTY ASSOCIATION, INC., a Colorado non-profit corporation

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