City of Houston, Texas Total Outstanding Debt March 31, 2012 and March 31, 2011 (amounts expressed in thousands)

	March 31, 2012		March 31, 2011
Payable from Ad Valorem Taxes			
Public Improvement Bonds (a) \$	2,408,290	\$	2,468,160
Commercial Paper Notes (b)	326,900		182,900
Pension Obligations	607,775		607,625
Certificates of Obligations	56,935		75,990
Subtotal	3,399,900		3,334,675
Payable from Sources Other Than Ad Valorem Taxes		• •	
Combined Utility System			
Combined Utility System Revenue Bonds	5,429,155		4,825,300
Combined Utility System Commercial Paper Notes (c)	70,400		330,500
Water and Sewer System Revenue Bonds (d)	341,622		577,275
Contract Revenue Obligations - CWA	125,740		138,415
Airport System		-	
Airport System Sr. Lien Bonds (e)	449,660		449,660
Airport System Subordinate Lien	1,925,530		1,998,585
Airport System Sr. Lien Commercial Paper Notes (f)	0		0
Airport System Inferior Lien Contracts (g)	32,895		37,430
Airport Special Facilities Revenue Bonds (h)	680,740		571,135
Hotel Occupancy Tax and Civic Parking			
Facilities Revenue Bonds (1)	588,490		578,403
Hotel Occupancy Tax Commercial Paper (1)	43,000		43,000
Subtotal	9,687,232		9,549,703
Total Debt Payable by the City \$_	13,087,132	\$	12,884,378

- (a) In November 2001 the voters authorized \$776 million in tax bonds. In November 2006 voters authorized an additional \$625 million in tax bonds.
- (b) The City has authorized maximum issuance of General Obligation Commercial Paper Programs Series E-1: \$100 million, E-2: \$150 million, G-1: \$100 million, G-2: \$100 million, H-1: \$100 million, H-2: \$100 million, J: \$125 million, K1: \$100 million and K2: \$100 million.
- (c) The City has authorized issuance of \$700 million of Combined Utility System Commercial Paper Notes.
- (d) Includes \$173.5 million accreted value of capital appreciation bonds at this date and \$127.1 million last year.
- (e) The Houston Airport System issued Senior Lien Revenue bonds on August 20, 2009.
- (f) City Council has authorized \$150 million of Airport Senior Lien Commercial Paper Notes Series A and B.
- (g) Under a sublease agreement, the Houston Airport System has agreed to make sublease payments that include the debt service payments on the Series 1997A Special Facilities Bonds that financed the Automated People Mover ("APM") at George Bush Airport. These sublease payments constitute Inferior Lien Obligations under the Airport bond ordinances.
- (h) All Special Facility Revenue Bonds are secured solely from Special Facility Lease Revenues. Does not include \$32.9 million for Series 1997A Special Facilities Bonds. See footnote (g).
- (i) Includes \$217.8 million accreted value of capital appreciation bonds at this date and \$79.8 million last year.
- (j) The City has authorized \$50 million of Subordinate Lien Hotel Occupancy Tax and Parking Revenue Commercial Paper.