# Winsome Metropolitan District Nos. 1-4

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# February 28, 2024

El Paso County Clerk & Recorder Attention: Clerk to the Board P.O. Box 2007

Colorado Springs, Colorado 80901-2007

Via Email specialdistrictnotices@elpasoco.com

State of Colorado Office of the State Auditor Local Government Audit Division 1525 Sherman St., 7th Floor Denver, CO 80203 Via E-Portal El Paso County Assessor 1675 W. Garden of the Gods Road Colorado Springs, CO 80907

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Division of Local Government 1313 Sherman Street, Room 521 Denver, CO 80203 Via E-Portal

El Paso County Board of County Commissioners 200 South Cascade Avenue, Suite 100 Colorado Springs, CO 80903

**Re:** Winsome Metropolitan District Nos. 1-4

Filing of 2023 Annual Reports

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed for your information and records is a copy of the 2023 Annual Report and 2022 El Paso County Special Districts Annual Report & Disclosure Form for Winsome Metropolitan District Nos. 1-4. These reports are being submitted as required by Section 32-1-207(3)(c), C.R.S. and the Service Plan approved by the El Paso County Board of County Commissioners on July 23, 2019. These Annual Reports are being submitted to satisfy the February 28, 2024 deadline.

Should you have any questions regarding the enclosed, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Karen Steggs
Karen Steggs

Administrative Manager

# EL PASO COUNTY SPECIAL DISTRICTS ANNUAL REPORT and DISCLOSURE FORM

1.	Name of District(s)	Winsome Metropolitan District Nos. 1, 2, 3, & 4 (the "Districts") (combined under a consolidated Service Plan)
2.	Report for Calendar Year	2023
3.	Contact Information	c/o Icenogle Seaver Pogue, P.C. 4725 South Monaco Street, Suite 360 Denver, Colorado 80237 Attn: Jennifer Ivey (303) 867-3003 JIvey@ISP-Law.com
		c/o Public Alliance 405 Urban Street, Suite 310 Lakewood, CO 80228 Attn: Ann Finn (303) 877-6284 Ann@publicalliancellc.com
4.	Meeting Information	An Annual Meeting will be held on November 7, 2024 at 1:30 p.m. and a Regular Meeting will be held on November 7, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. via online meeting at <a href="https://zoom.us/j/7848826891">https://zoom.us/j/7848826891</a> , Meeting ID: 784 882 6891; and via telephone conference at 1 (719) 359-4580, Meeting ID: 784 882 6891, Participant Code: press #.
		Meeting dates, times, and locations are subject to change.  The URL Domain <a href="https://winsomemetrodistrict.org/">https://winsomemetrodistrict.org/</a> is designated as the Districts' official website and posting place for notices of meetings pursuant to Sections 24-6-402(2)(c) and 32-1-104.5, C.R.S. If the Districts are unable to post notice on the official website of the Districts, the following locations are designated as the posting places for each District:
		<u>District No. 1</u> : The southwest portion of the parcel described in a land survey plat recorded at Reception No. 21890072, which is a portion of Section 24, Township 11 South, Range 65 West, and located northwest of the intersection of Hodgen Road and Meridian Road.
		<u>District No. 2</u> : The southwest portion of the parcel described in a land survey plat recorded at Reception No. 21890072, which is a portion of Section 24, Township 11 South, Range 65 West, and located west of the intersection of Hodgen Road and Meridian Road.
		<u>District No. 3</u> : The southwest portion of the parcel described in a land survey plat recorded at Reception No. 21890072, which is part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 23 and a portion of Section 24, Township 11 South, Range 65 West, and a portion of the west half of Section 19, Township 11 South, Range 64 West, and located west of the intersection of Hodgen Road and Meridian Road.

		District No. 4: The southeast portion of the parcel described in a land survey plat recorded at Reception No. 21890072, which is part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 19, Township 11 South, Range 64 West, and located west of the intersection of Hodgen Road and Meridian Road.
		Emergency meetings may be called without notice, if notice is not practicable, by the president of the Board or any two (2) Board members in the event of an emergency that requires the immediate action of the Board in order to protect the public health, safety and welfare of the property owners and residents of the Districts. If possible, notice of such emergency meeting may be given to the members of the Board by telephone or whatever other means are reasonable to meet the circumstances of the emergency, and shall be provided to the public via any practicable means available, if any.
5.	Type of District(s)/Unique Representational Issues (if any)	The Districts consist of 4 separate but interrelated Title 32 Metropolitan Districts. District No. 1 is the Control District and is expected to be responsible for managing the construction, acquisition, installation, and operation of the public improvements. District Nos. 2, 3, and 4 are Financing Districts expected to be responsible for providing the funding and tax base needed to support the plan for financing the public improvements and for operation, maintenance, and administrative costs. District Nos. 2 and 3 include residential development. District Nos. 1 and 4 are expected to include residential and/or commercial development.
6.	Authorized Purposes of the District(s)	The Service Plan for Winsome Metropolitan District Nos. 1 – 4 authorizes the Districts to provide the following facilities and services: water; storm drainage; street improvements, transportation, and safety protection; parks and recreation; mosquito control; television relay and translation; covenant enforcement and design review; and security services. The Districts may provide fire protection facilities or services only if provided pursuant to an Intergovernmental Agreement with the Falcon Fire Protection District.
7.	Active Purposes of the District(s)	The primary active purpose of the Districts is to finance the construction of a part or all of various public improvements necessary and appropriate for the development of the Winsome project. Additional major purposes include covenant enforcement and design review, ongoing service and maintenance of stormwater facilities, open space, trails, noxious weeds, and mosquito control.
8.	Current Certified Mill Levies a. Debt Service b. Operational	District No. 1:  a. 0.000 Mills b. 10.467 Mills

	c. Other (Special Purpose)	c. 5.233 Mills
	d. Total	d. 15.700 Mills
		District No. 2:
		a. 60.158 Mills (Contractual Obligations)
		b. 10.883 Mills
		c. 5.441 Mills d. 76.482 Mills
		d. 76.482 Mills
		District No. 3:
		a. 59.504 Mills
		b. 10.487 Mills
		c. 5.243Mills
		d. 75.234 Mills
		District No. 4:
		District No. 4: a. 0.000 Mills
		b. 10.394 Mills
		c. 5.197 Mills
		d. 15.591 Mills
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9.	Sample Calculation of	Assumptions:
	Current Mill Levy for a	\$200,000,00 is the total actual and a factorial size 1. Society
	Residential and Commercial	\$200,000.00 is the total actual value of a typical single family
	Property (as applicable)	home as determined by El Paso County.
		\$500,000.00 is the total actual value of the sample
		commercially-assessed property.
		commercially assessed property.
		Aggregate total mill levy for the Winsome Metropolitan District
		No. 1 is currently at 15.700 mills but could be increased by the
		Board of Directors in the future.
		Sample Winsome Matropoliton District No. 1 Mill Low
		Sample <u>Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1</u> Mill Levy Calculation for a Residential Property:
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		\$200,000 x .067 = \$13,400 (Assessed Value)
		$$13,400 \times .0157 \text{ mills} = $210.38 \text{ per year} \text{ in sample}$
		taxes owed solely to this District if the District imposes
		its projected total mill levy.
		Sample Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1 Mill Levy
		Calculation for a Commercial Property:
		\$500,000 x .2900 = \$145,000 (Assessed Value)
		\$145,000  x  .0157  mills = \$2,276.50  per year  in sample
		taxes owed solely to this District is the District imposes
		its projected debt service and operations mill levy.

Aggregate total mill levy for the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2 is currently at 76.482 mills but could be increased by the Board of Directors in the future.

Sample <u>Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2</u> Mill Levy Calculation for a <u>Residential Property</u>:

200,000 x .067 = 13,400 (Assessed Value)

 $$13,400 \times .076482 \text{ mills} = $1,024.85 \text{ per year}$  in sample taxes owed solely to this District if the District imposes its projected total mill levy.

Sample <u>Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2</u> Mill Levy Calculation for a <u>Commercial Property</u> has not been included as the District is comprised of residential development only.

Aggregate total mill levy for the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 is currently at 75.234 mills but could be increased by the Board of Directors in the future.

Sample <u>Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3</u> Mill Levy Calculation for a <u>Residential Property</u>:

200,000 x .06765 = 13,400 (Assessed Value)

\$13,400 x .075234 mills = **\$1,008.14 per year** in sample taxes owed solely to this District if the District imposes its projected total mill levy.

Sample <u>Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3</u> Mill Levy Calculation for a <u>Commercial Property</u> has not been included as the District is comprised of residential development only.

Aggregate total mill levy for the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4 is currently at 15.591 mills but could be increased by the Board of Directors in the future.

Sample <u>Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4</u> Mill Levy Calculation for a <u>Residential Property</u>:

200,000 x .067 = 13,400 (Assessed Value)

		\$13,400 x .01559 mills = <b>\$214.28 per year</b> in sample taxes owed solely to this District if the District imposes its projected total mill levy.  Sample Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4 Mill Levy Calculation for a Commercial Property:  \$500,000 x .2900 = \$145,000 (Assessed Value)  \$145,000 x .01559 mills = <b>\$2,260.55 per year</b> in sample taxes owed solely to this District is the District imposes its projected debt service and operations mill levy.
10.	Maximum Authorized Mill Levy Caps (Note: these are maximum allowable mill levies which could be certified in the future unless there was a change in state statutes or Board of County Commissioners approvals) a. Debt Service b. Operational c. Other d. Total	<ul> <li>a. 55.277 Mills, subject to adjustment as set forth in the Service Plan</li> <li>b. 10.000 Mills, subject to adjustment as set forth in the Service Plan</li> <li>c. 5.000 Mills for covenant enforcement and design review and/or maintenance of common facilities since no homeowners association will be created, subject to adjustment as set forth in the Service Plan</li> <li>d. 70.277 Mills, subject to adjustment as set forth in the Service Plan</li> </ul>
11.	Sample Calculation of Mill Levy Cap for a Residential and Commercial Property (as applicable)	\$200,000.00 is the total actual value of a typical single-family home as determined by El Paso County.  \$500,000 is the total actual value of the sample commercially-assessed property  Sample Winsome Metropolitan District Maximum Mill Levy Calculation for a Residential Property:  \$200,000 x .067 = \$13,400 (Assessed Value)  \$13,400 x .070277 mills = \$941.71 per year in sample taxes owed solely to these Special Districts if the Districts impose their projected debt service, operations, and other mill levy.  Sample Winsome Metropolitan District Maximum Mill Levy Calculation for a Commercial Property:  \$500,000 x .2900 = \$145,000 (Assessed Value)  \$145,000 x .070277 mills = \$10,190.16 per year in sample taxes owed solely to these Special Districts if the Districts impose their projected debt service, operations, and other mill levy.

12.	Current Outstanding Debt of the Districts (as of the end of the year of this report)	On July 14, 2021, Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 ("District No. 3") issued its General Obligation Limited Tax Cash Flow Bonds, Series 2021A <sub>(3)</sub> in the amount of \$9,069,000 (the "Bonds"). Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2 ("District No. 2") entered into a Capital Pledge Agreement dated as of July 14, 2021, with District No. 3 and UMB Bank, n.a., through which District No. 2 has pledged certain revenues generated by an imposition of a limited mill levy to the repayment of a portion of the Bonds. The Bonds are currently outstanding in the principal amount of \$9,069,000.
13.	Total voter authorized debt of the Districts (including current debt)	At the organizational election of the Districts, voters authorized the following principal amounts of debt, which may be issued by District Nos. 1, 2, 3, or 4:  Water - \$20,000,000 Sanitation - \$20,000,000 Streets - \$20,000,000 Safety Protection - \$20,000,000 Parks and Recreation - \$20,000,000 Transportation - \$20,000,000 Television Relay and Translation - \$20,000,000 Mosquito Control - \$20,000,000 Fire Protection and Emergency Medical - \$20,000,000 Operations and Maintenance - \$20,000,000 Refunding Debt - \$20,000,000 Intergovernmental Agreement Debt - \$20,000,000 Reimbursement Agreements - \$20,000,000 Construction Management Agreement - \$20,000,000 However, the Service Plan provides that the maximum principal amount of debt that the Districts combined may have outstanding at any time is \$20,000,000.
14.	Debt proposed to be issued, reissued or otherwise obligated in the coming year	It is not currently anticipated that any debt will be issued, reissued or otherwise obligated in 2024.
15.	Major facilities/infrastructure improvements initiated or completed in the prior year	In 2023, the developer, on behalf of the District, completed all public improvements associated with Winsome Filing No. 1 and Filing No. 2 consisting of grading, erosion control, dry utilities, paved streets, stormwater drainage, park/recreation facilities and landscaping.
16.	Summary of major property exclusion or inclusion activities in the past year	District No. 1 included Lot 1, Winsome Filing No. 2, El Paso County, State of Colorado into its boundaries.  For District Nos. 2, 3 & 4 there were no inclusions or exclusions in 2023.

# Reminder:

- A. As per Colorado Revised Statutes, Section 32-1-306, the special district shall maintain a current, accurate map of its boundaries and shall provide for such map to be on file with the County Assessor.
- B. Colorado Revised Statutes, Section 32-1-306, states a certificate of election results shall be filed with the County Clerk and Recorder.

Karen Steggs, Administrative Manager

Name and Title of Respondent

February 28, 2024

Signature of Respondent

Karen Steggs

Date

RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO: specialdistrictnotices@elpasoco.com

Or mail to: El Paso County Clerk and Recorder

Attention: Clerk to the Board

P.O. Box 2007

Colorado Springs, Colorado 80901-2007

\*\*NOTE: As per CRS Section 32-1-104(2), a copy of this report should also be submitted

to: County Assessor - 1675 W Garden of the Gods Rd, Colorado Springs, CO 80907

County Treasurer - 1675 W Garden of the Gods Rd, Colorado Springs, CO 80907

#### WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NOS. 1 – 4

#### ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 32-1-207(3)(c), C.R.S.

Pursuant to Section 32-1-207(3)(c), C.R.S., the Winsome Metropolitan District Nos. 1-4 (collectively, the "Districts" and individually a "District") are required to submit an annual report for the preceding calendar year commencing in 2024 for the 2023 calendar year to El Paso County, the Division of Local Government, the state auditor, and the El Paso County Clerk and Recorder. The Districts hereby submit this annual report pursuant to Section 32-1-207(3)(c), C.R.S. to satisfy the reporting requirement for the year 2023.

For the year ending December 31, 2023, the Districts make the following report:

#### (A) Boundary changes made.

District No. 1 included Lot 1, Winsome Filing No. 2, El Paso County, State of Colorado

District Nos. 2, 3 & 4 there were no inclusions or exclusions in 2023.

# (B) Intergovernmental agreements entered into or terminated with other governmental entities.

On February 13, 2023, the Districts adopted a Joint Resolution to Approve an Amendment to the Service Plan for Winsome Metropolitan District Nos. 1-4. Additionally, on November 2, 2023, the Districts entered into a First Amendment to Advance and Reimbursement Agreement (Operations and Maintenance Expenses).

## (C) Access information to obtain a copy of rules and regulations adopted by the board.

For information concerning rules and regulations adopted by the Districts please contact the Districts' manager:

Ann Finn Public Alliance, LLC 405 Urban Street, Suite 310 Lakewood, CO 80226 Phone: (720) 213-6621

Email: ann@publicalliancellc.com

# (D) A summary of litigation involving public improvements owned by the special district.

In 2023, the Districts were not involved in any litigation involving public improvements owned by the Districts.

#### (E) The status of the construction of public improvements by the special district.

In 2023, the developer, on behalf of the District, completed all public improvements associated with Winsome Filing No. 1 and Filing No 2 consisting of grading, erosion control, dry utilities, paved streets, stormwater drainage, park/recreation facilities and landscaping.

# (F) A list of facilities or improvements constructed by the special district that were conveyed or dedicated to the county or municipality.

In 2023, El Paso County provided Preliminary Acceptance of all public improvements associated with Winsome Filing No 1. Preliminary Acceptance signifies the beginning of a 2-year warranty period. Filing No 2 improvements are anticipated to be conveyed to El Paso County in 2024.

## (G) The final assessed valuation of the special district as of December 31 of the reporting year.

District No. 1: \$27,960 District No. 2: \$4,958,350 District No. 3: \$448,720 District No. 4: \$27,540

#### (H) A copy of the current year's budget.

A copy of each Districts 2024 Budget is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

# (I) A copy of the audited financial statements, if required by the "Colorado Local Government Audit Law", part 6 of article 1 of title 29, or the application for exemption from audit, as applicable.

As of the date of filing this annual report, the audit for Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 is not yet completed. Winsome Metropolitan District Nos. 1, 2 and 4 intend to submit an application for exemption from audit. A copy of the 2023 audited financial statements and applications for exemption from audit will be provided with the Districts' 2024 annual report.

# (J) Notice of any uncured defaults existing for more than ninety days under any debt instrument of the special district.

As of December 31, 2023, the Districts did not receive any notices of uncured defaults existing for more than ninety (90) days under any debt instrument.

# (K) Any inability of the special district to pay its obligations as they come due under any obligation which continues beyond a ninety-day period.

As of December 31, 2023, the Districts did not have any inability to pay their obligations as they come due under any obligation which continued beyond a ninety (90) day period.

# EXHIBIT A 2024 ADOPTED BUDGETS

STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF EL PASO WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1 2024 BUDGET RESOLUTION

The Board of Directors of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1, El Paso County, Colorado held a special meeting on Thursday, November 2, 2023 at the hour of 2:00 P.M. via video conference at https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470; and via telephone conference at Dial-In: 1-720-707-2699, Meeting ID: 763-670-3470, Participant Code: press #.

The following members of the Board of Directors were present:

President:

**Andrew Biggs** 

Treasurer: Secretary: Tamrin Apaydin Joseph DesJardin

Assistant Secretary: Charlie Williams

Also present were: Jennifer L. Ivey and Alicia J. Corley, Icenogle Seaver Pogue, P.C.; AJ Beckman and Ann Finn, Public Alliance, LLC; Diane Wheeler and Daisy Garcia, Simmons & Wheeler P.C.; Thomas Badera and Michael Lordino, Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2.

Mr. Beckman reported that proper notice was made to allow the Board of Directors of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1 to conduct a public hearing on the 2024 budget and, prior to the meeting, each of the directors had been notified of the date, time and place of this meeting and the purpose for which it was called. It was further reported that this meeting is a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the District and that a notice of special meeting was posted on a public website of the District, https://winsomemetrodistrict.org, no less than twenty-four hours prior to the holding of the meeting, and to the best of his knowledge, remains posted to the date of this meeting.

Thereupon, Director Apaydin introduced and moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

#### RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION SUMMARIZING EXPENDITURES AND REVENUES FOR EACH FUND AND ADOPTING A BUDGET, APPROPRIATING SUMS OF MONEY TO EACH FUND IN THE AMOUNTS AND FOR THE PURPOSES SET FORTH HEREIN AND LEVYING GENERAL PROPERTY TAXES FOR THE YEAR 2024 TO HELP DEFRAY THE COSTS OF GOVERNMENT FOR WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1, EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO, FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR BEGINNING ON THE FIRST DAY OF JANUARY 2024 AND ENDING ON THE LAST DAY OF DECEMBER 2024.

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1 (the "District") has authorized its treasurer and accountant to prepare and submit a proposed budget to said governing body at the proper time; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget was submitted to the Board for its review and consideration on or before October 15, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget is more than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00), due and proper notice was published on Monday, October 16, 2023 in *The Gazette*, indicating (i) the date and time of the hearing at which the adoption of the proposed budget will be considered; (ii) that the proposed budget is available for inspection by the public at a designated place; (iii) that any interested elector of the District may file any objections to the proposed budget at any time prior to the final adoption of the budget by the District; and (iv) if applicable, the amount of the District's increased property tax revenues resulting from a request to the Division of Local Government pursuant to Section 29-1-302(1), C.R.S.; and an original publisher's Affidavit of Publication is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by this reference; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget was open for inspection by the public at the designated place; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on Thursday, November 2, 2023 and interested electors were given the opportunity to file or register any objections to said proposed budget and any such objections were considered by the Board; and

WHEREAS, the budget being adopted by the Board has been prepared based on the best information available to the Board regarding the effects of Section 29-1-301, C.R.S., and Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution; and

WHEREAS, whatever increases may have been made in the expenditures, like increases were added to the revenues so that the budget remains in balance, as required by law; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 29-1-113(1), C.R.S., the Board shall cause a certified copy of the budget, including the budget message and any resolutions adopting the budget, appropriating moneys and fixing the rate of any mill levy, to be filed with the Division of Local

Government within thirty (30) days following the beginning of the fiscal year of the budget adopted; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 32-1-1201, C.R.S., the Board shall determine in each year the amount of money necessary to be raised by taxation, taking into consideration those items required by law, and shall certify the rate so fixed to the board of county commissioners of each county within the District or having a portion of its territory within the District.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1, EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO:

- Section 1. <u>Summary of 2024 Revenues and 2024 Expenditures</u>. That the estimated revenues and expenditures for each fund for fiscal year 2024, as more specifically set forth in the budget attached hereto as Exhibit B and incorporated herein by this reference, are accepted and approved.
- Section 2. Adoption of Budget. That the budget as submitted, and if amended, then as amended, and attached hereto as Exhibit B and is approved and adopted as the budget of the District for fiscal year 2024. In the event the final assessed valuation provided by the El Paso County Assessor's Office differs from the assessed valuation used in the proposed budget, the District's accountant is hereby directed to modify and/or adjust the budget and mill levy certification as needed to reflect the final assessed valuation without the need for additional Board authorization.
- Senate Bill 23-303 and Proposition HH. That the passage of Proposition Section 3. HH at the November 7, 2023 general election would result in the implementation of various provisions of Senate Bill 23-303 which will impact the District's budget, including, but not limited to, the addition of Section 29-1-306, C.R.S., which limits the increase in the District's property tax revenue to no more than a prescribed inflation amount subject to exclusion of revenue from certain sources. That, as part of the preparation of the proposed budget and [as included in Exhibit B], the District's accountant calculated the "property tax limit" as defined in and in the manner set forth in Section 29-1-306, C.R.S. and has determined that the District's property tax revenue for property tax year 2023 will not increase by more than "inflation" (as defined in in Section 29-1-306(1)(a), C.R.S.) from the District's property tax revenue for the property tax year 2022 and therefore the property tax limit will not be exceeded by imposition of the mill levies included in the budget of the District for fiscal year 2024. In performing the property tax limit calculation, the District has directed that for purposes of Section 29-1-306(2)(b), C.R.S. the most recently published estimate of inflation for the 2022 calendar year available at the time of preparation of the 2024 budget be utilized by the District's accountant. Finally, that the due to the timing of the November 7, 2023 general election and the requirement that the District be provided a proposed budget for its review and consideration on or before October 15, 2023, the District's accountant has made a good faith effort and used the best information available at the time of preparation of the budget to provide the District with alternative scenarios showing a proposed budget and mill levies for fiscal year 2024 in the event that Proposition HH passes and alternatively in the event that Proposition HH does not pass. Due to the uncertainty of the outcome of the passage of Proposition HH and the significant possibility that the final assessed valuations differ from the

preliminary assessed valuations, once the outcome of Proposition HH is known and the final assessed valuations are provided by the El Paso County Assessor's Office, the District's accountant is hereby directed to modify and/or adjust the budget and mill levy certification as needed to reflect the final assessed valuation without the need for additional Board authorization.

- Section 4. <u>Appropriations</u>. That the amounts set forth as expenditures and balances remaining, as specifically allocated in the budget attached, are hereby appropriated from the revenue of each fund, to each fund, for the purposes stated and no other.
- Section 5. <u>Budget Certification</u>. That the budget shall be certified by Joseph DesJardin, Secretary of the District, and made a part of the public records of the District and a certified copy of the approved and adopted budget shall be filed with the Division of Local Government.
- Section 6. <u>2024 Levy of General Property Taxes</u>. That the attached budget indicates that the amount of money from general property taxes necessary to balance the budget for the General Fund for operating expenses is \$439 and that the 2023 valuation for assessment, as certified by the El Paso County Assessor, is \$27,960. That for the purposes of meeting all general operating expenses of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 15.700 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District for the year 2024.
- Section 7. <u>2024 Levy of Debt Retirement Expenses</u>. That the attached budget indicates that the amount of money from general property taxes necessary to balance the budget for the Debt Service Fund for debt retirement expense is \$0 and that the 2023 valuation for assessment, as certified by the El Paso County Assessor, is \$27,960. That for the purposes of meeting all debt retirement expenses of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 0.000 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District for the year 2024.
- Section 8. <u>2024 Mill Levy Adjustment</u>. The Board may adjust the mill levy, as specifically set forth in the District's Service Plan (the "Adjusted Mill Levy"). The Board hereby determines in good faith to establish the Adjusted Mill Levy as set forth in the mill levy certification attached hereto as Exhibit C pursuant to the authority granted by its Service Plan to ensure that the District's revenues shall be neither diminished nor enhanced as a result of the changes effecting the mill levy. Subject to adjustment and finalization by the District's accountant in accordance with Sections 2 and 3 hereof, the Board further authorizes that the Adjusted Mill Levy be reflected in the District's Certification of Tax Levies to be submitted to the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County on or before December 15, 2023, for collection in 2024.
- Section 9. <u>Certification to County Commissioners</u>. That the Board Secretary and/or District's accountant are hereby authorized and directed to immediately certify to the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County, the mill levy for the District hereinabove determined and set. That said certification shall be in substantially the following form attached hereto as Exhibit C and incorporated herein by this reference.

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The foregoing Resolution was seconded by Director Williams.

# RESOLUTION APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS $2^{ND}$ DAY OF NOVEMBER 2023.

# WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1

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By: Andrew Biggs

Its: President

ATTEST:

Joe Des Jardin

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By: Joeseph DesJardin

Its: Secretary

STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF EL PASO WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1

I, Joseph DesJardin, hereby certify that I am a director and the duly elected and qualified Secretary of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1, and that the foregoing constitutes a true and correct copy of the record of proceedings of the Board of Directors of the District, adopted at a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1 held on November 2, 2023, via video conference at <a href="https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470">https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470</a>; and via telephone conference at Dial-In: 1-720-707-2699, Meeting ID: 763-670-3470, Participant Code: press #, as recorded in the official record of the proceedings of the District, insofar as said proceedings relate to the budget hearing for fiscal year 2024; that said proceedings were duly had and taken; that the meeting was duly held; and that the persons were present at the meeting as therein shown.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the official seal of the District this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November 2023.

Joe Des Jardin
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Joseph DesJardin, Secretary



# **EXHIBIT A**

Affidavit
Notice as to Proposed 2024 Budget

#### 180671

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STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF El Paso

I, Lorre Cosgrove, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that she is the Legal Sales Representative of The Colorado Springs Gazette, LLC., a corporation, the publishers of a daily/weekly public newspapers, which is printed and published daily/weekly in whole in the County of El Paso, and the State of Colorado, and which is called Colorado Springs Gazette; that a notice of which the annexed is an exact copy, cut from said newspaper, was published in the regular and entire editions of said newspaper 1 time(s) to wit 10/16/2023

That said newspaper has been published continuously and uninterruptedly in said County of El Paso for a period of at least six consecutive months next prior to the first issue thereof containing this notice; that said newspaper has a general circulation and that it has been admitted to the United States mails as second-class matter under the provisions of the Act of March 3, 1879 and any amendment thereof, and is a newspaper duly qualified for the printing of legal notices and advertisement within the meaning of the laws of the State of Colorado.

Lorre Cosgrove Sales Center Agent

Subscribed and sworn to me this 10/18/2023, at said City of Colorado Springs, El Paso County, Colorado

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My commission expires June 23, 2026.

Karen Hogan Notary Public

> KAREN HOGAN NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF COLORADO NOTARY ID 20224024441 MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 06/23/2026

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BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS: WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO

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# **EXHIBIT B**

Budget Document Budget Message

# WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1 2024 BUDGET MESSAGE

Attached please find a copy of the adopted 2024 budget for the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1.

The Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1. has adopted one fund, a General Fund to provide for general operating expenditures.

The district's accountants have utilized the modified accrual basis of accounting, and the budget has been adopted after proper postings, publications and public hearing.

The primary source of revenue for the district in 2024 will be developer advances and transfers from Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2, 3 and 4. The district intends to impose a 15.700 mill levy on all property within the district for 2024.

# Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1 Adopted Budget General Fund For the Year ended December 31, 2024

	Actual <u>2022</u>	Adopted Budget <u>2023</u>	Actual 6/30/2023	Estimate 2023	Adopted Budget <u>2024</u>
Beginning fund balance	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$</u>	\$ 3,452	\$ 3,452	\$ 1,500
Revenues:					
Property taxes	284	28	28	28	439
Specific ownership taxes	30	2	1	3	35
Transfer from District 2	9,159	27,640	26,446	31,224	83,781
Transfer from District 3	2,304	2,304	2,498	2,334	7,665
Transfer from District 4	-	-	-	-	406
Fees	-	8,000	2,475	8,000	8,000
Miscellaneous	9,675	-	-	-	16
Developer advances	<u>79,506</u>	67,462	33,052	85,599	45,764
Total revenues	100,958	105,436	64,500	127,188	146,106
Total funds available	100,958	105,436	67,952	130,640	147,606
Expenditures:					
Accounting / audit	11,817	15,000	4,263	12,000	15,000
Election		5,000	266	300	i <del>-</del>
Utilities	1,364	3,500	575	2,000	2,000
Engineering	8,473	: <b>-</b> :		3*:	3.7
Insurance/ SDA Dues	8,884	7,500	13,340	13,340	15,000
Legal	30,607	25,000	24,211	48,000	30,000
Management	39,245	37,000	24,379	48,000	45,000
Landscape maintence		0.00	94	7.00	14,300
Weed control	2	12	毫	: 0	4,500
Detention Ponds	-	-	2	126	10,000
Snow removal		19	800	5,000	~
Miscellaneous		2,500	118	500	2,500
Treasurer's Fees	4	1.00			7
Contingency		5,000	:=	•	5,000
Emergency Reserve		3,015			4,299
Total expenditures	100,394	103,515	67,952	129,140	147,606
Ending fund balance	\$ 564	\$ 1,921	<u> </u>	\$ 1,500	<u> </u>
Assessed valuation		\$ 1,850			\$ 27,960
Mill Levy		5.035			5.233
Mill Levy		10.070			10.467
Mill Levy		15.105			15.700
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# **EXHIBIT C**

Certification of Tax Levy

# **CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVIES for NON-SCHOOL Governments**

TO: County (	Commissioners <sup>1</sup> of El Paso County				, Colorado.
On behalf of	the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1				•
	(	axing entity) <sup>A</sup>			
	the Board of Directors				
		governing body) <sup>B</sup>			
of	the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1	ocal government) <sup>C</sup>			
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(not later than Dec_1:		ouages Hear ye		уууу)	
PURPOS	${f E}$ (see end notes for definitions and examples)	LEVY <sup>2</sup>		RE	VENUE <sup>2</sup>
1. General O	perating Expenses <sup>H</sup>	10.467	mills	\$	293
	Temporary General Property Tax emporary Mill Levy Rate Reduction <sup>1</sup>	<	>_mills	<u>\$ &lt;</u>	>
SUBTO	OTAL FOR GENERAL OPERATING:	10.467	mills	\$	293
3. General O	bligation Bonds and Interest <sup>1</sup>		mills	\$	
4. Contractua	al Obligations <sup>k</sup>		mills	\$	
5. Capital Ex	kpenditures <sup>L</sup>		mills	\$	
6. Refunds/A			mills	\$	
	pecify): Covenant enforcement/review	5.233	mills	\$	146
			mills	\$	
11					
	TOTAL: [Sum of General Operating Subtotal and Lines 3 to 7]	15.700	mills	\$	439
Contact person (print)	n: Diane K Wheeler	Daytime phone: (30	3) 689-083	3	
Signed: District Accountant Title: District Accountant			ntant		

Include one copy of this tax entity's completed form when filing the local government's budget by January 31st, per 29-1-113 C.R.S., with the Division of Local Government (DLG), Room 521, 1313 Sherman Street, Denver, CO 80203. Questions? Call DLG at (303) 866-2156.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> If the taxing entity's boundaries include more than one county, you must certify the levies to each county. Use a separate form for each county and certify the same levies uniformly to each county per Article X, Section 3 of the Colorado Constitution.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Levies must be rounded to <u>three</u> decimal places and revenue must be calculated from the total <u>NET assessed valuation</u> (Line 4 of Form DLG57 on the County Assessor's <u>final</u> certification of valuation).

# **CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVIES, continued**

THIS SECTION APPLIES TO TITLE 32, ARTICLE 1 SPECIAL DISTRICTS THAT LEVY TAXES FOR PAYMENT OF GENERAL OBLIGATION DEBT (32-1-1603 C.R.S.). Taxing entities that are Special Districts or Subdistricts of Special Districts must certify separate mill levies and revenues to the Board of County Commissioners, one each for the funding requirements of each debt (32-1-1603, C.R.S.) Use additional pages as necessary. The Special District's or Subdistrict's total levies for general obligation bonds and total levies for contractual obligations should be recorded on Page 1, Lines 3 and 4 respectively.

# CERTIFY A SEPARATE MILL LEVY FOR EACH BOND OR CONTRACT:

BON	IDS <sup>j</sup> :	
1.	Purpose of Issue: Series: Date of Issue: Coupon Rate: Maturity Date: Levy: Revenue:	
2.	Purpose of Issue: Series: Date of Issue: Coupon Rate: Maturity Date: Levy: Revenue:	
CON	NTRACTS <sup>k</sup> :	
3.	Purpose of Contract: Title: Date: Principal Amount: Maturity Date: Levy: Revenue:	
4.	Purpose of Contract: Title: Date: Principal Amount: Maturity Date: Levy: Revenue:	

Use multiple copies of this page as necessary to separately report all bond and contractual obligations per 32-1-1603, C.R.S.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1 of El Paso County, Colorado on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November 2023.

Joseph Des Jardin, Secretary



STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF EL PASO WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 2 2024 BUDGET RESOLUTION

The Board of Directors of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2, El Paso County, Colorado held a special meeting on Thursday, November 2, 2023 at the hour of 2:00 P.M. via video conference at <a href="https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470">https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470</a>; and via telephone conference at Dial-In: 1-720-707-2699, Meeting ID: 763-670-3470, Participant Code: press #.

The following members of the Board of Directors were present:

President: Michael Lordino
Treasurer: Thomas Badera
Secretary: Joseph DesJardin
Assistant Secretary: Charlie Williams

Also present were: Jennifer L. Ivey, and Alicia Corley, Icenogle Seaver Pogue, P.C.; AJ Beckman, and Justin Janca, Public Alliance, LLC; Diane Wheeler, Simmons & Wheeler P.C.; and Tamryn Apaydin and Andrew Biggs; Winsome Metropolitan District Nos. 1, 3, and 4.

Mr. Beckman reported that proper notice was made to allow the Board of Directors of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2 to conduct a public hearing on the 2024 budget and, prior to the meeting, each of the directors had been notified of the date, time and place of this meeting and the purpose for which it was called. It was further reported that this meeting is a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the District and that a notice of special meeting was posted on a public website of the District, <a href="https://winsomemetrodistrict.org">https://winsomemetrodistrict.org</a>, no less than twenty-four hours prior to the holding of the meeting, and to the best of his knowledge, remains posted to the date of this meeting.

Thereupon, Director Lordino introduced and moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

#### RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION SUMMARIZING EXPENDITURES AND REVENUES FOR EACH FUND AND ADOPTING A BUDGET, APPROPRIATING SUMS OF MONEY TO EACH FUND IN THE AMOUNTS AND FOR THE PURPOSES SET FORTH HEREIN AND LEVYING GENERAL PROPERTY TAXES FOR THE YEAR 2024 TO HELP DEFRAY THE COSTS OF GOVERNMENT FOR WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 2, EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO, FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR BEGINNING ON THE FIRST DAY OF JANUARY 2024 AND ENDING ON THE LAST DAY OF DECEMBER 2024.

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2 (the "District") has authorized its treasurer and accountant to prepare and submit a proposed budget to said governing body at the proper time; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget was submitted to the Board for its review and consideration on or before October 15, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget is more than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00), due and proper notice was published on Monday, October 16, 2023 in *The Gazette*, indicating (i) the date and time of the hearing at which the adoption of the proposed budget will be considered; (ii) that the proposed budget is available for inspection by the public at a designated place; (iii) that any interested elector of the District may file any objections to the proposed budget at any time prior to the final adoption of the budget by the District; and (iv) if applicable, the amount of the District's increased property tax revenues resulting from a request to the Division of Local Government pursuant to Section 29-1-302(1), C.R.S.; and an original publisher's Affidavit of Publication is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by this reference; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget was open for inspection by the public at the designated place; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on Thursday, November 2, 2023 and interested electors were given the opportunity to file or register any objections to said proposed budget and any such objections were considered by the Board; and

WHEREAS, the budget being adopted by the Board has been prepared based on the best information available to the Board regarding the effects of Section 29-1-301, C.R.S., and Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution; and

WHEREAS, whatever increases may have been made in the expenditures, like increases were added to the revenues so that the budget remains in balance, as required by law; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 29-1-113(1), C.R.S., the Board shall cause a certified copy of the budget, including the budget message and any resolutions adopting the budget, appropriating moneys and fixing the rate of any mill levy, to be filed with the Division of Local Government within thirty (30) days following the beginning of the fiscal year of the budget adopted; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 32-1-1201, C.R.S., the Board shall determine in each year the amount of money necessary to be raised by taxation, taking into consideration those items required by law, and shall certify the rate so fixed to the board of county commissioners of each county within the District or having a portion of its territory within the District.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 2, EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO:

- Section 1. <u>Summary of 2024 Revenues and 2024 Expenditures</u>. That the estimated revenues and expenditures for each fund for fiscal year 2024, as more specifically set forth in the budget attached hereto as Exhibit B and incorporated herein by this reference, are accepted and approved.
- Section 2. Adoption of Budget. That the budget as submitted, and if amended, then as amended, and attached hereto as Exhibit B and is approved and adopted as the budget of the District for fiscal year 2024. In the event the final assessed valuation provided by the El Paso County Assessor's Office differs from the assessed valuation used in the proposed budget, the District's accountant is hereby directed to modify and/or adjust the budget and mill levy certification as needed to reflect the final assessed valuation without the need for additional Board authorization.
- Senate Bill 23-303 and Proposition HH. That the passage of Proposition Section 3. HH at the November 7, 2023 general election would result in the implementation of various provisions of Senate Bill 23-303 which will impact the District's budget, including, but not limited to, the addition of Section 29-1-306, C.R.S., which limits the increase in the District's property tax revenue to no more than a prescribed inflation amount subject to exclusion of revenue from certain sources. That, as part of the preparation of the proposed budget and [as included in Exhibit B], the District's accountant calculated the "property tax limit" as defined in and in the manner set forth in Section 29-1-306, C.R.S. and has determined that the District's property tax revenue for property tax year 2023 will not increase by more than "inflation" (as defined in in Section 29-1-306(1)(a), C.R.S.) from the District's property tax revenue for the property tax year 2022 and therefore the property tax limit will not be exceeded by imposition of the mill levies included in the budget of the District for fiscal year 2024. In performing the property tax limit calculation, the District has directed that for purposes of Section 29-1-306(2)(b), C.R.S. the most recently published estimate of inflation for the 2022 calendar year available at the time of preparation of the 2024 budget be utilized by the District's accountant. Finally, that the due to the timing of the November 7, 2023 general election and the requirement that the District be provided a proposed budget for its review and consideration on or before October 15, 2023, the District's accountant has made a good faith effort and used the best information available at the time of preparation of the budget to provide the District with alternative scenarios showing a proposed budget and mill

levies for fiscal year 2024 in the event that Proposition HH passes and alternatively in the event that Proposition HH does not pass. Due to the uncertainty of the outcome of the passage of Proposition HH and the significant possibility that the final assessed valuations differ from the preliminary assessed valuations, once the outcome of Proposition HH is known and the final assessed valuations are provided by the El Paso County Assessor's Office, the District's accountant is hereby directed to modify and/or adjust the budget and mill levy certification as needed to reflect the final assessed valuation without the need for additional Board authorization.

- Section 4. <u>Appropriations</u>. That the amounts set forth as expenditures and balances remaining, as specifically allocated in the budget attached, are hereby appropriated from the revenue of each fund, to each fund, for the purposes stated and no other.
- Section 5. <u>Budget Certification</u>. That the budget shall be certified by Joseph DesJardin, Secretary of the District, and made a part of the public records of the District and a certified copy of the approved and adopted budget shall be filed with the Division of Local Government.
- Section 6. <u>2024 Levy of General Property Taxes</u>. That the attached budget indicates that the amount of money from general property taxes necessary to balance the budget for the General Fund for operating expenses is \$80,940, and that the 2023 valuation for assessment, as certified by the El Paso County Assessor, is \$4,958,350. That for the purposes of meeting all general operating expenses of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 16.324 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District for the year 2024.
- Section 7. <u>2024 Levy of Debt Retirement Expenses</u>. That the attached budget indicates that the amount of money from general property taxes necessary to balance the budget for the Debt Service Fund for debt retirement expense is \$298,285 and that the 2023 valuation for assessment, as certified by the El Paso County Assessor, is \$4,958,350. That for the purposes of meeting all debt retirement expenses of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 60.158 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District for the year 2024.
- Section 8. <u>2024 Mill Levy Adjustment</u>. The Board may adjust the mill levy, as specifically set forth in the District's Service Plan (the "Adjusted Mill Levy"). The Board hereby determines in good faith to establish the Adjusted Mill Levy as set forth in the mill levy certification attached hereto as Exhibit C pursuant to the authority granted by its Service Plan to ensure that the District's revenues shall be neither diminished nor enhanced as a result of the changes effecting the mill levy. Subject to adjustment and finalization by the District's accountant in accordance with Sections 2 and 3 hereof, the Board further authorizes that the Adjusted Mill Levy be reflected in the District's Certification of Tax Levies to be submitted to the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County on or before December 15, 2023, for collection in 2024.
- Section 9. <u>Certification to County Commissioners</u>. That the Board Secretary and/or District's accountant are hereby authorized and directed to immediately certify to the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County, the mill levy for the District hereinabove determined

and set. That said certification shall be in substantially the following form attached hereto as Exhibit C and incorporated herein by this reference.

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The foregoing Resolution was seconded by Director Badera.

# RESOLUTION APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS $2^{\text{ND}}$ DAY OF NOVEMBER 2023.

# WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 2

Michael Lordino

By:

Michael Lordino

Its:

President

ATTEST:

— DocuSigned by: Joe Des Jardin

By: Joseph DesJardin

Its: Secretary

STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF EL PASO WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 2

I, Joseph DesJardin, hereby certify that I am a director and the duly elected and qualified Secretary of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2, and that the foregoing constitutes a true and correct copy of the record of proceedings of the Board of Directors of the District, adopted at a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2 held on November 2, 2023, via video conference at <a href="https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470">https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470</a>; and via telephone conference at Dial-In: 1-720-707-2699, Meeting ID: 763-670-3470, Participant Code: press #, as recorded in the official record of the proceedings of the District, insofar as said proceedings relate to the budget hearing for fiscal year 2024; that said proceedings were duly had and taken; that the meeting was duly held; and that the persons were present at the meeting as therein shown.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the official seal of the District this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November 2023.

Joe Des Jardin

Joseph DesJardin, Secretary



# EXHIBIT A

Affidavit Notice as to Proposed 2024 Budget

#### 180672

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That said newspaper has been published continuously and uninterruptedly in said County of El Paso for a period of at least six consecutive months next prior to the first issue thereof containing this notice; that said newspaper has a general circulation and that it has been admitted to the United States mails as second-class matter under the provisions of the Act of March 3, 1879 and any amendment thereof, and is a newspaper duly qualified for the printing of legal notices and advertisement within the meaning of the laws of the State of Colorado.

Lorre Cosgrove Sales Center Agent

Subscribed and sworn to me this 10/16/2023, at said City of Colorado Springs, El Paso County, Colorado.

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Karen degan

My commission expires June 23, 2026.

Karen Hogan Notary Public

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# **EXHIBIT B**

Budget Document Budget Message

#### WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 2 2024 BUDGET MESSAGE

Attached please find a copy of the adopted 2024 budget for the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2.

The Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2. has adopted two funds, a General Fund to provide for transfers to Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1 for operating and maintenance expenditures; and a Debt Service Fund to account for transfers to Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 for the repayment of principal and interest on the outstanding general obligation bonds.

The district's accountants have utilized the modified accrual basis of accounting, and the budget has been adopted after proper postings, publications and public hearing.

The primary sources of revenue for the district in 2024 will be property taxes. The district intends to impose a 76.482 mill levy on property within the district for 2024, of which 16.624 mills will be dedicated to the General Fund and the balance of 60.158 mills will be allocated to the Debt Service Fund.

# Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2 Adopted Budget General Fund For the Year ended December 31, 2024

	Actual <u>2022</u>	Adopted Budget <u>2023</u>	Actual <u>6/30/2023</u>	Estimate 2023	Adopted Budget 2024
Beginning fund balance	\$ -	\$	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Revenues:					
Property taxes	8,376	27,673	25,399	27,650	80,940
Specific ownership taxes	871	2,768	1,398	4,000	7,029
Interest	38		30	50	·
Developer advances		Y.E.	#	747	-
Total revenues	9,285	30,441	26,827	31,700	87,969
Total funds available	9,285	30,441	26,827	31,700	87,969
Expenditures:					
Transfer to District 1	9,159	27,640	26,446	31,224	83,781
Insurance/ SDA Dues	=	2,254	2	84	5 <b>=</b> 5
Miscellaneous	2	20	*	000	0)=0
Treasurer's Fees	126	457	381	476	4,118
Emergency Reserve		70			70
Total expenditures	9,285	30,441	26,827	31,700	87,969
Ending fund balance	\$	\$	<u>\$</u>	\$	\$ -
Assessed valuation		\$ 1,813,820	•		\$ 4,958,350
Mill Levy		5.086	- 15		5.441
Mill Levy		10.171			10.883
Mill Levy		15.257			16.324
wiiii Levy		10.207			10.324

# Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2 Adopted Budget Debt Service Fund For the Year ended December 31, 2024

	Actual 2022	Adopted Budget 2023	Actual 6/30/2023	Estimate 2023	Adopted Budget 2024
Beginning fund balance	\$ -	\$	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Revenues:					
Property taxes	30,870	101,978	93,596	101,970	298,284
Specific ownership taxes	3,210	8,158	5,150	10,000	23,863
Interest income	119	<u> </u>	115	150	
Total revenues	34,199	110,136	98,861	112,120	322,147
Total funds available	34,199	110,136	98,861	112,120	322,147
Expenditures:					
Treasurer's fees	465	1,501	1,405	1,530	4,445
Transfer to District #3	33,734	108,635	97,456	110,590	317,702
Trustee / paying agent fees			=	· = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = =	# ·
Total expenditures	34,199	110,136	98,861	112,120	322,147
Ending fund balance	\$	\$	\$	<u>\$</u>	\$
Assessed valuation		\$ 1,813,820	i		\$ 4,958,350
Mill Levy		56.223	•		60.158
Total Mill Levy		71.480	:		76.482

# **EXHIBIT C**

Certification of Tax Levy

# **CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVIES for NON-SCHOOL Governments**

10: County	Commissioners' of El Paso County			, Colorado.
On behalf of	f the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2	2		,
		(taxing entity) <sup>A</sup>		
	the Board of Directors	(governing body) <sup>B</sup>		
0.	f the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2			
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Submitted:	01/05/2024	for budget/fiscal year	2024	
not later than Dec	15) (mm/dd/yyyy)		(уууу	")
PURPOS	SE (see end notes for definitions and examples)	LEVY <sup>2</sup>		REVENUE <sup>2</sup>
1. General	Operating Expenses <sup>H</sup>	10.883	mills <u>\$</u>	53,962
	Temporary General Property Tax emporary Mill Levy Rate Reduction <sup>1</sup>	< >	mills <u>\$</u>	< >
SUBT	OTAL FOR GENERAL OPERATING:	10.883	mills \$	53,962
3. General	Obligation Bonds and Interest <sup>J</sup>		mills \$	
4. Contract	ual Obligations <sup>k</sup>	60.158	mills \$	298,285
5. Capital E	Expenditures <sup>L</sup>		mills \$	
•	'Abatements <sup>M</sup>		mills \$	
	specify): Covenant enf. Design review	-	mills \$	26,978
7. Other (s	Specify). Covenant cm. Design review		mills \$	20,770
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	<b>TOTAL:</b> Sum of General Operating Subtotal and Lines 3 to 7	76.482	mills S	379,225
Contact person	on:	Daytime		
(print)	Diane K Wheeler	phone: (303) (	689-0833	
Signed:	Dione K Wheeler	Title: District	t Accounta	

Include one copy of this tax entity's completed form when filing the local government's budget by January 31st, per 29-1-113 C.R.S., with the Division of Local Government (DLG), Room 521, 1313 Sherman Street, Denver, CO 80203. Questions? Call DLG at (303) 866-2156.

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BON	DS <sup>J</sup> :	
1.	Purpose of Issue: Series: Date of Issue: Coupon Rate: Maturity Date: Levy: Revenue:	
2.	Purpose of Issue: Series: Date of Issue: Coupon Rate: Maturity Date: Levy: Revenue:	
CON	TRACTS <sup>k</sup> :	
3.	Purpose of Contract: Title: Date: Principal Amount: Maturity Date: Levy: Revenue:	Agreement to remit funds to Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3  Capital Pledge Agreement  July 14, 2021  N/A  December 2, 2060  60.158  \$298,285
4.	Purpose of Contract: Title: Date: Principal Amount: Maturity Date: Levy: Revenue:	

Use multiple copies of this page as necessary to separately report all bond and contractual obligations per 32-1-1603, C.R.S.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2 of El Paso County, Colorado on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November 2023.

SEAL	y	ACT NO.
WOSMINATION	COLORADO.	o o o o

DocuSigned by:	
Joe Desfardin	
Joe Desjardin	, Secretary

STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF EL PASO WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3

2024 BUDGET RESOLUTION

The Board of Directors of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3, El Paso County, Colorado held a special meeting on Thursday, November 2, 2023 at the hour of 2:00 P.M. via video conference at <a href="https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470">https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470</a>; and via telephone conference at Dial-In: 1-720-707-2699, Meeting ID: 763-670-3470, Participant Code: press #.

The following members of the Board of Directors were present:

President:

**Andrew Biggs** 

Treasurer: Secretary:

Tamrin Apaydin Joseph DesJardin

Assistant Secretary:

Charlie Williams

Also present were: Jennifer L. Ivey and Alicia J. Corley, Icenogle Seaver Pogue, P.C.; AJ Beckman and Ann Finn, Public Alliance, LLC; Diane Wheeler and Daisy Garcia, Simmons & Wheeler P.C.; Thomas Badera and Michael Lordino, Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2

Mr. Beckman reported that proper notice was made to allow the Board of Directors of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 to conduct a public hearing on the 2024 budget and, prior to the meeting, each of the directors had been notified of the date, time and place of this meeting and the purpose for which it was called. It was further reported that this meeting is a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the District and that a notice of special meeting was posted on a public website of the District, <a href="https://winsomemetrodistrict.org">https://winsomemetrodistrict.org</a>, no less than twenty-four hours prior to the holding of the meeting, and to the best of his knowledge, remains posted to the date of this meeting.

Thereupon, Director Apaydin introduced and moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

#### RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION SUMMARIZING EXPENDITURES AND REVENUES FOR EACH FUND AND ADOPTING A BUDGET, APPROPRIATING SUMS OF MONEY TO EACH FUND IN THE AMOUNTS AND FOR THE PURPOSES SET FORTH HEREIN AND LEVYING GENERAL PROPERTY TAXES FOR THE YEAR 2024 TO HELP DEFRAY THE COSTS OF GOVERNMENT FOR WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3, EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO, FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR BEGINNING ON THE FIRST DAY OF JANUARY 2024 AND ENDING ON THE LAST DAY OF DECEMBER 2024.

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 (the "District") has authorized its treasurer and accountant to prepare and submit a proposed budget to said governing body at the proper time; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget was submitted to the Board for its review and consideration on or before October 15, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget is more than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00), due and proper notice was published on Monday, October 16, 2023 in *The Gazette*, indicating (i) the date and time of the hearing at which the adoption of the proposed budget will be considered; (ii) that the proposed budget is available for inspection by the public at a designated place; (iii) that any interested elector of the District may file any objections to the proposed budget at any time prior to the final adoption of the budget by the District; and (iv) if applicable, the amount of the District's increased property tax revenues resulting from a request to the Division of Local Government pursuant to Section 29-1-302(1), C.R.S.; and an original publisher's Affidavit of Publication is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by this reference; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget was open for inspection by the public at the designated place; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on Thursday, November 2, 2023 and interested electors were given the opportunity to file or register any objections to said proposed budget and any such objections were considered by the Board; and

WHEREAS, the budget being adopted by the Board has been prepared based on the best information available to the Board regarding the effects of Section 29-1-301, C.R.S., and Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution; and

WHEREAS, whatever increases may have been made in the expenditures, like increases were added to the revenues so that the budget remains in balance, as required by law; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 29-1-113(1), C.R.S., the Board shall cause a certified copy of the budget, including the budget message and any resolutions adopting the budget, appropriating moneys and fixing the rate of any mill levy, to be filed with the Division of Local

Government within thirty (30) days following the beginning of the fiscal year of the budget adopted; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 32-1-1201, C.R.S., the Board shall determine in each year the amount of money necessary to be raised by taxation, taking into consideration those items required by law, and shall certify the rate so fixed to the board of county commissioners of each county within the District or having a portion of its territory within the District.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3, EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO:

- Section 1. <u>Summary of 2024 Revenues and 2024 Expenditures</u>. That the estimated revenues and expenditures for each fund for fiscal year 2024, as more specifically set forth in the budget attached hereto as Exhibit B and incorporated herein by this reference, are accepted and approved.
- Section 2. Adoption of Budget. That the budget as submitted, and if amended, then as amended, and attached hereto as Exhibit B and is approved and adopted as the budget of the District for fiscal year 2024. In the event the final assessed valuation provided by the El Paso County Assessor's Office differs from the assessed valuation used in the proposed budget, the District's accountant is hereby directed to modify and/or adjust the budget and mill levy certification as needed to reflect the final assessed valuation without the need for additional Board authorization.
- Senate Bill 23-303 and Proposition HH. That the passage of Proposition Section 3. HH at the November 7, 2023 general election would result in the implementation of various provisions of Senate Bill 23-303 which will impact the District's budget, including, but not limited to, the addition of Section 29-1-306, C.R.S., which limits the increase in the District's property tax revenue to no more than a prescribed inflation amount subject to exclusion of revenue from certain sources. That, as part of the preparation of the proposed budget and [as included in Exhibit B], the District's accountant calculated the "property tax limit" as defined in and in the manner set forth in Section 29-1-306, C.R.S. and has determined that the District's property tax revenue for property tax year 2023 will not increase by more than "inflation" (as defined in in Section 29-1-306(1)(a), C.R.S.) from the District's property tax revenue for the property tax year 2022 and therefore the property tax limit will not be exceeded by imposition of the mill levies included in the budget of the District for fiscal year 2024. In performing the property tax limit calculation, the District has directed that for purposes of Section 29-1-306(2)(b), C.R.S. the most recently published estimate of inflation for the 2022 calendar year available at the time of preparation of the 2024 budget be utilized by the District's accountant. Finally, that the due to the timing of the November 7, 2023 general election and the requirement that the District be provided a proposed budget for its review and consideration on or before October 15, 2023, the District's accountant has made a good faith effort and used the best information available at the time of preparation of the budget to provide the District with alternative scenarios showing a proposed budget and mill levies for fiscal year 2024 in the event that Proposition HH passes and alternatively in the event that Proposition HH does not pass. Due to the uncertainty of the outcome of the passage of Proposition HH and the significant possibility that the final assessed valuations differ from the

preliminary assessed valuations, once the outcome of Proposition HH is known and the final assessed valuations are provided by the El Paso County Assessor's Office, the District's accountant is hereby directed to modify and/or adjust the budget and mill levy certification as needed to reflect the final assessed valuation without the need for additional Board authorization.

- Section 4. <u>Appropriations</u>. That the amounts set forth as expenditures and balances remaining, as specifically allocated in the budget attached, are hereby appropriated from the revenue of each fund, to each fund, for the purposes stated and no other.
- Section 5. <u>Budget Certification</u>. That the budget shall be certified by Joseph DesJardin, Secretary of the District, and made a part of the public records of the District and a certified copy of the approved and adopted budget shall be filed with the Division of Local Government.
- Section 6. <u>2024 Levy of General Property Taxes</u>. That the attached budget indicates that the amount of money from general property taxes necessary to balance the budget for the General Fund for operating expenses is \$7,058 and that the 2023 valuation for assessment, as certified by the El Paso County Assessor, is \$448,720. That for the purposes of meeting all general operating expenses of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 15.730 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District for the year 2024.
- Section 7. <u>2024 Levy of Debt Retirement Expenses</u>. That the attached budget indicates that the amount of money from general property taxes necessary to balance the budget for the Debt Service Fund for debt retirement expense is \$26,701 and that the 2023 valuation for assessment, as certified by the El Paso County Assessor, is \$448,720. That for the purposes of meeting all debt retirement expenses of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 59.504 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District for the year 2024.
- Section 8. <u>2024 Mill Levy Adjustment</u>. The Board may adjust the mill levy, as specifically set forth in the District's Service Plan (the "Adjusted Mill Levy"). The Board hereby determines in good faith to establish the Adjusted Mill Levy as set forth in the mill levy certification attached hereto as Exhibit C pursuant to the authority granted by its Service Plan to ensure that the District's revenues shall be neither diminished nor enhanced as a result of the changes effecting the mill levy. Subject to adjustment and finalization by the District's accountant in accordance with Sections 2 and 3 hereof, the Board further authorizes that the Adjusted Mill Levy be reflected in the District's Certification of Tax Levies to be submitted to the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County on or before December 15, 2023, for collection in 2024.
- Section 9. <u>Certification to County Commissioners</u>. That the Board Secretary and/or District's accountant are hereby authorized and directed to immediately certify to the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County, the mill levy for the District hereinabove determined and set. That said certification shall be in substantially the following form attached hereto as Exhibit C and incorporated herein by this reference.

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The foregoing Resolution was seconded by Director Williams.

# RESOLUTION APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS $2^{\text{ND}}$ DAY OF NOVEMBER 2023.

# WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3

By: Andrew Biggs

By: Andrew Bigg
Its: President

ATTEST:

Joe Des Jardin

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By: Joeseph DesJardin

Its: Secretary

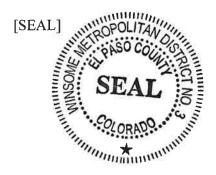
STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF EL PASO WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3

I, Joseph DesJardin, hereby certify that I am a director and the duly elected and qualified Secretary of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3, and that the foregoing constitutes a true and correct copy of the record of proceedings of the Board of Directors of the District, adopted at a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 held on November 2, 2023, via video conference at <a href="https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470">https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470</a>; and via telephone conference at Dial-In: 1-720-707-2699, Meeting ID: 763-670-3470, Participant Code: press #, as recorded in the official record of the proceedings of the District, insofar as said proceedings relate to the budget hearing for fiscal year 2024; that said proceedings were duly had and taken; that the meeting was duly held; and that the persons were present at the meeting as therein shown.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the official seal of the District this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November 2023.

Joe Des Jardin

Joseph DesJardin, Secretary



# EXHIBIT A

Affidavit Notice as to Proposed 2024 Budget

#### 180673

#### AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF El Paso

I, Lorre Cosgrove, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that she is the Legal Sales Representative of The Colorado Springs Gazette, LLC., a corporation, the publishers of a daily/weekly public newspapers, which is printed and published daily/weekly in whole in the County of El Paso, and the State of Colorado, and which is called Colorado Springs Gazette; that a notice of which the annexed is an exact copy, cut from said newspaper, was published in the regular and entire editions of said newspaper 1 time(s) to wit 10/16/2023

That said newspaper has been published continuously and uninterruptedly in said County of El Paso for a period of at least six consecutive months next prior to the first issue thereof containing this notice; that said newspaper has a general circulation and that it has been admitted to the United States mails as second-class matter under the provisions of the Act of March 3, 1879 and any amendment thereof, and is a newspaper duly qualified for the printing of legal notices and advertisement within the meaning of the laws of the State of Colorado.

Lorre Cosgrove Sales Center Agent

Subscribed and sworn to me this 10/16/2023, at said City of Colorado Springs, El Paso County, Colorado My commission expires June 23, 2026.

Jarre Congrave

Karen Hogan
Notary Public

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#### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### NOTICE AS TO PROPOSED 2024 BUDGET AND HEARING WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3

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# **EXHIBIT B**

Budget Document Budget Message

# WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3 2024 BUDGET MESSAGE

Attached please find a copy of the adopted 2024 budget for the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3.

The Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3. has adopted two funds, a General Fund to provide for transfers to Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1 for operating and maintenance expenditures; and a Debt Service Fund to account for the repayment of principal and interest on the outstanding general obligation bonds.

The district's accountants have utilized the modified accrual basis of accounting, and the budget has been adopted after proper postings, publications and public hearing.

The primary sources of revenue for the district in 2024 will be property taxes and transfers from Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2. The district intends to impose a 75.234 mill levy on property within the district for 2024, of which 15.730 mills will be dedicated to the General Fund and the balance of 59.504 mills will be allocated to the Debt Service Fund.

# Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 Adopted Budget General Fund For the Year ended December 31, 2024

	Actual <u>2022</u>	Adopted Budget <u>2023</u>	Actual <u>6/30/2023</u>	Estimate 2023	Adopted Budget <u>2024</u>
Beginning fund balance	\$	\$	\$ -	\$ -	\$
Revenues:					
Property taxes	2,116	2,116	2,412	2,116	7,058
Specific ownership taxes	220	220	122	250	781
Developer advances					
Total revenues	2,336	2,336	2,534	2,366	7,839
Total funds available	2,336	2,336	2,534	2,366	7,839
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Expenditures:					
Transfer to District 1	2,304	2,304	2,498	2,334	7,665
Treasurer's Fees	32	32	36	32	106
Emergency Reserve	<u>=</u>			- C	68
					7.000
Total expenditures	2,336	2,336	2,534	2,366	7,839
Ending fund balance	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
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Assessed valuation		\$ 159,340			\$ 448,720
Mill Levy		5.046			5.243
Mill Levy		10.093			10.487
Mill Levy		15.139			15.730
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# Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 Adopted Budget Capital Projects Fund For the Year ended December 31, 2024

	Actual <u>2022</u>	Adopted Budget <u>2023</u>	Actual <u>6/30/2023</u>	Estimate 2023	Adopted Budget <u>2024</u>
Beginning fund balance	\$ 4,046,162	\$ 1,933,858	<u>\$ 1,936,785</u>	\$ 1,936,785	<u>\$</u>
Revenues:					
Bond proceeds			<b>.</b>	3	9
Interest & other income	40,507	25,000	16,969	30,000	2
Developer advances					
Total revenues	40,507	25,000	16,969	30,000	
Total funds available	4,086,669	1,958,858	1,953,754	1,966,785	
Expenditures:					
Issuance costs	43	(2)	-	9	巡
Capital expenditures	2,137,305	1,958,858	1,611,157	1,966,785	*
Transfer to Debt Service			j <u></u>	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Total expenditures	2,137,305	1,958,858	1,611,157	1,966,785	<del>·</del>
Ending fund balance	\$ 1,949,364	<u>\$</u>	\$ 342,597	\$	\$ -

# Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 Adopted Budget Debt Service Fund For the Year ended December 31, 2024

	Actual 2022	Adopted Budget 2023	Actual 6/30/2023	Estimate 2023	Adopted Budget 2024
Beginning fund balance	\$	\$	\$ 14,233	\$ 14,233	\$ 711
Revenues:					
Property taxes	7,796	9,125	9,125	9,125	26,701
Specific ownership taxes	811	728	461	900	2,134
Transfer from District 2	33,734	108,635	97,456	110,590	317,703
Interest income	9				
Total revenues	42,350	118,488	107,042	120,615	346,538
	-				
Total funds available	42,350	118,488	121,275	134,848	347,249
					-
Expenditures:					
Bond interest expense	28,000	114,322	-	130,000	340,000
Treasurer's fees	117	166	137	137	401
Trustee / paying agent fees		4,000	4,000	4,000	4,000
	-				
Total expenditures	28,117	118,488	4,137	134,137	344,401
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Ending fund balance	\$ 14,233	\$ -	\$ 117,138	\$ 711	\$ 2,848
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Assessed valuation		\$ 159,340			\$ 448,720
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Mill Levy		57.266			59.504
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Total Mill Levy		72.405			75.234
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# **EXHIBIT C**

Certification of Tax Levy

# **CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVIES for NON-SCHOOL Governments**

the Board of Directors  of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3	ng entity) <sup>A</sup> erning body) <sup>B</sup>			,
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assessed valuation of:  Note: If the assessor certified a NET assessed valuation (AV) different than the GROSS AV due to a Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Area <sup>F</sup> the tax levies must be calculated using the NET AV. The taxing entity's total property tax revenue will be derived from the mill levy multiplied against the NET assessed valuation of:  Submitted:  O1/05/2024  (GROSS <sup>D</sup> asses	essed valuation, Line 2 essed valuation, Line 4 o	f the Certificati	on of Valua	
(not later than Dec 15) (mm/dd/yyyy)		(	уууу)	
PURPOSE (see end notes for definitions and examples)	LEVY <sup>2</sup>		R	EVENUE <sup>2</sup>
1. General Operating Expenses <sup>H</sup>	10.487	mills	\$	4,705
2. <minus> Temporary General Property Tax Credit/ Temporary Mill Levy Rate Reduction<sup>I</sup></minus>	< :	<u> </u>	<u>\$ &lt;</u>	>
SUBTOTAL FOR GENERAL OPERATING:	10.487	mills	\$	4,705
3. General Obligation Bonds and Interest <sup>J</sup>	59.504	mills	\$	26,701
4. Contractual Obligations <sup>k</sup>		mills	\$	
5. Capital Expenditures <sup>L</sup>		mills	\$	
6. Refunds/Abatements <sup>M</sup>		— mills	\$	
7. Other <sup>N</sup> (specify): Covenant enforce/Design	5.243	— mills	\$	2,353
		mills	\$	
TOTAL: [Sum of General Operating Subtotal and Lines 3 to 7]	75.234	mills	\$	33,759
Contact person: (print) Diane K Wheeler	Daytime phone: (303	) 689-083	33	
Signed: Qione K Wheeler	Title: Dist	rict Accou	ntant	

Include one copy of this tax entity's completed form when filing the local government's budget by January 31st, per 29-1-113 C.R.S., with the Division of Local Government (DLG), Room 521, 1313 Sherman Street, Denver, CO 80203. Questions? Call DLG at (303) 866-2156.

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#### **CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVIES, continued**

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#### CERTIFY A SEPARATE MILL LEVY FOR EACH BOND OR CONTRACT:

BON	DS <sup>J</sup> :	
1.	Purpose of Issue:	\$9,069,000 General Obligation Limited Tax Cash Flow Bonds
	Series:	2021A(3)
	Date of Issue:	July 14, 2021
	Coupon Rate:	5.125%
	Maturity Date:	December 1, 2050
	Levy:	59.504
	Revenue:	\$26,701
2.	Purpose of Issue:	
	Series:	
	Date of Issue:	
	Coupon Rate:	
	Maturity Date:	
	Levy:	
	Revenue:	
CON	TRACTS <sup>k</sup> :	
3.	Purpose of Contract:	
	Title:	
	Date:	
	Principal Amount:	
	Maturity Date:	
	Levy:	
	Revenue:	
4.	Purpose of Contract:	
	Title:	
	Date:	
	Principal Amount:	
	Maturity Date:	
	Levy:	
	Revenue:	

Use multiple copies of this page as necessary to separately report all bond and contractual obligations per 32-1-1603, C.R.S.

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A Taxing Entity—A jurisdiction authorized by law to impose ad valorem property taxes on taxable property located within its territorial limits (please see notes B, C, and H below). For purposes of the DLG 70 only, a taxing entity is also a geographic area formerly located within a *taxing entity* 's boundaries for which the county assessor certifies a valuation for assessment and which is responsible for payment of its share until retirement of financial obligations incurred by the *taxing entity* when the area was part of the *taxing entity*. For example: an area of excluded property formerly within a special district with outstanding general obligation debt at the time of the exclusion or the area located within the former boundaries of a dissolved district whose outstanding general obligation debt service is administered by another local government<sup>C</sup>.

- Boverning Body—The board of county commissioners, the city council, the board of trustees, the board of directors, or the board of any other entity that is responsible for the certification of the *taxing entity's* mill levy. For example: the board of county commissioners is the governing board ex officio of a county public improvement district (PID); the board of a water and sanitation district constitutes ex officio the board of directors of the water subdistrict.
- <sup>C</sup> Local Government For purposes of this line on Page 1 of the DLG 70, the local government is the political subdivision under whose authority and within whose boundaries the *taxing entity* was created. The local government is authorized to levy property taxes on behalf of the *taxing entity*. For example, for the purposes of this form:
  - 1. a municipality is both the local government and the *taxing entity* when levying its own levy for its entire iurisdiction:
  - 2. a city is the local government when levying a tax on behalf of a business improvement district (BID) taxing entity which it created and whose city council is the BID board;
  - 3. a fire district is the local government if it created a subdistrict, the *taxing entity*, on whose behalf the fire district levies property taxes.
  - 4. a town is the local government when it provides the service for a dissolved water district and the town board serves as the board of a dissolved water district, the *taxing entity*, for the purpose of certifying a levy for the annual debt service on outstanding obligations.
- <sup>D</sup> **GROSS Assessed Value** There will be a difference between gross assessed valuation and net assessed valuation reported by the county assessor only if there is a "tax increment financing" entity (see below), such as a downtown development authority or an urban renewal authority, within the boundaries of the *taxing entity*. The board of county commissioners certifies each *taxing entity's* total mills upon the *taxing entity's* Gross Assessed Value found on Line 2 of Form DLG 57.
- <sup>E</sup> Certification of Valuation by County Assessor, Form DLG 57 The county assessor(s) uses this form (or one similar) to provide valuation for assessment information to a *taxing entity*. The county assessor must provide this certification no later than August 25<sup>th</sup> each year and may amend it, one time, prior to December 10<sup>th</sup>.
- FTIF Area—A downtown development authority (DDA) or urban renewal authority (URA), may form plan areas that use "tax increment financing" to derive revenue from increases in assessed valuation (gross minus net, Form DLG 57 Line 3) attributed to the activities/improvements within the plan area. The DDA or URA receives the differential revenue of each overlapping taxing entity's mill levy applied against the taxing entity's gross assessed value after subtracting the taxing entity's revenues derived from its mill levy applied against the net assessed value.
- <sup>G</sup> **NET Assessed Value**—The total taxable assessed valuation from which the *taxing entity* will derive revenues for its uses. It is found on Line 4 of Form DLG 57.
- <sup>H</sup> General Operating Expenses (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 1)—The levy and accompanying revenue reported on Line 1 is for general operations and includes, in aggregate, all levies for and revenues raised by a *taxing entity* for purposes not lawfully exempted and detailed in Lines 3 through 7 on Page 1 of the DLG 70. For example: a fire pension levy is included in general operating expenses, unless the pension is voter-approved, if voter-approved, use Line 7 (Other).

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- <sup>1</sup> Temporary Tax Credit for Operations (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 2)—The Temporary General Property Tax Credit/ Temporary Mill Levy Rate Reduction of 39-1-111.5, C.R.S. may be applied to the *taxing entity*'s levy for general operations to effect refunds. Temporary Tax Credits (TTCs) are not necessary for other types of levies (non-general operations) certified on this form because these levies are adjusted from year to year as specified by the provisions of any contract or schedule of payments established for the payment of any obligation incurred by the *taxing entity* per 29-1-301(1.7), C.R.S., or they are certified as authorized at election per 29-1-302(2)(b), C.R.S.
- <sup>J</sup> General Obligation Bonds and Interest (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 3)—Enter on this line the total levy required to pay the annual debt service of all general obligation bonds. Per 29-1-301(1.7) C.R.S., the amount of revenue levied for this purpose cannot be greater than the amount of revenue required for such purpose as specified by the provisions of any contract or schedule of payments. Title 32, Article 1 Special districts and subdistricts must complete Page 2 of the DLG 70.
- K Contractual Obligation (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 4)—If repayment of a contractual obligation with property tax has been approved at election and it is not a general obligation bond (shown on Line 3), the mill levy is entered on this line. Per 29-1-301(1.7) C.R.S., the amount of revenue levied for this purpose cannot be greater than the amount of revenue required for such purpose as specified by the provisions of any contract or schedule of payments.
- <sup>L</sup> Capital Expenditures (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 5)—These revenues are not subject to the statutory property tax revenue limit <u>if</u> they are approved by counties and municipalities <u>through public hearings</u> pursuant to 29-1-301(1.2) C.R.S. and for special districts <u>through approval from the Division of Local Government</u> pursuant to 29-1-302(1.5) C.R.S. or for any *taxing entity* if <u>approved at election</u>. Only levies approved by these methods should be entered on Line 5.
- M Refunds/Abatements (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 6)—The county assessor reports on the Certification of Valuation (DLG 57 Line 11) the amount of revenue from property tax that the local government did not receive in the prior year because taxpayers were given refunds for taxes they had paid or they were given abatements for taxes originally charged to them due to errors made in their property valuation. The local government was due the tax revenue and would have collected it through an adjusted mill levy if the valuation errors had not occurred. Since the government was due the revenue, it may levy, in the subsequent year, a mill to collect the refund/abatement revenue. An abatement/refund mill levy may generate revenues up to, but not exceeding, the refund/abatement amount from Form DLG 57 Line 11.
  - 1. Please Note: If the taxing entity is in more than one county, as with all levies, the abatement levy must be uniform throughout the entity's boundaries and certified the same to each county. To calculate the abatement/refund levy for a taxing entity that is located in more than one county, first total the abatement/refund amounts reported by each county assessor, then divide by the taxing entity's total net assessed value, then multiply by 1,000 and round down to the nearest three decimals to prevent levying for more revenue than was abated/refunded. This results in an abatement/refund mill levy that will be uniformly certified to all of the counties in which the taxing entity is located even though the abatement/refund did not occur in all the counties.
- Nother (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 7)—Report other levies and revenue not subject to 29-1-301 C.R.S. that were not reported above. For example: a levy for the purposes of television relay or translator facilities as specified in sections 29-7-101, 29-7-102, and 29-7-105 and 32-1-1005 (1) (a), C.R.S.; a voter-approved fire pension levy; a levy for special purposes such as developmental disabilities, open space, etc.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 of El Paso County, Colorado on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November 2023.



Joseph Des Jardin, Secretary

STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF EL PASO

WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 4

2024 BUDGET RESOLUTION

The Board of Directors of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4, El Paso County, Colorado held a special meeting on Thursday, November 2, 2023 at the hour of 2:00 P.M. via video conference at <a href="https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470">https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470</a>; and via telephone conference at Dial-In: 1-720-707-2699, Meeting ID: 763-670-3470, Participant Code: press #.

The following members of the Board of Directors were present:

President:

Andrew Biggs

Treasurer: Secretary:

Tamrin Apaydin Joseph DesJardin

Assistant Secretary:

Charlie Williams

Also present were: Jennifer L. Ivey and Alicia J. Corley, Icenogle Seaver Pogue, P.C.; AJ Beckman and Ann Finn, Public Alliance, LLC; Diane Wheeler and Daisy Garcia, Simmons & Wheeler P.C.; Thomas Badera and Michael Lordino, Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2

Mr. Beckman reported that proper notice was made to allow the Board of Directors of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4 to conduct a public hearing on the 2024 budget and, prior to the meeting, each of the directors had been notified of the date, time and place of this meeting and the purpose for which it was called. It was further reported that this meeting is a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the District and that a notice of special meeting was posted on a public website of the District, <a href="https://winsomemetrodistrict.org">https://winsomemetrodistrict.org</a>, no less than twenty-four hours prior to the holding of the meeting, and to the best of his knowledge, remains posted to the date of this meeting.

Thereupon, Director Apaydin introduced and moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

#### **RESOLUTION**

A RESOLUTION SUMMARIZING EXPENDITURES AND REVENUES FOR EACH FUND AND ADOPTING A BUDGET, APPROPRIATING SUMS OF MONEY TO EACH FUND IN THE AMOUNTS AND FOR THE PURPOSES SET FORTH HEREIN AND LEVYING GENERAL PROPERTY TAXES FOR THE YEAR 2024 TO HELP DEFRAY THE COSTS OF GOVERNMENT FOR WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 4, EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO, FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR BEGINNING ON THE FIRST DAY OF JANUARY 2024 AND ENDING ON THE LAST DAY OF DECEMBER 2024.

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4 (the "District") has authorized its treasurer and accountant to prepare and submit a proposed budget to said governing body at the proper time; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget was submitted to the Board for its review and consideration on or before October 15, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget is less than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00), due and proper notice was made by posting in three public places within the District's boundaries a notice indicating (i) the date and time of the hearing at which the adoption of the proposed budget will be considered; (ii) that the proposed budget is available for inspection by the public at a designated place; (iii) that any interested elector of the District may file any objections to the proposed budget at any time prior to the final adoption of the budget by the District; and (iv) if applicable, the amount of the District's increased property tax revenues resulting from a request to the Division pursuant to Section 29-1-302(1), C.R.S.; and the Affidavit of Posting evidencing the same is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by this reference; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget was open for inspection by the public at the designated place; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on Thursday, November 2, 2023 and interested electors were given the opportunity to file or register any objections to said proposed budget and any such objections were considered by the Board; and

WHEREAS, the budget being adopted by the Board has been prepared based on the best information available to the Board regarding the effects of Section 29-1-301, C.R.S., and Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution; and

WHEREAS, whatever increases may have been made in the expenditures, like increases were added to the revenues so that the budget remains in balance, as required by law; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 29-1-113(1), C.R.S., the Board shall cause a certified copy of the budget, including the budget message and any resolutions adopting the budget, appropriating moneys and fixing the rate of any mill levy, to be filed with the Division of Local

Government within thirty (30) days following the beginning of the fiscal year of the budget adopted; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 32-1-1201, C.R.S., the Board shall determine in each year the amount of money necessary to be raised by taxation, taking into consideration those items required by law, and shall certify the rate so fixed to the board of county commissioners of each county within the District or having a portion of its territory within the District.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 4, EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO:

- Section 1. <u>Summary of 2024 Revenues and 2024 Expenditures</u>. That the estimated revenues and expenditures for each fund for fiscal year 2024, as more specifically set forth in the budget attached hereto as Exhibit B and incorporated herein by this reference, are accepted and approved.
- Section 2. Adoption of Budget. That the budget as submitted, and if amended, then as amended, and attached hereto as Exhibit B and is approved and adopted as the budget of the District for fiscal year 2024. In the event the final assessed valuation provided by the El Paso County Assessor's Office differs from the assessed valuation used in the proposed budget, the District's accountant is hereby directed to modify and/or adjust the budget and mill levy certification as needed to reflect the final assessed valuation without the need for additional Board authorization.
- Senate Bill 23-303 and Proposition HH. That the passage of Proposition Section 3. HH at the November 7, 2023 general election would result in the implementation of various provisions of Senate Bill 23-303 which will impact the District's budget, including, but not limited to, the addition of Section 29-1-306, C.R.S., which limits the increase in the District's property tax revenue to no more than a prescribed inflation amount subject to exclusion of revenue from certain sources. That, as part of the preparation of the proposed budget and [as included in Exhibit B], the District's accountant calculated the "property tax limit" as defined in and in the manner set forth in Section 29-1-306, C.R.S. and has determined that the District's property tax revenue for property tax year 2023 will not increase by more than "inflation" (as defined in in Section 29-1-306(1)(a), C.R.S.) from the District's property tax revenue for the property tax year 2022 and therefore the property tax limit will not be exceeded by imposition of the mill levies included in the budget of the District for fiscal year 2024. In performing the property tax limit calculation, the District has directed that for purposes of Section 29-1-306(2)(b), C.R.S. the most recently published estimate of inflation for the 2022 calendar year available at the time of preparation of the 2024 budget be utilized by the District's accountant. Finally, that the due to the timing of the November 7, 2023 general election and the requirement that the District be provided a proposed budget for its review and consideration on or before October 15, 2023, the District's accountant has made a good faith effort and used the best information available at the time of preparation of the budget to provide the District with alternative scenarios showing a proposed budget and mill levies for fiscal year 2024 in the event that Proposition HH passes and alternatively in the event that Proposition HH does not pass. Due to the uncertainty of the outcome of the passage of Proposition HH and the significant possibility that the final assessed valuations differ from the

preliminary assessed valuations, once the outcome of Proposition HH is known and the final assessed valuations are provided by the El Paso County Assessor's Office, the District's accountant is hereby directed to modify and/or adjust the budget and mill levy certification as needed to reflect the final assessed valuation without the need for additional Board authorization.

- Section 4. <u>Appropriations</u>. That the amounts set forth as expenditures and balances remaining, as specifically allocated in the budget attached, are hereby appropriated from the revenue of each fund, to each fund, for the purposes stated and no other.
- Section 5. <u>Budget Certification</u>. That the budget shall be certified by Joseph DesJardin, Secretary of the District, and made a part of the public records of the District and a certified copy of the approved and adopted budget shall be filed with the Division of Local Government.
- Section 6. <u>2024 Levy of General Property Taxes</u>. That the attached budget indicates that the amount of money from general property taxes necessary to balance the budget for the General Fund for operating expenses is \$429 and that the 2023 valuation for assessment, as certified by the El Paso County Assessor, is \$27,540. That for the purposes of meeting all general operating expenses of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 15.591 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District for the year 2024.
- Section 7. <u>2024 Levy of Debt Retirement Expenses</u>. That the attached budget indicates that the amount of money from general property taxes necessary to balance the budget for the Debt Service Fund for debt retirement expense is \$0 and that the 2023 valuation for assessment, as certified by the El Paso County Assessor, is \$27,540. That for the purposes of meeting all debt retirement expenses of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 0.000 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District for the year 2024.
- Section 8. <u>2024 Mill Levy Adjustment</u>. The Board may adjust the mill levy, as specifically set forth in the District's Service Plan (the "Adjusted Mill Levy"). The Board hereby determines in good faith to establish the Adjusted Mill Levy as set forth in the mill levy certification attached hereto as Exhibit C pursuant to the authority granted by its Service Plan to ensure that the District's revenues shall be neither diminished nor enhanced as a result of the changes effecting the mill levy. Subject to adjustment and finalization by the District's accountant in accordance with Sections 2 and 3 hereof, the Board further authorizes that the Adjusted Mill Levy be reflected in the District's Certification of Tax Levies to be submitted to the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County on or before December 15, 2023, for collection in 2024.
- Section 9. <u>Certification to County Commissioners</u>. That the Board Secretary and/or District's accountant are hereby authorized and directed to immediately certify to the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County, the mill levy for the District hereinabove determined and set. That said certification shall be in substantially the following form attached hereto as Exhibit C and incorporated herein by this reference.

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The foregoing Resolution was seconded by DirectorWilliams.

# RESOLUTION APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 2<sup>ND</sup> DAY OF NOVEMBER 2023.

#### WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 4

Andrew Biggs

By:

Its:

President

ATTEST:

Joe Des Jardin

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Its: Secretary

STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF EL PASO WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 4

I, Joseph DesJardin, hereby certify that I am a director and the duly elected and qualified Secretary of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4, and that the foregoing constitutes a true and correct copy of the record of proceedings of the Board of Directors of the District, adopted at a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4 held on November 2, 2023, via video conference at <a href="https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470">https://us02web.zo.om.us/j/7636703470</a>; and via telephone conference at Dial-In: 1-720-707-2699, Meeting ID: 763-670-3470, Participant Code: press #, as recorded in the official record of the proceedings of the District, insofar as said proceedings relate to the budget hearing for fiscal year 2024; that said proceedings were duly had and taken; that the meeting was duly held; and that the persons were present at the meeting as therein shown.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the official seal of the District this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November 2023.

Joe Des Jardin

Joseph DesJardin, Secretary



# **EXHIBIT A**

Affidavit Notice as to Proposed 2024 Budget

#### 180674

### AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF El Paso

I, Lorre Cosgrove, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that she is the Legal Sales Representative of The Colorado Springs Gazette, LLC., a corporation, the publishers of a daily/weekly public newspapers, which is printed and published daily/weekly in whole in the County of El Paso, and the State of Colorado, and which is called Colorado Springs Gazette; that a notice of which the annexed is an exact copy, cut from said newspaper, was published in the regular and entire editions of said newspaper 1 time(s) to wit 10/16/2023

That said newspaper has been published continuously and uninterruptedly in said County of El Paso for a period of at least six consecutive months next prior to the first issue thereof containing this notice; that said newspaper has a general circulation and that it has been admitted to the United States mails as second-class matter under the provisions of the Act of March 3, 1879 and any amendment thereof, and is a newspaper duly qualified for the printing of legal notices and advertisement within the meaning of the laws of the State of Colorado.

Lorre Cosgrove Sales Center Agent

Subscribed and sworn to me this 10/16/2023, at said City of Colorado Springs, El Paso County, Colorado

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My commission expires June 23, 2026.

Karen Hogan Notary Public

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#### NOTICE AS TO PROPOSED 2024 BUDGET AND HEARING WINSONE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 4

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## **EXHIBIT B**

Budget Document Budget Message

## WINSOME METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 4 2024 BUDGET MESSAGE

Attached please find a copy of the adopted 2024 budget for the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4.

The Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4. has adopted one fund, a General Fund, to provide for transfers to Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1 for operating and maintenance expenditures.

The district's accountants have utilized the modified accrual basis of accounting, and the budget has been adopted after proper postings, publications and public hearing.

The primary source of revenue for the district in 2024 will be property taxes. The district intends to impose a 15.591 mill levy on all property within the district for 2024.

# Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4 Adopted Budget General Fund For the Year ended December 31, 2024

	Actual <u>2022</u>	Adopted Budget <u>2023</u>	Actual <u>6/30/2023</u>	Estimate 2023	Adopted Budget <u>2024</u>
Beginning fund balance	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 113</u>	\$ -	\$ -
Revenues:					
Property taxes	104	26	26	26	429
Specific ownership taxes	11	2	1	2	34
Developer advances		2,283	2,382	2,524	<del></del>
Total revenues	115	2,311	2,409	2,552	463
Total funds available	115	2,311	2,522	2,552	463
Expenditures:					
Transfer to District 1	-			S	406
Insurance/ SDA Dues	=	2,254	2,521	2,550	3
Miscellaneous	<u> </u>	20	2	-	20
Treasurer's Fees	2	2	1	2	2
Emergency Reserve		35	<u> </u>		35
Total expenditures	2	2,311	2,522	2,552	463
Ending fund balance	\$ 113	\$ -	<u>\$</u>	\$ -	<u> </u>
Assessed valuation		\$ 1,740			\$ 27,540
Mill Levy		5.000			5.197
Mill Levy		10.000			10.394
Mill Levy		15.000			15.591
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## **EXHIBIT C**

Certification of Tax Levy

## **CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVIES for NON-SCHOOL Governments**

TO: County Commissioners <sup>1</sup> of El Paso County		, Colorado.
On behalf of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4		,
	exing entity) <sup>A</sup>	
the Board of Directors	R	
	overning body) <sup>B</sup>	
of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4	cal government) <sup>C</sup>	
Hereby officially certifies the following mills to be levied against the taxing entity's GROSS \$ 27,540 assessed valuation of:  Note: If the assessor certified a NET assessed valuation (AV) different than the GROSS AV due to a Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Area <sup>F</sup> the tax levies must be \$ 27,540	ssessed valuation, Line 2 of the Certifical sessed valuation, Line 4 of the Certificat	
Submitted:         01/05/2024         for           (not later than Dec 15)         (mm/dd/yyyy)		2024 (уууу)
PURPOSE (see end notes for definitions and examples)	LEVY <sup>2</sup>	REVENUE <sup>2</sup>
1. General Operating Expenses <sup>H</sup>	10.394mills	\$ 286
<ol> <li><minus> Temporary General Property Tax Credit/ Temporary Mill Levy Rate Reduction<sup>I</sup></minus></li> </ol>	< > mills	<u>\$ &lt; &gt; </u>
SUBTOTAL FOR GENERAL OPERATING:	10.394 mills	\$ 286
3. General Obligation Bonds and Interest <sup>J</sup>	mills	\$
4. Contractual Obligations <sup>K</sup>	mills	\$
5. Capital Expenditures <sup>L</sup>	mills	\$
6. Refunds/Abatements <sup>M</sup>	mills	\$
7. Other <sup>N</sup> (specify): Covenant Enforce/design	5.197 mills	\$ 143
	mills	\$
TOTAL: [Sum of General Operating Subtotal and Lines 3 to 7]	15.591 mills	\$ 429
Contact person: (print) Diane K Wheeler	Daytime phone: (303) 689-08	33
Signed: Qiane K Wheeler	Title: District Accou	untant

Include one copy of this tax entity's completed form when filing the local government's budget by January 31st, per 29-1-113 C.R.S., with the Division of Local Government (DLG), Room 521, 1313 Sherman Street, Denver, CO 80203. Questions? Call DLG at (303) 866-2156.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> If the taxing entity's boundaries include more than one county, you must certify the levies to each county. Use a separate form for each county and certify the same levies uniformly to each county per Article X, Section 3 of the Colorado Constitution.

<sup>2</sup> Levies must be rounded to <u>three</u> decimal places and revenue must be calculated from the total <u>NET assessed valuation</u> (Line 4 of Form DLG57 on the County Assessor's <u>final</u> certification of valuation).

## **CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVIES, continued**

THIS SECTION APPLIES TO TITLE 32, ARTICLE 1 SPECIAL DISTRICTS THAT LEVY TAXES FOR PAYMENT OF GENERAL OBLIGATION DEBT (32-1-1603 C.R.S.). Taxing entities that are Special Districts or Subdistricts of Special Districts must certify separate mill levies and revenues to the Board of County Commissioners, one each for the funding requirements of each debt (32-1-1603, C.R.S.) Use additional pages as necessary. The Special District's or Subdistrict's total levies for general obligation bonds and total levies for contractual obligations should be recorded on Page 1, Lines 3 and 4 respectively.

## CERTIFY A SEPARATE MILL LEVY FOR EACH BOND OR CONTRACT:

BONI	OS <sup>J</sup> :	
1.	Purpose of Issue:	
	Series:	
	Date of Issue:	
	Coupon Rate:	
	Maturity Date:	
	Levy:	
	Revenue:	
2.	Purpose of Issue:	
	Series:	
	Date of Issue:	
	Coupon Rate:	
	Maturity Date:	
	Levy:	
	Revenue:	
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3.	Purpose of Contract:	
	Title:	
	Date:	
	Principal Amount:	
	Maturity Date:	
	Levy:	
	Revenue:	
4.	Purpose of Contract:	
	Title:	
	Date:	
	Principal Amount:	
	Maturity Date:	
	Levy:	
	Revenue:	

Use multiple copies of this page as necessary to separately report all bond and contractual obligations per 32-1-1603, C.R.S.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4 of El Paso County, Colorado on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November 2023.





2022 Applications for Exemptions from Audit District Nos. 1, 2, & 4 2022 Audit District No. 3

#### **APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM AUDIT** LONG FORM NAME OF GOVERNMENT Winsome Metropolitan District No.1 For the Year Ended **ADDRESS** c/o Icenogle Seaver Pogue 12/31/2022 4725 South Monaco Street, Suite 360 or fiscal year ended: Denver, CO 80237 CONTACT PERSON Jennifer Ivev PHONE 303-282-9100 **EMAIL** Jivey@isp-law.com **CERTIFICATION OF PREPARER** I certify that I am an independent accountant with knowledge of governmental accounting and that the information in the Application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I am aware that the Audit Law requires that a person independent of the entity complete the application if revenues or expenditure are at least \$100,000 but not more than \$750,000, and that independent means someone who is separate from the entity. Diane Wheeler District Accountant TITLE FIRM NAME (if applicable) Simmons & Wheeler, P.C. 304 Inverness Way South, Suite 490 Englewood, CO 80112 **ADDRESS** PHONE 303-689-0833 3/21/2023 DATE PREPARED RELATIONSHIP TO ENTITY CPA engaged to prepare financial statements for the District PREPARER (SIGNATURE REQUIRED) المراد المل

YES

NO

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If Yes, date filed:

Has the entity filed for, or has the district filed, a Title 32, Article 1 Special District Notice of Inactive Status

during the year? [Applicable to Title 32 special districts only, pursuant to Sections 32-1-103 (9.3) and 32-1-

104 (3), C.R.S.]

## PART 1 - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - BALANCE SHEET

#### \* Indicate Name of Fund

NOTE: Attach additional sheets as necessary.

Assets	NOTE: A	ttach additional sheets as necessary.	Governmental	Funds	1	Proprietary/	Fiduciary Funds	
Assets								
According   Section   Se	Line #	Description	General Fund	Fund*	Description	Fund*	Fund*	
Cash & Cash Equivalents   S		Assets			Assets			items on this page
Receivable	1-1		\$ 7,639 \$	-		\$	-   \$	-
Due from Other Entities or Funds	1-2	·	\$ - \$	-	1			-
ADDITION   Task Receivable   S	1-3	Receivables		-	Receivables	\$	- \$	-
All Other Assets (Papeul Expanse)    All Other Assets (Papeul Expanse)   S   1,0,984	1-4	Due from Other Entities or Funds	\$ 2 \$	-	Due from Other Entities or Funds	\$	- \$	-
Lease Receivable (as Leasor)	1-5	Property Tax Receivable	\$ 28 \$	-	Other Current Assets [specify]			
1-10		All Other Assets [Prepaid Expense)	\$ 10,084			\$	- \$	-
1-10	1-6	Lease Receivable (as Lessor)	\$ - \$	_	Total Current Assets	\$	- \$	-
1-10	1-7	` '			-		· ·	_
1-10						-		_
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Specify	1-12		\$ - \$		1	\$	- \$	-
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Liabilities								_
Accounts Payable   S			Ψ 01,001 Ψ			Ψ	1 4	
Unearmed Property Tax Revenue   S	1-16	·	\$ 15,821 \$	-		\$	- \$	-
1-19	1-17	*		-	-			-
All Other Current Liabilities   \$   5   5	1-18	Unearned Property Tax Revenue	\$ - \$	-	Accrued Interest Payable	\$	- \$	-
1-21   (add lines 1-16 through 1-20) TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES   3   3   3   3   3   3   3   3   4   4	1-19	Due to Other Entities or Funds	\$ - \$	-	Due to Other Entities or Funds	\$	- \$	-
All Other Liabilities Payable District 2   \$ . \$ . \$ .   Proprietary Debt Outstanding (from Part 4-4)   \$ \$ \$   Other Liabilities (specify):   \$ \$ \$ \$   Other liabilities (specify):   \$ \$ \$   Other liabilities (speci	1-20	All Other Current Liabilities	\$ 15,491 \$	-	All Other Current Liabilities	\$	- \$	-
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1-25	1-23	Payable District 3	\$ - \$	_			- \$	-
1-25	1-24	Payable District 4	\$ - \$	-		\$	- \$	-
1-26				-				-
Deferred Inflows of Resources:   Deferred Inflows of Resources	1-26			-		\$	<u> </u>	-
Deferred Inflows of Resources:   Deferred Inflows of Resources   S 28 \$		(add lines 1-21 through 1-26) TOTAL LIABILITIES	·	-	(add lines 1-21 through 1-26) TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$	<u> </u>	-
Lease related (as lessor)   S		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			, <del>,</del>	, ,	
Lease related (as lessor)   S	1-28		\$ 28 \$	-	1	\$	-   \$	-
1-30   (add lines 1-28 through 1-29) TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS \$ 28 \$ -    (add lines 1-28 through 1-29) TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS \$ -    \$ -		. ,		-	-			-
Fund Balance		(add lines 1-28 through 1-29) TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS				\$		-
1-32   Nonspendable Inventory		, ,						_
1-32   Nonspendable Inventory	1-31	Nonspendable Prepaid	\$ -   \$	-	Net Investment in Capital Assets	\$	-   \$	-
Restricted [specify]	1-32	Nonspendable Inventory		-	1			_
Committed [specify]  Assigned [specify]  S - \$ - \$ Restricted  Unassigned:  S 564 \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$	1-33	Restricted [specify]		-	Emergency Reserves	\$	- \$	-
Assigned [specify] Unassigned:  Add lines 1-31 through 1-36 This total should be the same as line 3-33 TOTAL FUND BALANCE  Add lines 1-27, 1-30 and 1-37 This total should be the same as line 1-15 TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS, AND FUND  Assigned [specify]  S - \$ - \$ - \$ Undesignated/Unreserved/Unrestricted  Add lines 1-31 through 1-36 This total should be the same as line 3-33 TOTAL FUND BALANCE  Add lines 1-27, 1-30 and 1-37 This total should be the same as line 1-15 TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS, AND FUND  Add lines 1-27, 1-30 and 1-37 This total should be the same as line 1-15 TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS, AND NET	1-34	Committed [specify]	\$ - \$	-	Other Designations/Reserves	\$	- \$	-
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## PART 2 - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - OPERATING STATEMENT - REVENUES

		Governmental Funds		l Funds		Proprietary/F	iduciary Funds	Diagon was this arranged	
Line #	Description	General Fu	nd	Fund*	Description	Fund*	Fund*	Please use this space to provide explanation of any	
Т	ax Revenue				Tax Revenue			items on this page	
2-1	Property [include mills levied in Question 10-6]	\$	284 \$	-	Property [include mills levied in Question 10-6]	\$ -	\$		
2-2	Specific Ownership	\$	30 \$	-	Specific Ownership	\$ -	\$		
2-3	Sales and Use Tax	\$	- \$	-	Sales and Use Tax	\$ -	\$		
2-4	Other Tax Revenue [specify]:	\$	- \$	-	Other Tax Revenue [specify]:	\$ -	\$		
2-5		\$	- \$			\$ -	\$		
2-6		\$	- \$			\$ -	\$		
2-7		\$	- \$	-		\$ -	\$	_	
2-8	Add lines 2-1 through 2-7 TOTAL TAX REVENUE		314 \$	-	Add lines 2-1 through 2-7 TOTAL TAX REVENUE	\$ -	\$		
2-9	Licenses and Permits	\$	- \$	-	Licenses and Permits	\$ -	\$		
2-10	Highway Users Tax Funds (HUTF)	\$	- \$	-	Highway Users Tax Funds (HUTF)	\$ -	\$		
2-11	Conservation Trust Funds (Lottery)	\$	- \$	-	Conservation Trust Funds (Lottery)	\$ -	\$		
2-12	Community Development Block Grant	\$	- \$	-	Community Development Block Grant	\$ -	\$		
2-13	Fire & Police Pension	\$	- \$	-	Fire & Police Pension	\$ -	\$		
2-14	Grants	\$	- \$	-	Grants	\$ -	\$		
2-15	Donations	\$	- \$	-	Donations	\$ -	\$		
2-16	Charges for Sales and Services	\$	- \$	-	Charges for Sales and Services	\$ -	\$		
2-17	Rental Income	\$	- \$	-	Rental Income	\$ -	\$	_	
2-18	Fines and Forfeits	\$	- \$	-	Fines and Forfeits	\$ -	\$	_	
2-19	Interest/Investment Income	\$	- \$	-	Interest/Investment Income	\$ -	\$		
2-20	Tap Fees	\$	- \$	-	Tap Fees	\$ -	\$		
2-21	Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assets	\$	- \$	-	Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assets	\$ -	\$		
2-22	All Other [specify]:	\$ 9	9,675 \$	-	All Other [specify]:	\$ -	\$		
2-23		\$	- \$	-		\$ -	\$		
2-24	Add lines 2-8 through 2-23 TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 9	9,989 \$	-	Add lines 2-8 through 2-23 TOTAL REVENUES	\$ -	\$		
	Other Financing Sources				Other Financing Sources				
2-25	Debt Proceeds	\$	- \$	-	Debt Proceeds	\$ -	\$		
2-26	Lease Proceeds	\$	- \$	-	Lease Proceeds	\$ -	\$		
2-27	Developer Advances	\$ 65	5,355 \$	-	Developer Advances	\$ -	\$		
2-28	Other [Transfer from other districts/dev adv receivable	\$ 25	5,614 \$	-	Other [specify]:	\$ -	\$ -		
2-29	Add lines 2-25 through 2-28 TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES		,969 \$		Add lines 2-25 through 2-28 TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES		\$	GRAND TOTALS	
2-30	Add lines 2-24 and 2-29 TOTAL REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES		,958 \$		Add lines 2-24 and 2-29 TOTAL REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 100,958	

IF GRAND TOTAL REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES for all funds (Line 2-29) are GREATER than \$750,000 -STOP. You may not use this form. An audit may be required. See Section 29-1-604, C.R.S., or contact the OSA Local Government Division at (303) 869-3000 for assistance.

	171110 111171110			ERATING STATEMENT - EXPENDITU			
			ental Funds		Proprieta	ary/Fiduciary Funds	Please use this space to
Line #	Description	General Fund	Fund*	Description	Fund*	Fund*	provide explanation of an
	Expenditures		Ι.	Expenses			items on this page
3-1	General Government	\$ 100,394	· ·	General Operating & Administrative	\$	- \$	_
3-2	Judicial	<u> </u>	\$ -	Salaries	\$	- \$	<u>-</u>
3-3	Law Enforcement	•	\$ -	Payroll Taxes	\$	- \$	<u>-</u>
3-4	Fire	\$ -	•	Contract Services	\$	- \$	<u>-</u>
3-5	Highways & Streets		\$ -	Employee Benefits	\$	- \$	_
3-6	Solid Waste	\$ -	*	Insurance	\$	- \$	<u>-</u>
3-7	Contributions to Fire & Police Pension Assoc.		\$ -	Accounting and Legal Fees	\$	- \$	_
3-8	Health	\$ -	\$ -	Repair and Maintenance	\$	- \$	_
3-9	Culture and Recreation	\$ -	-	Supplies	\$	- \$	-
3-10	Transfers to other districts	\$ -	\$ -	Utilities	\$	- \$	-
3-11	Other [specify]:	\$ -	\$ -	Contributions to Fire & Police Pension Assoc.	\$	- \$	-
3-12		\$ -	\$ -	Other [specify]	\$	- \$	-
3-13		\$ -	\$ -		\$	- \$	-
3-14	Capital Outlay	\$ -	\$ -	Capital Outlay	\$	- \$	-
	Debt Service			Debt Service			_
3-15	Principal (should match amount in 4-4)	\$ -	-	Principal (should match amount in 4-4)	\$	- \$	_
3-16	Interest	\$ -		Interest	\$	- \$	_
3-17	Bond Issuance Costs	\$ -	1	Bond Issuance Costs	\$	- \$	_
3-18	Developer Principal Repayments	·	\$ -	Developer Principal Repayments	\$	- \$	_
3-19	Developer Interest Repayments	\$ -	1:	Developer Interest Repayments	\$	- \$	_
3-20	All Other [specify]:		\$ -	All Other [specify]:	\$	•	-
3-21	All Other [specify].	\$ -	1	All Other [specify].	\$	- \$	- GRAND TOTAL
	Add lines 3-1 through 3-21	•		Add lines 3-1 through 3-21	-		
3-22	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 100,394	-	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	-   \$	- \$ 100,39
3-23	Interfund Transfers (In)	\$ -	\$ -	Net Interfund Transfers (In) Out	\$	- \$	-
3-24	Interfund Transfers Out	\$ -	\$ -	Other [specify][enter negative for expense]	\$	- \$	-
3-25	Other Expenditures (Revenues):	\$ -	\$ -	Depreciation/Amortization	\$	- \$	_
3-26	• , , ,	\$ -	\$ -	Other Financing Sources (Uses) (from line 2-28)	\$	- \$	_
3-27			\$ -	Capital Outlay (from line 3-14)	\$	- \$	-
3-28			\$ -	Debt Principal (from line 3-15, 3-18)	\$	- \$	-
3-29	(Add lines 3-23 through 3-28) TOTAL			(Line 3-27, plus line 3-28, less line 3-26, less line 3-25, plus	-		
	TRANSFERS AND OTHER EXPENDITURES	\$ -	s -	line 3-24) TOTAL GAAP RECONCILING ITEMS		- s	
3_30	Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing	<b>y</b> -	-	MINO 21) TO THE STATE RESOLUTION TELLIS	φ	- <b>\$</b>	_
0-00	Sources Over (Under) Expenditures			Net Increase (Decrease) in Net Position			
	Line 2-29, less line 3-22, less line 3-29	\$ 564	e	Line 2-29, less line 3-22, plus line 3-29, less line 3-23	\$	-   \$	
	Emo 2 20, 1000 fino 0-22, 1000 fino 0-20	Ψ 304	-	-	Ψ	- v	_
3-31	Fund Balance, January 1 from December 31 prior year report			Net Position, January 1 from December 31 prior year			
J-J I	rana balance, candary i nom becember of prior year report	\$ -	s -	report	\$	- s	
2 22	Dries Deviced Adjustment (MILOTI-III)		<u> </u>	Brian Bariad Adinatesant (MUGT			_
	Prior Period Adjustment (MUST explain)	\$ -	\$ -	Prior Period Adjustment (MUST explain)	\$	- \$	-
3-33	Fund Balance, December 31			Net Position, December 31			
	Sum of Lines 3-30, 3-31, and 3-32			Sum of Lines 3-30, 3-31, and 3-32			
	This total should be the same as line 1-37.	\$ 564	- 5	This total should be the same as line 1-37.	\$	- \$	-

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	PART 4 - DEBT OUTS	TANDING, I	SSUED, A	ND RETIRED	
	Please answer the following questions by marking the appropriate boxes.		YES	NO	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:
	Does the entity have outstanding debt? Is the debt repayment schedule attached? If no, MUST explain: Developer advance repayment subject to available funds		□ □		
4-3	Is the entity current in its debt service payments? If no, MUST explain:		✓		
4-4	Please complete the following debt schedule, if applicable: (please only include principal amounts)  Outstanding at beginning of year*		Retired during year	Outstanding at year-end	
				\$ - \$ -	
	Revenue bonds \$ - Notes/Loans \$ -	\$ - \$ -		\$ -	
	Lease Liabilities \$ -	\$ -	7	\$ -	
	Developer Advances \$ -	\$ 65,355		\$ 65,355	
	Other (specify):	-		\$ -	
	TOTAL \$ -	1	- \$	\$ 65,355	
	*must agree to prior yet Please answer the following questions by marking the appropriate boxes.	ar ending balance	VEC	NO	
4-5	Does the entity have any authorized, but unissued, debt [Section 29-1-605(2) C.R.S.]?		YES  ☑	NO D	
	How much? \$ 200,000,000	7	_		
f yes:	Date the debt was authorized: 5/5/2020	-			
4-6	Does the entity intend to issue debt within the next calendar year?			✓	
	How much?				
	Does the entity have debt that has been refinanced that it is still responsible for?			✓	
	What is the amount outstanding?  Does the entity have any lease agreements?			<b></b> ✓	
	What is being leased?				
,	What is the original date of the lease?				
	Number of years of lease?				
	Is the lease subject to annual appropriation?	7		✓	
	What are the annual lease payments?				
	PART 5 - CA	ASH AND IN	VESTME	NTS	and the second second second second
	Please provide the entity's cash deposit and investment balances.		AMOUNT	TOTAL	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:
	YEAR-END Total of ALL Checking and Savings accounts		\$ 7,639		
5-2	Certificates of deposit	L CASH DEPOSITS	\$ -	\$ 7,639	
		L CASH DEFOSITS		<b>3</b> 7,039	
	Investments (if investment is a mutual fund, please list underlying investments):				
			\$ -		
5-3			\$ -		
			\$ -		
	тот	AL INVESTMENTS		\$ -	
	TOTAL CASH A	ND INVESTMENTS		\$ 7,639	
	Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box	YES	NO	N/A	
5-4	Are the entity's Investments legal in accordance with Section 24-75-601, et. seq., C.R.S.?	V			
5-5	Are the entity's deposits in an eligible (Public Deposit Protection Act) public depository (Section 11-10.5-101, et seq. C.R.S.)? If no, MUST explain:	Ø			

	PART	6 - CAPITAL	AND RIGH	IT-TO-US	E ASSETS	
	Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box			YES	NO	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:
6-1 6-2	Does the entity have capitalized assets?  Has the entity performed an annual inventory of capital assets in accordance with MUST explain:	Section 29-1-506, C.	R.S.? If no,	□ ☑		
6-3	Complete the following Capital & Right-To-Use Assets table for GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS:	Balance - beginning of the year <sub>1</sub>	Additions 2	Deletions	Year-End Balanc	е
	Land Buildings Machinery and equipment Furniture and fixtures Infrastructure Construction In Progress (CIP) Leased Right-to-Use Assets Intangible Assets Other (explain): Accumulated Amortization Right to Use Leased Assets (Enter a negative, or credit, balance) Accumulated Depreciation (Enter a negative, or credit, balance) TOTAL	\$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ -	\$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ -	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	- S - S - S - S - S - S - S - S - S - S	- - - - - - - - - -
6-4		\$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ -	\$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ -	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	Year-End Balance  - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ -	
		PART 7 - PE	NSION IN	FORMATI	ION	
	*	THE RESERVE OF THE		YES	NO	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:
7-2	Does the entity have an "old hire" firefighters' pension plan?  Does the entity have a volunteer firefighters' pension plan?  Who administers the plan?  Indicate the contributions from:  Tax (property, SO, sales, etc.):  State contribution amount:  Other (gifts, donations, etc.):  What is the monthly benefit paid for 20 years of service per retiree as of Jan 1?	TOTAL	\$ - \$ - \$ - \$ -			

	PART 8 - BU	JDGET INF	ORMATION		
	Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box	YES	NO	N/A	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:
8-1	Did the entity file a current year budget with the Department of Local Affairs, in accordance with Section 29-1-113 C.R.S.? If no, MUST explain:	✓			Anticipated budget amendment to \$100,500
8-2	Did the entity pass an appropriations resolution in accordance with Section 29-1-108 C.R.S.?	<b>V</b>			
If yes:	Please indicate the amount appropriated for each fund separately for the year reported				
	Governmental/Proprietary Fund Name Total Appropriat	tions By Fund			
	General Fund \$	64,683			
	\$		-		
	\$	-			
	PART 9 - TAX PAYE	R'S BILL C	F RIGHTS (	(TABOR)	
	Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box		YES	NO	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:
9-1	Is the entity in compliance with all the provisions of TABOR [State Constitution, Article X, Section 20(5		✓		
	Note: An election to exempt the government from the spending limitations of TABOR does not exempt the government from the 3 perce requirement. All governments should determine if they meet this requirement of TABOR.	ent emergency reserve			
	PART 10 - GI	ENERAL IN	IFORMATIO	N	
	Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box		YES	NO	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:
	Is this application for a newly formed governmental entity?			✓	
If yes:	Date of formation:				
		2.1			
10-2	Has the entity changed its name in the past or current year?			☑	
If Yes:	NEW name		]		
	NEW Hallie				
	PRIOR name				
10-3	Is the entity a metropolitan district?				
10-4	Please indicate what services the entity provides:		_		
	Street, Parks & rec, water, sanitation, transportation, mosquito control, fire and safety protection, television relationships the same street of the same street and safety protection.	ay, security			
10-5	Does the entity have an agreement with another government to provide services?			✓	
If yes:	List the name of the other governmental entity and the services provided:				
	Does the entity have a certified mill levy?			✓	
If yes:	Please provide the number of mills levied for the year reported (do not enter \$ amounts):	20	1		
	Bond Redemption mills 0.00 General/Other mills 15.10		-		
	Total mills 15.10				
	Please use this space to provide any addi	itional explanation	ons or comments	not previously in	cluded:

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Entity Wide:		General Fund		Governmental Funds			Notes		
Unrestricted Cash & Investments	\$	7,639 Unrestricted Fund Bala	n \$	564 Total Tax Revenue	\$	314			
Current Liabilities	\$	31,312 Total Fund Balance	\$	564 Revenue Paying Debt Service	\$	-			
Deferred Inflow	\$	28 PY Fund Balance	\$	- Total Revenue	\$	100,958			
		Total Revenue	\$	100,958 Total Debt Service Principal	\$	-			
		Total Expenditures	\$	100,394 Total Debt Service Interest	\$	_			
Governmental		Interfund In	\$	<u>-</u>					
Total Cash & Investments	\$	7,639 Interfund Out	\$	- Enterprise Funds					
Transfers In	\$	- Proprietary		Net Position	\$	_			
Transfers Out	\$	- Current Assets	\$	- PY Net Position	\$	-			
Property Tax	\$	284 Deferred Outflow	\$	- Government-Wide					
Debt Service Principal	\$	- Current Liabilities	\$	- Total Outstanding Debt	\$	65,355			
Total Expenditures	\$	100,394 Deferred Inflow	\$	- Authorized but Unissued	\$	200,000,000			
Total Developer Advances	\$	- Cash & Investments	\$	- Year Authorized		5/5/2020			
Total Developer Repayments	\$	- Principal Expense	\$	-					

	PART 12 - GOVERNING BO	JUT APPRI	JVAL	
	Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box	YES	NO	
12-1	If you plan to submit this form electronically, have you read the new Electronic Signature Policy?	V		

#### Office of the State Auditor — Local Government Division - Exemption Form Electronic Signatures Policy and Procedures

#### Policy - Requirements

The Office of the State Auditor Local Government Audit Division may accept an electronic submission of an application for exemption from audit that includes governing board signatures obtained through a program such as Docusign or Echosign. Required elements and safeguards are as follows:

• The preparer of the application is responsible for obtaining board signatures that comply with the requirement in Section 29-1-604 (3), C.R.S., that states the application shall be personally reviewed, approved, and signed by a majority of the members of the governing body.

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- The application must be accompanied by the signature history document created by the electronic signature software. The signature history document must show when the document was created and when the document was emailed to the various parties, and include the dates the individual board members signed the document. The signature history must also show the individuals' email addresses and IP address.
- . Office of the State Auditor staff will not coordinate obtaining signatures.

The application for exemption from audit form created by our office includes a section for governing body approval. Local governing boards note their approval and submit the application through one of the following three methods:

- 1) Submit the application in hard copy via the US Mail including original signatures.
- 2) Submit the application electronically via email and either,
- a. Include a copy of an adopted resolution that documents formal approval by the Board, or
- b. Include electronic signatures obtained through a software program such as Docusign or Echosign in accordance with the requirements noted above.

Below is the certification and approval of the governing body By signing, each individual member is certifying they are a duly elected or appointed officer of the local government. Governing members may be verified. Also by signing, each individual member is certifying they are a duly elected or appointed officer of the local government. Governing members may be verified. Also by signing, the individual member certifies that this Application for Exemption from Audit has been prepared consistent with Section 29-1-604, C.R.S., which states that a governmental agency with revenue and expenditures of \$750,000 or less must have an application prepared by an independent accountant with knowledge of governmental accounting; completed to the best of their knowledge and is accurate and true. Use additional pages if needed.

	Print the names of <u>ALL</u> members of the governing body below.	A <u>MAJORITY</u> of the members of the governing body must complete and sign in the column below.
1	Full Name Andrew Biggs	I,Andrew Biggs, attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.  Signed Date: My term Expires:May 2023
2	Full Name Joseph DesJardin	I,Joseph DesJardin, attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.  Signed معاملية المعاملة المع
3	Full Name Tamrin Apaydin	I,Tamrin Apaydin, attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.  Signed Date: Date: Date:
	Full Name	laws B. Birns
4	Jerry D. Biggs	I,Jerry D. Biggs, attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.  Signed
	Full Name	I. Charlie Williams , attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally
5	Charlie Williams	reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.  Signed
6	Full Name	I,, attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.  Signed Date:  My term Expires:
7	Full Name	I,, attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.  Signed Date:  My term Expires:

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## **APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM AUDIT**

## SHORT FORM

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ADDRESS	c/o Icenogle Seaver Pogue		12/31/22
	4725 South Monaco Street, Suite 360		or fiscal year ended:
	Denver, CO 80237		-
CONTACT PERSON	Jennifer Ivey		
PHONE	303-282-9100		
EMAIL	Jivey@isp-law.com		
	PART 1 - CERTIFICATION	N OF PREPARER	
I certify that I am skilled in gov	ernmental accounting and that the inform	ation in the application is comple	ete and accurate, to the best of
my knowledge.	· ·		·
NAME:	Diane Wheeler		
TITLE	District Accountant		
FIRM NAME (if applicable)	Simmons & Wheeler, P.C.		
ADDRESS	304 Inverness Way South, Suite 490, E	nglewood CO 80112	
PHONE	303-689-0833		
DATE PREPARED	3/21/2023		
PREPARER (SIGNATUL	RE REQUIRED)		
Qione K. Whale-			
Please indicate whether the follo	owing financial information is recorded	GOVERNMENTAL	PROPRIETARY

using Governmental or Proprietary fund types

(MODIFIED ACCRUAL BASIS)

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## **PART 2 - REVENUE**

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Line#		Description		Round to nearest Dollar	Please use this
2-1	Taxes: Proper	(report mills levied in Question 10-6)	\$	00,= .0	space to provide
2-2	Specifi	c ownership	\$	4,081	any necessary
2-3	Sales a	nd use	\$	-	explanations
2-4	Other (	specify): : Interest Income	\$	157	
2-5	Licenses and permits		\$	-	
2-6	Intergovernmental:	Grants	\$	-	
2-7		Conservation Trust Funds (Lottery)	\$	-	
2-8		Highway Users Tax Funds (HUTF)	\$	-	
2-9		Other (specify):	\$	-	
2-10	Charges for services		\$	-	
2-11	Fines and forfeits		\$	-	
2-12	Special assessments		\$	-	
2-13	Investment income		\$	-	
2-14	Charges for utility services		\$	-	
2-15	Debt proceeds	(should agree with line 4-4, column 2		-	
2-16	Lease proceeds		\$	-	
2-17	Developer Advances receive		_	-	
2-18	Proceeds from sale of capit	al assets	\$		
2-19	Fire and police pension		\$	-	
2-20	Donations		\$	-	
2-21	Other (specify):		\$	-	
2-22			\$	-	
2-23			\$	-	
2-24		(add lines 2-1 through 2-23) TOTAL REVENUI	\$	43,484	

## **PART 3 - EXPENDITURES/EXPENSES**

EXPENDITURES: All expenditures for all funds must be reflected in this section, including the purchase of capital assets and principal and interest payments on long-term debt. Financial information will not include fund equity information.

Line#	Description	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Round to nearest Dollar	Please use this
3-1	Administrative		\$ 591	space to provide
3-2	Salaries		\$ -	any necessary
3-3	Payroll taxes		\$ -	explanations
3-4	Contract services		\$ -	
3-5	Employee benefits		\$ -	
3-6	Insurance		\$ -	
3-7	Accounting and legal fees		\$ -	
3-8	Repair and maintenance		\$ -	
3-9	Supplies		\$ -	
3-10	Utilities and telephone		\$ -	
3-11	Fire/Police		\$ -	
3-12	Streets and highways		\$ -	
3-13	Public health		\$ -	
3-14	Capital outlay		\$ -	
3-15	Utility operations		\$ -	
3-16	Culture and recreation		\$ -	
3-17	Debt service principal	(should agree with Part 4)	\$ -	
3-18	Debt service interest		\$ -	
3-19	Repayment of Developer Advance Principal	(should agree with line 4-4)	\$ -	
3-20	Repayment of Developer Advance Interest		\$ -	
3-21	Contribution to pension plan	(should agree to line 7-2)	\$ -	
3-22	Contribution to Fire & Police Pension Assoc.	(should agree to line 7-2)	\$ -	
3-23	Transfer to D1 and D3		\$ 42,893	
3-24			\$ -	
3-25			\$ -	
3-26	(add lines 3-1 through 3-24) TOTAL EXPE	NDITURES/EXPENSES	\$ 43,484	

If TOTAL REVENUE (Line 2-24) or TOTAL EXPENDITURES (Line 3-26) are GREATER than \$100,000 - <u>STOP</u>. You may not use this form. Please use the "Application for Exemption from Audit -<u>LONG FORM</u>".

4-1	Please answer the following questions by marking the Does the entity have outstanding debt?	appropri	ate boxes.				Yes		No
7-1	If Yes, please attach a copy of the entity's Debt Repayment	Schedule	э.			_		_	_
4-2									<b>2</b>
4-3	Is the entity current in its debt service payments? If no, MUS	elavo Te	in			J G	7	Ť	
4.5	N/A	o i expia				]			
4-4	Please complete the following debt schedule, if applicable: (please only include principal amounts)(enter all amount as positive numbers)	100000000000000000000000000000000000000	anding at prior year*		d during /ear		ed during /ear		anding at ar-end
	General obligation bonds	\$	-	\$		\$		\$	
	Revenue bonds	\$	= 5 <del>1</del> 6	\$	-	\$	1-2	\$	
	Notes/Loans	\$	040	\$	-	\$	-	\$	1110-R01
	Lease Liabilities	\$		\$	i i i	\$	3-0	\$	
	Developer Advances	\$		\$		\$	11-	\$	-
	Other (specify):	\$	0.00	\$	12,0	\$	13.	\$	
	TOTAL	\$	0.0	\$	1-1-	\$	- 13	\$	- 3
		1 111 112	e to prior ye	ar endir	ng balance	,			
	Please answer the following questions by marking the appropriate boxe	s.				_ 0	Yes	- 1	No
4-5	Does the entity have any authorized, but unissued, debt?  How much?	\$	2	00.000	0,000.00	1	7		
If yes:	Date the debt was authorized:	9	5/5/2		0,000.00	1			
4-6	Does the entity intend to issue debt within the next calenda	r voor?	3/3/2	020		J			7
	How much?	\$				1			
If yes: 4-7	Does the entity have debt that has been refinanced that it is		nonciblo	for?		J	П		v
If yes:	What is the amount outstanding?	\$	polisible	101 :		1			
4-8	Does the entity have any lease agreements?	Ψ				J	П		7
If yes:	What is being leased?					1	_		
, 00.	What is the original date of the lease?					]			
	Number of years of lease?					]			_
	Is the lease subject to annual appropriation?								✓
	What are the annual lease payments?  Please use this space to provide an	\$			-				

	Please provide the entity's cash deposit and investment balances.			ount		Total
5-1	YEAR-END Total of ALL Checking and Savings Accounts		\$	- 9		
-2	Certificates of deposit		\$	-9		
	Total Cash Deposits				\$	
	Investments (if investment is a mutual fund, please list underlying investments):					
			\$			
-3			\$	7	1	
•			\$	- 3	1	
			\$	1.70	-	
	Total Investments				\$	
	Total Cash and Investments		4		\$	500
	Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate boxes	Yes		No		N/A
-4	Are the entity's Investments legal in accordance with Section 24-75-601, et. seq., C.R.S.?	□ □	Г	]		
-5	Are the entity's deposits in an eligible (Public Deposit Protection Act) public depository (Section 11-10.5-101, et seq. C.R.S.)?	Ø	Ē	1		

	PART 6 - CAPITAL AND R		T-TO-U	SE A	SSE	ETS			
	Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate bo	xes.					es		No
6-1	Does the entity have capital assets?						]		7
6-2	Has the entity performed an annual inventory of capital asse 29-1-506, C.R.S.,? If no, MUST explain:	ts in a	ccordance	with Se	ction	[2 ]	]		
				A -1 -1'4'	- (84				
6-3	Complete the following capital & right-to-use assets table:		Balance - nning of the year*	Addition be inclu Par	ıded in		etions		ar-End lance
	Land	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
	Buildings	\$	-	\$	-	\$		\$	-
	Machinery and equipment Furniture and fixtures	\$	12	\$	-	\$		\$	-
	Infrastructure	\$		\$		\$	1.20	\$	
	Construction In Progress (CIP)	\$		\$		\$		\$	-,2,,
	Leased Right-to-Use Assets	\$		\$		\$	190	\$	-12
	Other (explain):	\$	-	\$	2.00	\$	-2.	\$	
	Accumulated Depreciation/Amortization	100		-				-	
	(Please enter a negative, or credit, balance)	\$	-50	\$	17	\$	3	\$	
	TOTAL	\$		\$	-,-	\$	7.49	\$	-
	Please use this space to provide any	expla	nations or	comme	nts:				
7-1 7-2 If yes:	Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate bo Does the entity have an "old hire" firefighters' pension plan? Does the entity have a volunteer firefighters' pension plan? Who administers the plan? Indicate the contributions from:  Tax (property, SO, sales, etc.): State contribution amount: Other (gifts, donations, etc.): TOTAL  What is the monthly benefit paid for 20 years of service per 11?  Please use this space to provide any	retiree	20.7	\$ \$ \$ \$	nts:				3
	PART 8 - BUDGET		ORMA						4.0
8-1	Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate bo Did the entity file a budget with the Department of Local Affa		tho	Ye	S		No	_	N/A
0-1	current year in accordance with Section 29-1-113 C.R.S.?	all'S 10	the				I	I	
	current year in accordance with Section 25-1-113 C.N.S.?								
8-2	Did the entity pass an appropriations resolution, in accordar 29-1-108 C.R.S.? If no, MUST explain:	nce wi	th Section	ı Ø			Ó	ĺ	
If yes:	Please indicate the amount budgeted for each fund for the y	ear re	ported:						
	Governmental/Proprietary Fund Name General Fund	\$	tal Appropria	tions By	Fund 8,484	]			
	Debt Service Fund	\$			33,340	]			

	PART 9 - TAXPAYER'S BILL OF RIGHTS (TAB	OR)	
	Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box	Yes	No
9-1	Is the entity in compliance with all the provisions of TABOR [State Constitution, Article X, Section 20(5)]?  Note: An election to exempt the government from the spending limitations of TABOR does not exempt the government from the 3 percent emergency reserve requirement. All governments should determine if they meet this requirement of TABOR.	4	
f no, MI	JST explain:		
	PART 10 - GENERAL INFORMATION		
	Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate boxes.	Yes	No
	Is this application for a newly formed governmental entity?	П	Ø
10-1		_	_
If yes:	Date of formation:		
10-2	Has the entity changed its name in the past or current year?		7
If yes:	Please list the NEW name & PRIOR name:		
40.2	Le the cutifus a material aliabatica?	V	
10-3	Is the entity a metropolitan district?  Please indicate what services the entity provides:	3	
	Street, Parks & rec, water, sanitation, transportation, mosquito control, fire and safety protection, television relay, security		
10-4	Does the entity have an agreement with another government to provide services?		v
If yes:	List the name of the other governmental entity and the services provided:	_	_
10-5	Has the district filed a Title 32, Article 1 Special District Notice of Inactive Status during		✓
If yes:	Date Filed:		
40.0	Dans the service have a service of Mill Land	7	
10-6	Does the entity have a certified Mill Levy?	ŭ	
If yes:	Please provide the following <u>mills</u> levied for the year reported (do not report \$ amounts):		
	Bond Redemption mills		55.664
	General/Other mills		15.105
	Total mills		70.769
	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:		

	PART 11 - GOVERNING BODY APPROVAL							
	Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box	YES	NO					
12-1	If you plan to submit this form electronically, have you read the new Electronic Signature Policy?	J						

## Office of the State Auditor — Local Government Division - Exemption Form Electronic Signatures Policy and Procedure

## **Policy - Requirements**

The Office of the State Auditor Local Government Audit Division may accept an electronic submission of an application for exemption from audit that includes governing board signatures obtained through a program such as Docusign or Echosign. Required elements and safeguards are as follows:

- The preparer of the application is responsible for obtaining board signatures that comply with the requirement in Section 29-1-604 (3), C.R.S., that states the application shall be personally reviewed, approved, and signed by a majority of the members of the governing body.
- The application must be accompanied by the signature history document created by the electronic signature software. The signature history document must show when the document was created and when the document was emailed to the various parties, and include the dates the individual board members signed the document. The signature history must also show the individuals' email addresses and IP address.
- Office of the State Auditor staff will not coordinate obtaining signatures.

The application for exemption from audit form created by our office includes a section for governing body approval. Local governing boards note their approval and submit the application through one of the following three methods:

- 1) Submit the application in hard copy via the US Mail including original signatures.
- 2) Submit the application electronically via email and either,
- a. Include a copy of an adopted resolution that documents formal approval by the Board, or
- b. Include electronic signatures obtained through a software program such as Docusign or Echosign in accordance with the requirements noted above.

	Print the names of ALL members of current governing body below.	A <u>MAJORITY</u> of the members of the governing body must complete and sign in the column below.
Board	Print Board Member's Name	IAndrew Biggs, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for
Member 1	Andrew Biggs	exemption from audit. Signed Date:May 2023
Board	Print Board Member's Name	IJoseph DesJardin, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for
Member 2	Joseph DesJardin	exemption from audit. Signed Jusqu'dit. Ton Jundim Date: Mar 27, 2023 My term Expires:May 2023
Daniel	Print Board Member's Name	ITamrin Apaydin, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for
Board Member 3	Tamrin Apaydin	exemption from audit. Signed Table 100 12 100 11 100 100 11 100 100 11 100 100
Board	Print Board Member's Name	IJerry D. Biggs, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for
Member 4	Jerry D. Biggs	exemption from audit. Signed Guy Migra Date: Mar 22, 2023 My term Expires:May 2025
Board	Print Board Member's Name	ICharlie Williams, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for
Member 5	Charlie Williams	exemption from audit. Signed Date:May 2025
Board	Print Board Member's Name	I, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for
Member 6		exemption from audit. Signed Date: My term Expires:
Board Member 7	Print Board Member's Name	I

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## **APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM AUDIT**

## SHORT FORM

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ADDRESS	c/o Icenogle Seaver Pogue	12/31/22					
	4725 South Monaco Street, Suite 360		or fiscal year ended:				
	Denver, CO 80237		]				
CONTACT PERSON	Jennifer Ivey						
PHONE	303-282-9100						
EMAIL	Jivey@isp-law.com						
	PART 1 - CERTIFICATIO	N OF PREPARER					
I certify that I am skilled in go	vernmental accounting and that the information	ation in the application is comple	ete and accurate, to the best of				
my knowledge.	· ·		·				
NAME:	Diane Wheeler						
TITLE	District Accountant						
FIRM NAME (if applicable)	Simmons & Wheeler, P.C.						
ADDRESS	304 Inverness Way South, Suite 490, E	nglewood CO 80112					
PHONE	303-689-0833						
DATE PREPARED	3/21/2023						
PREPARER (SIGNATE	JRE REQUIRED)						
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2-18	Proceeds from sale of capi	tal assets		\$ -	
2-19	Fire and police pension			\$ -	
2-20	Donations			\$ -	
2-21	Other (specify):			\$ -	
2-22				\$ -	
2-23				\$ -	
2-24		(add lines 2-1 through 2-23)	TOTAL REVENUE	\$	115

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3-19	Repayment of Developer Advance Principal (should agree with line	e 4-4)	\$ -		
3-20	Repayment of Developer Advance Interest		\$ -		
3-21	Contribution to pension plan (should agree to line	e 7-2)	\$ -		
3-22	Contribution to Fire & Police Pension Assoc. (should agree to line	e 7-2)	\$ -		
3-23	Other (specify):Miscellaneous	L			
3-24			\$ -		
3-25			\$ -		
3-26	(add lines 3-1 through 3-24) TOTAL EXPENDITURES/EXPENS	SES	\$	2	

If TOTAL REVENUE (Line 2-24) or TOTAL EXPENDITURES (Line 3-26) are GREATER than \$100,000 - <u>STOP</u>. You may not use this form. Please use the "Application for Exemption from Audit -<u>LONG FORM</u>".

	Please answer the following questions by marking the	e appropri	ate boxes.				Yes		No
4-1						1			J
4-2	If Yes, please attach a copy of the entity's Debt Repayment Is the debt repayment schedule attached? If no. MUST explain		е.			1	П.	C	7
7.2	N/A	alli.					7	10	3
4-3	Is the entity current in its debt service payments? If no, MUS	ST avala	in:			J	7	Ť	
4-5	N/A	от ехріа				'			
4-4	Please complete the following debt schedule, if applicable:	Outsta	anding at	Issue	d during	Retire	ed during	Outsta	anding at
	(please only include principal amounts)(enter all amount as positive numbers)	100000000000000000000000000000000000000	prior year*	1000000	year		year	20000000	ar-end
	General obligation bonds	\$	-	\$	-	\$		\$	
	Revenue bonds	\$	- 5 <del>1</del> 6	\$	1-7	\$	1-2	\$	-
	Notes/Loans	\$	040	\$	-	\$	1-	\$	-
	Lease Liabilities	\$		\$	- P	\$	1-0	\$	
	Developer Advances	\$		\$		\$	14	\$	-
	Other (specify):	\$	0.00	\$	12.0	\$	1,2,	\$	
	TOTAL	\$		\$	1-1-1	\$	- 12	\$	1.20
		*must ti	ie to prior ye	ar endi	ng balance	-		10.00	
10.0	Please answer the following questions by marking the appropriate boxe	es.			*	- 1	Yes	- 11	No
4-5	Does the entity have any authorized, but unissued, debt?	-				,	V		
If yes:	How much?	\$			0,000.00	Į			
	Date the debt was authorized:		5/5/2	020		J			_
4-6						7			
If yes:	·					_			
4-7	loes the entity have debt that has been refinanced that it is still responsible for?				,			4	
If yes:	3	hat is the amount outstanding?				J			
4-8	Does the entity have any lease agreements?					1			4
If yes:	What is being leased? What is the original date of the lease?					1			
	Number of years of lease?					1			
	Is the lease subject to annual appropriation?					J			4
	What are the annual lease payments?	\$			-	]			
	Please use this space to provide an		ations or	comm	nents:				

	Please provide the entity's cash deposit and investment balances.		An	nount		otal
5-1	YEAR-END Total of ALL Checking and Savings Accounts		\$	- 9		
5-2	Certificates of deposit		\$			
	Total Cash Deposits				\$	
	Investments (if investment is a mutual fund, please list underlying investments):					
			\$			
5-3			\$			
0 0			\$	- 2	1	
			\$	-		
	Total Investments				\$	
	Total Cash and Investments		4		\$	
	Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate boxes	Yes		No		N/A
5-4	Are the entity's Investments legal in accordance with Section 24-75-601, et. seq., C.R.S.?		E	]	[	]
5-5	Are the entity's deposits in an eligible (Public Deposit Protection Act) public depository (Section 11-10.5-101, et seq. C.R.S.)?	Ø	Ĺ	]	Ī	

	PART 6 - CAPITAL AND		-TO-U	SE A	SSE				
	Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate	boxes.				Yes	•		No T
6-1	Does the entity have capital assets?							L	<b>√</b>
6-2	Has the entity performed an annual inventory of capital as 29-1-506, C.R.S.,? If no, MUST explain:	ssets in ac	cordance	with Sec	tion	☑ I		[	
				A . L . L'	/B#				
6-3	Complete the following capital & right-to-use assets table:	beginı	lance - ning of the /ear*	Additions be include Part	ded in	Deleti	ons		r-End ance
	Land	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
	Buildings Machinery and equipment	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	
	Furniture and fixtures	\$	1.5	\$	in t	\$	- J-L	\$	
	Infrastructure	\$		\$	-	\$	1.20	\$	
	Construction In Progress (CIP)	\$		\$	10.	\$		\$	-,2,,
	Leased Right-to-Use Assets	\$	-	\$	-	\$	190	\$	-14
	Other (explain):	\$		\$	0.2,000	\$	er 2,	\$	-121
	Accumulated Depreciation/Amortization	V							
	(Please enter a negative, or credit, balance)	\$	-	\$	(7	\$	1.7	\$	-
	TOTAL Please use this space to provide:	\$		\$	, <del>-</del>	\$	7,4	\$	-
7-1 7-2 If yes:	PART 7 - PENSIO  Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate Does the entity have an "old hire" firefighters' pension plan Does the entity have a volunteer firefighters' pension plan Who administers the plan? Indicate the contributions from:  Tax (property, SO, sales, etc.): State contribution amount: Other (gifts, donations, etc.):  TOTAL  What is the monthly benefit paid for 20 years of service por 12.	boxes, an? 1? er retiree a	s of Jan	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$		Yes	•		
	PART 8 - BUDGE		ORMA'						
8-1	Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate Did the entity file a budget with the Department of Local A		he	Yes		No			I/A
0-1	current year in accordance with Section 29-1-113 C.R.S.?		ine						1
8-2	Did the entity pass an appropriations resolution, in accor 29-1-108 C.R.S.? If no, MUST explain:	dance with	Section					С	1
If yes:	Please indicate the amount budgeted for each fund for th	e year repo	orted:						
	Governmental/Proprietary Fund Name General Fund	Tota	I Appropria	tions By F	und 2,344				

	PART 9 - TAXPAYER'S BILL OF RIGHTS (TAB	OR)		
	Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box	Yes	No	
9-1	Is the entity in compliance with all the provisions of TABOR [State Constitution, Article X, Section 20(5)]?  Note: An election to exempt the government from the spending limitations of TABOR does not exempt the government from the 3 percent emergency reserve requirement. All governments should determine if they meet this requirement of TABOR.	4		
l no, MI	UST explain:			
	PART 10 - GENERAL INFORMATION			
	Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate boxes.	Yes	No	
100	Is this application for a newly formed governmental entity?	П	v	
10-1		_		
If yes:	Date of formation:			
10-2	Has the entity changed its name in the past or current year?		✓	
If yes:	Please list the NEW name & PRIOR name:			
40.0	Le the entitle a material little district			
10-3	Is the entity a metropolitan district?	7		
	Please indicate what services the entity provides:  Street, Parks & rec, water, sanitation, transportation, mosquito control, fire and safety			
10-4	Does the entity have an agreement with another government to provide services?		v	
If yes:	List the name of the other governmental entity and the services provided:			
,				
10-5	Has the district filed a Title 32, Article 1 Special District Notice of Inactive Status during		✓	
If yes:	Date Filed:			
10-6	Does the entity have a certified Mill Levy?	<b>✓</b>		
If yes:	Please provide the following mills levied for the year reported (do not report \$ amounts):			
	Bond Redemption mills		_	
	General/Other mills		15.105	
	Total mills		15.105	
	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:			

	PART 11 - GOVERNING BODY APPROVAL					
	Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box	YES	NO			
12-1	If you plan to submit this form electronically, have you read the new Electronic Signature Policy?	V				

## Office of the State Auditor — Local Government Division - Exemption Form Electronic Signatures Policy and Procedure

## **Policy - Requirements**

The Office of the State Auditor Local Government Audit Division may accept an electronic submission of an application for exemption from audit that includes governing board signatures obtained through a program such as Docusign or Echosign. Required elements and safeguards are as follows:

- The preparer of the application is responsible for obtaining board signatures that comply with the requirement in Section 29-1-604 (3), C.R.S., that states the application shall be personally reviewed, approved, and signed by a majority of the members of the governing body.
- The application must be accompanied by the signature history document created by the electronic signature software. The signature history document must show when the document was created and when the document was emailed to the various parties, and include the dates the individual board members signed the document. The signature history must also show the individuals' email addresses and IP address.
- Office of the State Auditor staff will not coordinate obtaining signatures.

The application for exemption from audit form created by our office includes a section for governing body approval. Local governing boards note their approval and submit the application through one of the following three methods:

- 1) Submit the application in hard copy via the US Mail including original signatures.
- 2) Submit the application electronically via email and either,
- a. Include a copy of an adopted resolution that documents formal approval by the Board, or
- b. Include electronic signatures obtained through a software program such as Docusign or Echosign in accordance with the requirements noted above.

	Print the names of ALL members of current governing body below.	A <u>MAJORITY</u> of the members of the governing body must complete and sign in the column below.
Board	Print Board Member's Name	IAndrew Biggs, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for
Member 1	Andrew Biggs	exemption from audit. Signed Date:May 2023
Board	Print Board Member's Name	IJoseph DesJardin, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for
Member 2	Joseph DesJardin	exemption from audit. Signed Jusqu' Ton Juntum Date: Mar 27, 2023 My term Expires:May 2023
	Print Board Member's Name	ITamrin Apaydin, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for
Board Member 3	Tamrin Apaydin	exemption from audit. Signed To the Land Land Land Land Land Land Land Land
Board	Print Board Member's Name	IJerry D. Biggs, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for
Member 4	Jerry D. Biggs	exemption from audit. Signed Gray Difference: Date: Mar 22, 2023 My term Expires:May 2025
Board	Print Board Member's Name	ICharlie Williams, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for
Member 5	Charlie Williams	exemption from audit. Signed Date:May 2025
Daniel	Print Board Member's Name	I, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for
Board Member 6		exemption from audit. Signed Date: My term Expires:
Board Member 7	Print Board Member's Name	I

# Winsome 4

#### Interim Agreement Report

2023-03-28

Created: 2023-03-22

By: Diane Wheeler (diane@simmonswheeler.com)

Status: Out for Signature

Transaction ID: CBJCHBCAABAAW-GG10ACbHR8TmfCnAAjrWZgZWrUpING

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Financial Statements

Year Ended December 31, 2022

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Independent Auditor's Report

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Board of Directors Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 El Paso County, Colorado

#### Independent Auditor's Report

#### **Opinions**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 (the "District"), as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements, as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and each major fund of Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 as of December 31, 2022, and the respective changes in financial position and the respective budgetary comparison for the general fund for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **Basis for Opinions**

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the District and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

#### Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP), and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the District's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.

Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.

Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.

Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the District's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control—related matters that we identified during the audit.

#### **Other Matters**

# **Required Supplemental Information**

Management has omitted the management's discussion and analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States require to be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such missing information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. Our opinions on the basic financial statements are not affected by this missing information.

#### Supplemental Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's financial statements as a whole. The supplemental information as listed in the table of contents is presented for the purposes of legal compliance and additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. The supplemental information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States. In our opinion, such information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Wipfli LLP

Lakewood, Colorado

Wippei LLP

December 20, 2023

# BALANCE SHEET/STATEMENT OF NET POSITION GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS December 31, 2022

AGGETTS	<u>G</u>	eneral		Debt <u>Service</u>		Capital Projects		<u>Total</u>	Adjustments	Statement of Net Position
ASSETS  Cash and investments - restricted	\$	_	\$	9	\$	1,949,363	\$	1,949,372	\$ -	\$ 1,949,372
Receivable - County Treasurer	2	-	Ф	84	Э	1,949,303	Ф	1,949,372	<b>5</b> -	\$ 1,949,372 84
Property taxes receivable		2,412		9,125		_		11,537	_	11,537
Receivable from District #2		2,712		33,734		_		33,734	_	33,734
Capital assets not being depreciated		-		-		-		-	6,923,967	6,923,967
Total Assets	\$	2,412	\$	42,952	\$	1,949,363	\$	1,994,727	6,923,967	8,918,694
LIABILITIES										
Due to District No. 1	\$	_	\$	19,594	\$	12,579	\$	32,173	-	32,173
Accrued interest		_		_		_		_	664,120	664,120
Long-term liabilities:										
Due in more than one year			_		_				9,249,791	9,249,791
Total Liabilities		<u> </u>		19,594	_	12,579		32,173	9,913,911	9,946,084
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES										
Deferred property taxes		2,412		9,125				11,537		11,537
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources		2,412	_	9,125	_		_	11,537		11,537
FUND BALANCES/NET POSITION Fund Balances: Restricted:										
Emergencies		68		_		_		68	(68)	-
Debt service		-		14,233		=		14,233	(14,233)	-
Capital projects		-		-		1,936,784		1,936,784	(1,936,784)	-
Unassigned		(68)			_			(68)	68	
Total Fund Balances		<u> </u>	_	14,233	_	1,936,784		1,951,017	(1,951,017)	
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Fund Balances	\$	2,412	\$	42,952	\$	1,949,363	\$	1,994,727		
Net Position: Net investment in capital assets									(2,325,824)	(2,325,824)
Restricted for:										
Emergencies									68	68
Debt service									(649,887)	(649,887)
Unrestricted									1,936,716	1,936,716
Total Net Position									\$ (1,038,927)	\$ (1,038,927)

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES/STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES ${\bf GOVERNMENTAL\ FUNDS}$

For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

	<u>General</u>	Debt <u>Service</u>	Capital <u>Projects</u>	<u>Total</u>	Adjustments	Statement of Activities
EXPENDITURES						
Capital improvements	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,137,305	\$ 2,137,305	\$ (2,137,305)	\$ -
Treasurer's fees	32	117	-	149	-	149
Bond interest expense	-	28,000	-	28,000	447,755	475,755
Transfer to District No. 1	2,304	-	12,579	14,883	-	14,883
Repay developer advances			2,137,305	2,137,305	(2,137,305)	
Total Expenditures	2,336	28,117	4,287,189	4,317,642	(3,826,855)	490,787
GENERAL REVENUES						
Property taxes	2,116	7,796	-	9,912	-	9,912
Specific ownership taxes	220	811	-	1,031	-	1,031
Interest and other income	-	9	40,505	40,514	-	40,514
Transfer from District No. 2		33,734		33,734		33,734
Total General Revenues	2,336	42,350	40,505	85,191		85,191
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES						
OVER EXPENDITURES	-	14,233	(4,246,684)	(4,232,451)	3,826,855	(405,596)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)						
Developer advances			2,137,305	2,137,305	(2,137,305)	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)			2,137,305	2,137,305	(2,137,305)	
NET CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES	-	14,233	(2,109,379)	(2,095,146)	2,095,146	
CHANGE IN NET POSITION					(405,596)	(405,596)
FUND BALANCES/NET POSITION:						
BEGINNING OF YEAR			4,046,163	4,046,163	(4,679,494)	(633,331)
END OF YEAR	\$ -	\$ 14,233	\$ 1,936,784	\$ 1,951,017	\$ (2,989,944)	\$ (1,038,927)

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND

For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

			Variance
	Original & Fina	1	Favorable
	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	(Unfavorable)
REVENUES			
Property taxes	\$ 2,116	\$ 2,116	\$ -
Specific ownership taxes	678	220	(458)
Total Revenues	2,794	2,336	(458)
EXPENDITURES			
Insurance	2,449	-	2,449
Miscellaneous expenses	20	-	20
Treasurer's fees	40	32	8
Transfer to District #1	217	2,304	(2,087)
Emergency reserve	68		68
Total Expenditures	2,794	2,336	458
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	-	-	-
FUND BALANCE:			
BEGINNING OF YEAR	-	-	-
END OF YEAR	<u>\$</u>	\$ -	\$ -

# Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2022

# Note 1: <u>Summary of Significant Accounting Policies</u>

The accounting policies of the Winsome Metropolitan District No. 3 ("District"), located in the in El Paso County ("County"), Colorado, conform to the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP") as applicable to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The following is a summary of the more significant policies consistently applied in the preparation of financial statements.

# **Definition of Reporting Entity**

The District was organized on May 13, 2020, as a quasi-municipal organization established under the State of Colorado Special District Act. The District and Winsome Metropolitan District No. 2 ("District No. 2" and, together with the District, the "Districts"), Winsome Metropolitan District No. 1 ("District No. 1") and Winsome Metropolitan District No. 4 ("District No. 4" and together with the Districts and District No. 1, the "Winsome Districts") were organized as special districts pursuant to the Service Plan for Winsome Metropolitan District Nos. 1-4 (the "Service Plan") approved on July 23, 2019, by the Board of County Commissioners of the County (the "Board of County Commissioners"), for the primary purpose of financing the construction of the improvements approved in the Service Plan (the "Public Improvements") and at the Elections, as well as covenant enforcement and design review, ongoing service and maintenance of stormwater facilities open space, trails, noxious weeds and mosquito control. The District's primary sources of revenues are property taxes and bond proceeds. The District is governed by an elected Board of Directors.

As required by GAAP, these financial statements present the activities of the District, which is legally separate and financially independent of other state and local governments. The District follows the GASB pronouncements, which provide guidance for determining which governmental activities, organizations and functions should be included within the financial reporting entity. GASB sets forth the financial accountability of a governmental organization's elected governing body as the basic criterion for including a possible component governmental organization in a primary government's legal entity. Financial accountability includes, but is not limited to, appointment of a voting majority of the organization's governing body, ability to impose its will on the organization, a potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits or burdens and fiscal dependency. The pronouncements also require including a possible component unit if it would be misleading to exclude it.

The District is not financially accountable for any other organization. The District has no component units as defined by the GASB.

The District has no employees and all operations and administrative functions are contracted.

# Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2022

# **Basis of Presentation**

The accompanying financial statements are presented per GASB Statement No. 34 - Special Purpose Governments.

The government-wide financial statements (i.e. the governmental funds balance sheet/statement of net position and the governmental funds statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances/statement of activities) report information on all of the governmental activities of the District. The statement of net position reports all financial and capital resources of the District. The difference between the (a) assets and deferred outflows of resources and the (b) liabilities and deferred inflows of resources of the District is reported as net position. The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which expenditures/expenses of the governmental funds are supported by general revenues. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct and indirect expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. *Direct expenses* are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. *Program revenues* include 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as *general revenues*.

Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

#### Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the *economic resources* measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of the related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are collected.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the *current financial resources* measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the District considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. The material sources of revenue subject to accrual are property taxes and interest. Expenditures, other than interest on long-term obligations, are recorded when the liability is incurred or the long-term obligation is paid.

# Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2022

The District reports the following major governmental funds:

General Fund - The General Fund is the general operating fund of the District. It is used to account for all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund.

Debt Service Fund – The Debt Service Fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources for, and the payment of, general long-term debt principal, interest and related costs.

Capital Projects Fund – The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for all financial resources that are restricted, committed or assigned to expenditures for capital outlays, including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other assets.

#### **Budgetary Accounting**

Budgets are adopted on a non-GAAP basis for the governmental funds. In accordance with the State Budget Law of Colorado, the District's Board of Directors holds public hearings in the fall of each year to approve the budget and appropriate the funds for the ensuing year. The District's Board of Directors can modify the budget by line item within the total appropriation without notification. The appropriation can only be modified upon completion of notification and publication requirements. The budget includes each fund on its basis of accounting unless otherwise indicated. The appropriation is at the total fund expenditures level and lapses at year end.

# Assets, Liabilities and Net Position

# Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The District's financial instruments include cash and investments, accounts receivable and accounts payable. The District estimates that the fair value of all financial instruments at December 31, 2022, does not differ materially from the aggregate carrying values of its financial instruments recorded in the accompanying balance sheet. The carrying amount of these financial instruments approximates fair value because of the short maturity of these instruments.

#### Deposits and Investments

The District's cash and short-term investments with maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition are considered to be cash on hand.

The District follows the practice of pooling cash and investments of all funds to maximize investment earnings. Except when required by trust or other agreements, all cash is deposited to and disbursed from a minimum number of bank accounts. Cash in excess of immediate operating requirements is pooled for deposit and investment flexibility. Investment earnings are allocated periodically to the participating funds based upon each fund's average equity balance in the total cash.

# Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2022

#### Estimates

The preparation of these financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires the District management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, *deferred outflows of resources*, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The District has no items that qualify for reporting in this category.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, *deferred inflows of resources*, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The District has one item that qualifies for reporting in this category. Deferred property taxes are deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period that the amounts become available.

# Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment and infrastructure assets (e.g. roads, bridges, sidewalks, and similar items), are reported in the applicable governmental activities columns in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. Such assets are recorded at historical or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at acquisition value at the date of donation. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the assets or materially extend the life of the asset are not capitalized. Improvements are capitalized and depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the related capital assets, as applicable using the straight-line method. Depreciation on property that will remain assets of the District is reported on the Statement of Activities as a current charge. Improvements that will be conveyed to other governmental entities are classified as construction in progress and are not depreciated. Land and certain landscaping improvements are not depreciated.

# Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2022

# **Property Taxes**

Property taxes are levied by the District's Board of Directors. The levy is based on assessed valuations determined by the County Assessor generally as of January 1 of each year. The levy is normally set by December 15 by certification to the County Commissioners to put the tax lien on the individual properties as of January 1 of the following year. The County Treasurer collects the determined taxes during the ensuing calendar year. The taxes are payable by April 30 or if in equal installments, at the taxpayers' election, in February and June. Delinquent taxpayers are notified in July or August and the sales of the resultant tax liens on delinquent properties are generally held in November or December. The County Treasurer remits the taxes collected monthly to the District.

Property taxes, net of estimated uncollectible taxes, are recorded initially as deferred inflows in the year they are levied and measurable since they are not normally available nor are they budgeted as a resource until the subsequent year. The deferred property taxes are recorded as revenue in the subsequent year when they are available or collected.

#### **Long-Term Obligations**

In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities.

#### Fund Equity

Fund balance of governmental funds is reported in various categories based on the nature of any limitations requiring the use of resources for specific purposes. Because circumstances differ among governments, not every government or every governmental fund will present all of these components. The following classifications make the nature and extent of the constraints placed on a government's fund balance more transparent:

# Nonspendable Fund Balance

Nonspendable fund balance includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either not spendable in form (such as inventory or prepaids) or are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

#### Restricted Fund Balance

The restricted fund balance includes amounts restricted for a specific purpose by external parties such as grantors, bondholders, constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

The restricted fund balance in the General Fund represents Emergency Reserves that have been provided as required by Article X, Section 20 of the Constitution of the State of Colorado. A total of \$68 of the General Fund balance has been reserved in compliance with this requirement.

The restricted fund balance in the Debt Service Fund in the amount of \$14,233 is restricted for the payment of debt service costs relating to the Series 2021A Bonds.

# Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2022

The restricted fund balance in the Capital Projects Fund in the amount of \$1,936,784 is restricted for the payment of the costs for capital improvements within the District.

#### Committed Fund Balance

The portion of fund balance that can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by a formal action of the government's highest level of decision-making authority, the Board of Directors. The constraint may be removed or changed only through formal action of the Board of Directors.

#### Assigned Fund Balance

Assigned fund balance includes amounts the District intends to use for a specific purpose. Intent can be expressed by the District's Board of Directors or by an official or body to which the Board of Directors delegates the authority.

#### **Unassigned Fund Balance**

Unassigned fund balance includes amounts that are available for any purpose. Positive amounts are reported only in the General Fund, all funds can report negative amounts.

#### **Net Position**

Net Position represents the difference between assets and deferred outflows of resources less liabilities and deferred inflows of resources. The District can report three categories of net position, as follows:

Net investment in capital assets – consists of net capital assets, reduced by outstanding balances of any related debt obligations and deferred inflows of resources attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets and increased by balances of deferred outflows of resources related to those assets.

Restricted net position – net position is considered restricted if their use is constrained to a particular purpose. Restrictions are imposed by external organizations such as federal or state laws. Restricted net position is reduced by liabilities and deferred inflows of resources related to the restricted assets.

Unrestricted net position – consists of all other net position that does not meet the definition of the above two components and is available for general use by the District.

When an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position are available, the District will use the most restrictive net position first.

# Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2022

# Note 2: <u>Cash and investments</u>

As of December 31, 2022, cash is classified in the accompanying financial statements as follows: Statement of Net Position:

Cash and investments - restricted  $$\frac{1,949,372}{$1,949,372}$$ 

Cash and investments as of December 31, 2022, consist of the following:

Investments – COLOTRUST \$ 1,949,372 \$ 1,949,372

#### **Deposits**

# Custodial Credit Risk

The Colorado Public Deposit Protection Act, ("PDPA") requires that all units of local government deposit cash in eligible public depositories. State regulators determine eligibility. Amounts on deposit in excess of federal insurance levels must be collateralized. The eligible collateral is determined by the PDPA. PDPA allows the institution to create a single collateral pool for all public funds. The pool is to be maintained by another institution or held in trust for all the uninsured public deposits as a group. The market value of the collateral must be at least equal to 102% of the aggregate uninsured deposits. The State Commissioners for banks and financial services are required by statute to monitor the naming of eligible depositories and reporting of the uninsured deposits and assets maintained in the collateral pools.

The District follows state statutes for deposits. The District had no deposits at December 31, 2022.

#### **Investments**

#### Credit Risk

The District has not adopted a formal investment policy; however, the District follows state statutes regarding investments. Colorado statutes specify the types of investments meeting defined rating and risk criteria in which local governments may invest. These investments include obligations of the United States and certain U.S. Government agency entities, certain money market funds, guaranteed investment contracts, and local government investment pools.

#### Custodial and Concentration of Credit Risk

None of the District's investments are subject to custodial or concentration of credit risk.

# **Interest Rate Risk**

Colorado revised statutes limit investment maturities to five years or less unless formally approved by the Board of Directors.

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# **Investment Valuation**

Certain investments are measured at fair value within the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical assets; Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs; Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs. The District's investment in COLOTRUST is not required to be categorized within the fair value hierarchy. This investment's value is calculated using the net asset value method (NAV) per share.

As of December 31, 2022, the District had the following investment:

#### **COLOTRUST**

The local government investment pool, Colorado Local Government Liquid Asset Trust ("COLOTRUST") is rated AAAm by Standard & Poor's with a weighted average maturity of under 60 days. COLOTRUST is an investment trust/joint venture established for local government entities in Colorado to pool surplus funds. The State Securities Commissioner administers and enforces all State statutes governing the COLOTRUST. COLOTRUST records its investments at fair value and the District records its investment in COLOTRUST using the net asset value method. COLOTRUST operates similarly to a money market fund with each share maintaining a value of \$1.00. The COLOTRUST offers shares in three portfolios, one of which is COLOTRUST PLUS+. COLOTRUST PLUS+ may invest in U.S. Treasuries, government agencies, the highest-rated commercial paper, certain corporate securities, certain money market funds, and certain repurchase agreements, and limits its investments to those allowed by State statutes. Purchases and redemptions are available daily at a net asset value (NAV) of \$1.00. A designated custodial bank provides safekeeping and depository services to COLOTRUST in connection with the direct investment and withdrawal function of COLOTRUST. The custodian's internal records identify the investments owned by participating governments. There are no unfunded commitments and there is no redemption notice period. At December 31, 2022, the District had \$1,949,372 invested in COLOTRUST Plus+.

# Note 3: Capital Assets

An analysis of the changes in capital assets for the year ended December 31, 2022, follows:

	Balance			Balance
Governmental Type Activities:	1/1/2022	Additions	Deletions	12/31/2022
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Construction in progress	\$4,706,148	\$ 2,217,819	\$ -	\$ 6,923,967
Total capital assets not being depreciated	4,706,148	2,217,819		6,923,967
Government type assets, net	\$4,706,148	\$ 2,217,819	\$ -	\$ 6,923,967

# Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2022

# Note 4: Long Term Debt

A description of the long-term obligations as of December 31, 2022, is as follows:

\$9,069,000 Limited Tax General Obligation Limited Tax Cash Flow Bonds, Series 2021A<sub>3</sub> On July 14, 2021, the District issued \$9,069,000 Limited Tax General Obligation Limited Tax Cash Flow Bonds, Series 2021A<sub>3</sub> ("Series 2021A Bonds"). The Series 2021A Bonds were issued for the purpose of paying a portion of the Project Costs, and paying the cost of issuance of the Series 2021A Bonds. The Series 2021A Bonds bear interest at the rate of 5.125%, payable annually on December 1, commencing on December 1, 2021 to the extent Pledged Revenue is available. The Series 2021A Bonds mature on December 1, 2050. The Series 2021A Bonds are subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the District, as a whole or in integral multiples of \$1,000, in any order of maturity and in whole or partial maturities, commencing on September 1, 2026, upon payment of par, accrued interest, and a redemption premium that ranges between 0% and 3%.

The 2021A bonds are "cash flow" bonds meaning that no regularly scheduled principal payments are due prior to the maturity date, and interest not paid will accrue and compound until there is sufficient Pledged Revenue for payment. In the event any amounts due and owing on the 2021A Bonds remain outstanding on December 2, 2060, such amounts shall be deemed discharged and shall no longer be due and outstanding.

The Series 2021A Bonds are secured by the Required Mill Levy, the Pledged Fees, the portion of the Specific Ownership Tax which is collected as a result of the Required Mill Levy, and any other legally available moneys as determined by the District.

Because of the uncertainty of the timing of the principal and interest payment on the Series 2021A Bonds, no schedule of principal and interest payments is presented.

# Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2022

The following is an analysis of changes in long-term debt for the year ending December 31, 2022:

	Restated					
	Balance		Balance	Current		
	1/1/2022	Additions	Deletions	12/31/2022	Portion	
General Obligation Bond						
Series 2021A Bonds	\$ 9,069,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 9,069,000	\$ -	
Other						
Developer advance	100,277	2,217,819	2,137,305	180,791		
	\$ 9,169,277	\$ 2,217,819	\$2,137,305	\$ 9,249,791	\$ -	

#### **Debt Authorization**

On May 5, 2020, a majority of the qualified electors of the District authorized the issuance of indebtedness in the amount not to exceed \$180,000,000 for the purpose of financing the costs of acquiring, construction, relocating, installing, completing and otherwise providing public improvements. As of December 31, 2022, \$170,931,000 of this authorization remains unissued. The Service Plan provides that the District shall not issue bonds or other debt in excess of \$20,000,000.

#### Note 5: Other Agreements

Winsome Metropolitan District Nos. 1-4 and Winsome, LLC Advance and Reimbursement and Facilities Acquisition Agreement (Capital Expenses)

The Winsome Districts and the Developer entered into the Winsome Metropolitan District Nos. 1-4 and Winsome, LLC Advance and Reimbursement and Facilities Acquisition Agreement (Capital Expenses) effective July 27, 2020 (the "Facilities Acquisition Agreement"). The Facilities Acquisition Agreement establishes the terms and conditions (a) upon which the Developer may advance funds to or expend funds on behalf of one or more of the Winsome Districts for any and all costs of any kind related to the provision of the Public Improvements that may be lawfully funded by any one of the Districts under the Special District Act and the Service Plan, inclusive of Eligible Professional Service Costs (as defined in the Facilities Acquisition Agreement) (the "District Eligible Costs"), and (b) upon which one or more of the Winsome Districts may make reimbursement to Developer for such advances and/or expenditures. Pursuant to the Facilities Acquisition Agreement, the Developer agrees to advance funds or expend funds on behalf of one of more of the Winsome Districts for District Eligible Costs in one or more installments, provided that in no event shall the total amount that the Developer shall be obligated to advance to collectively or expend on behalf of the Winsome Districts collectively, exceed \$11,697,419 (the "Maximum Advance Amount"), which amount constitutes the maximum amount that may be advanced or expended under the Facilities Acquisition Agreement. Pursuant to the Facilities Acquisition Agreement, the Advances and/or Certified District Eligible

# Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2022

Costs accepted in accordance with the Facilities Acquisition Agreement shall bear simple interest at a rate that does not exceed the prime interest rate plus two points thereon from the date such costs are incurred by the Developer, provided, however, that no interest shall begin to accrue on any Advance made to any Winsome District prior to the date on which an order declaring the Winsome Districts organized were recorded in the real property records of El Paso County, which date was June 2, 2020, and the interest shall stop accruing under this Agreement on the date of payment of such amount in full. At December 31, 2022 the balance under this agreement was \$180,791, consisting of principal of \$175,725 and interest of \$5,066.

# Advance and Reimbursement Agreement (Operation and Maintenance Expenses)

The Winsome Districts and the Developer entered into an Advance and Reimbursement Agreement (Operation and Maintenance Expenses) effective July 27, 2020 (the "O&M Reimbursement Agreement") which establishes the terms and conditions upon which (a) the Developer may advance funds to District No. 1 on behalf of the Districts for the Operations Costs (defined below) (the "Advances") and (b) District No. 1 may make reimbursement to the Developer for the Advances. The Winsome Districts and the Developer acknowledge in the O&M Reimbursement Agreement that the Winsome Districts currently have insufficient funds to pay for (i) the maintenance and operation costs incurred in the ordinary course of business and necessary for the operations and maintenance of the public improvements, facilities and services of the Winsome Districts; (ii) the general administration of the Winsome Districts (including, but not limited to, maintaining the Winsome Districts as a lawfully existing political subdivisions of the State); and (iii) fulfilling the obligations of the Winsome Districts under the Service Plan, which collective costs may include, but are not limited to legal, accounting, design, engineering and management costs (collectively, the "Operations Costs") and that as of the date of the O&M Reimbursement Agreement, the Developer will have made Advances for Operations Costs of the Winsome Districts and may make Advances for the Operations Costs of the Winsome Districts in the future. Pursuant to the O&M Reimbursement Agreement, the Developer agrees to advance funds or expend funds on behalf of the Winsome Districts for Operation Costs in one or more installments, provided that in no event shall the total amount that the Developer shall be obligated to advance to District No. 1 or expend on behalf of District No. 1 for the benefit of the Districts collectively, exceed \$208,607 (the "Maximum Advance Amount"), which amount constitutes the maximum amount that may be advanced or expended under the O&M Reimbursement Agreement.

# Intergovernmental Agreement Concerning District Operations and Funding

The Winsome Districts entered into an Intergovernmental Agreement Concerning District Operations and Funding dated June 21, 2021 (the "Master IGA") to set forth their respective roles, responsibilities and obligations with respect to the provision of administrative services, ownership, operation and maintenance of the Public Improvements and the funding of the same.

Pursuant to the Master IGA, District No. 1 will own operate and maintain the Public Improvements within the Winsome Districts not otherwise dedicated to other governmental entities, and District No. 1 is engaged as "operator" to provide the operation and maintenance services described therein (the "Services").

# Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2022

# Capital Pledge Agreement

On July 14, 2021 the District entered into a Capital Pledge Agreement ("Capital Pledge Agreement") with District No. 2 and the Trustee pursuant to which District No. 2 will pledge the District No. 2 Pledged Revenue to the repayment of the Bonds, such revenues generally consisting of (i) moneys derived from imposition by the Pledge District of the Required Mill Levy (net of the collection costs of the County and any tax refunds or abatements authorized by or on behalf of the County) and (ii) the specific ownership taxes remitted to the Pledge District as a result of its imposition of the Required Mill Levy. The Capital Pledge Agreement is to remain in effect until the "Termination Date," defined in the Capital Pledge Agreement to mean the earlier of: (a) the date on which all amounts due with respect to the Bonds and any Additional Obligations have been defeased or paid in full; or (b) December 1, 2060.

#### Note 6: Tax, Spending and Debt Limitations

Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution, commonly known as the Taxpayer Bill of Rights ("TABOR"), contains tax, spending, revenue and debt limitations which apply to the State of Colorado and all local governments.

Spending and revenue limits are determined based on the prior year's Fiscal Year Spending adjusted for allowable increases based upon inflation and local growth. Fiscal Year Spending is generally defined as expenditures plus reserve increases with certain exceptions. Revenue in excess of the Fiscal Year Spending limit must be refunded unless the voters approve retention of such revenue.

TABOR requires local governments to establish Emergency Reserves. These reserves must be at least 3% of Fiscal Year Spending (excluding bonded debt service). Local governments are not allowed to use the emergency reserves to compensate for economic conditions, revenue shortfalls, or salary or benefit increases.

The District's management believes it is in compliance with the provisions of TABOR. However, TABOR is complex and subject to interpretation. Many of the provisions, including the interpretation of how to calculate Fiscal Year Spending limits will require judicial interpretation.

On May 5, 2020, a majority of the District's electors authorized the District to collect and spend or retain in a reserve all currently levied taxes and fees of the District without regard to any limitations under Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution.

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# Note 7: Risk Management

Except as provided in the Colorado Governmental Immunity Act, 24-10-101, et seq., CRS, the District may be exposed to various risks of loss related to torts, theft of, damage to, or destruction of assets; errors or omissions; injuries to agents; and natural disasters. The District has elected to participate in the Colorado Special Districts Property and Liability Pool ("the Pool") which is an organization created by intergovernmental agreement to provide common liability and casualty insurance coverage to its members at a cost that is considered economically appropriate. Settled claims have not exceeded this commercial coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

The District pays annual premiums to the Pool for auto, public officials' liability, and property and general liability coverage. In the event aggregated losses incurred by the Pool exceed its amounts recoverable from reinsurance contracts and its accumulated reserves, the District may be called upon to make additional contributions to the Pool on the basis proportionate to other members. Any excess funds which the Pool determines are not needed for purposes of the Pool may be returned to the members pursuant to a distribution formula.

# Note 9: Related Parties

All of the Board of Directors are employees, owners or are otherwise associated with the Developer and may have conflicts of interest in dealing with the District. Management believes that all potential conflicts, if any, have been disclosed to the Board.

# Note 10: Restated Capital Assets and Long-term Liabilities

During the year ended December 31, 2022 it was determined that additional interest should have been accrued on the developer advances prior to the acceptance of those assets. As a result, both capital assets and long-term liabilities were increased by \$100,277. There was no effect on either Fund Balance or Net Position.

# Note 11: Reconciliation of Government-Wide Financial Statements and Fund Financial Statements

The <u>Government Funds Balance Sheet/Statement of Net Position</u> includes an adjustments column. The adjustments have the following elements:

- 1) Capital improvements used in government activities are not financial resources and, therefore are not reported in the funds; and,
- 2) long-term liabilities such as bonds payable, developer advances payable and accrued interest on bonds and developer advances are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not in the funds.

# Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2022

The <u>Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances/Statement of Activities</u> includes an adjustments column. The adjustments have the following elements:

- 1) Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures; however, in the statement of activities, the costs of those assets are held as construction in progress pending transfer to other governmental entities or depreciated over their useful lives;
- 2) governmental funds report interest expense on the modified accrual basis; however, interest expense is reported on the full accrual method in the statement of activities; and,
- 3) governmental funds report developer advances and/or bond proceeds as revenue and report interest as expenditures; however, these are reported as changes to long-term liabilities on the government-wide financial statements.



# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL - DEBT SERVICE FUND

For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

					Variance	
	Origi	nal & Final			Favorable	
	<b>Budget</b>			<u>Actual</u>	(Unfavorable)	
REVENUES						
Property taxes	\$	7,796	\$	7,796	\$ -	
Specific ownership taxes		622		811	189	
Interest and other income		-		9	9	
Transfer from District No. 2		32,906		33,734	828	
Total Revenues		41,324		42,350	1,026	
EXPENDITURES						
Bond interest expense		37,178		28,000	9,178	
Trustee fees		4,000		-	4,000	
Treasurer's fees		146		117	29	
Total Expenditures		41,324		28,117	13,207	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE		-		14,233	14,233	
FUND BALANCE:						
BEGINNING OF YEAR		_		<u>-</u>		
END OF YEAR	\$		\$	14,233	\$ 14,233	

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL - CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

	Original & Final <u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)		
REVENUES Interest and other income	¢	¢ 40.505	¢ 40.505		
interest and other income	\$ -	\$ 40,505	\$ 40,505		
Total Revenues		40,505	40,505		
EXPENDITURES			(4.5. ==0)		
Transfer to District No. 1	-	12,579	(12,579)		
Capital improvements	5,558,620	2,217,819	3,340,801		
Repay developer advances		2,137,305	(2,137,305)		
Total Expenditures	5,558,620	4,367,703	1,190,917		
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	(5,558,620)	(4,327,198)	1,231,422		
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Developer advances	<del>-</del>	2,217,819	2,217,819		
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		2,217,819	2,217,819		
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	(5,558,620)	(2,109,379)	3,449,241		
FUND BALANCE:					
BEGINNING OF YEAR	5,558,620	4,046,163	(1,512,457)		
END OF YEAR	\$ -	\$ 1,936,784	\$ 1,936,784		

# SUMMARY OF ASSESSED VALUATION, MILL LEVY AND PROPERTY TAXES COLLECTED

December 31, 2022

Prior Year Assessed Valuation for Current

		Valuation for Current					T . I D		T.	Percent
Year Ended	Y	ear Property		Mills Levied			Total Pro	pert	y Tax	Collected
December 31,		Tax Levy	General	Covenant Enforcement	Debt Service	<u>]</u>	<u>Levied</u>	<u>C</u>	ollected	to Levied
2021	\$	4,910	15.000		0.000	\$	74	\$	74	100.48%
2022	\$	140,060	15.105		55.664	\$	9,912	\$	9,912	100.00%
Estimated for year ending December 31, 2023	\$	159,340	10.093	5.046	57.266	\$	11,537			

#### NOTE

Property taxes collected in any one year include collection of delinquent property taxes levied and/or abatements or valuations in prior years. Information received from the County Treasurer does not permit identification of specific year assessment.