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## VEDC Board of Directors

### *Officers*

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#### **Nancy Garner, *Chairman***

In addition to being a licensed real estate broker since 1987 and a licensed salesperson since 1983, Nancy is also an accountant. She purchased the [Woolson Real Estate Company](#) in 1995 after managing the firm since 1982, and serves them as President and Broker.

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#### **Don Whitaker, *Vice Chairman***

Chief Financial Officer of [Keating Auto Group](#), Don is a graduate of Texas A&M University with a degree in finance. Prior to joining the KAG, he served as a consultant that assisted Houston in their bid for a National Football League team franchise known as the Texans.

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#### **Bobby Jacob, *Secretary***

Retired, former Senior Vice President of [Frost Insurance](#) specializing in commercial and business insurance for the last 25 years. Previously in bank commercial lending for 20 years. Degreed in Finance from Texas A&M. Prior Board Chairman of VEDC in 2000 and 2001.

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#### **Jon New, *Treasurer***

As President and Owner of [New Distributing Company, Inc.](#), Jon leads the successful three-generation family business of fuel and lubricant distribution that was established in 1959.

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#### **Thomas A. Schmidt, *Immediate Past Chairman***

President and Senior Engineer of [Urban Engineering](#). Tom is a graduate of Texas A&M University with Master of Engineering degree in Transportation Engineering and Pavement Design and a Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering.

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### **DIRECTORS**

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President

[Victoria Sales Tax Development Corporation](#)

**W. Clayton Cain**

Attorney

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