RESOLUTION TO ADOPT 2024 BUDGET, APPROPRIATE SUMS OF MONEY, AND AUTHORIZE THE CERTIFICATION OF THE TAX LEVY ROCKY MOUNTAIN RAIL PARK METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

A RESOLUTION SUMMARIZING REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR EACH FUND, ADOPTING A BUDGET, LEVYING GENERAL PROPERTY TAXES FOR THE YEAR 2024 TO HELP DEFRAY THE COSTS OF GOVERNMENT, AND APPROPRIATING SUMS OF MONEY TO THE VARIOUS FUNDS IN THE AMOUNTS AND FOR THE PURPOSES SET FORTH HEREIN FOR THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN RAIL PARK METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, ADAMS 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 of the Rocky Mountain Rail Park Metropolitan District has authorized its consultants to prepare and submit a proposed budget to said governing body at the proper time; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget has been submitted to the Board of Directors of the District for its consideration; and

WHEREAS, upon due and proper notice, published or posted in accordance with the law, said proposed budget was available for inspection by the public at a designated public office, a public hearing was held on November 14, 2023, and interested electors were given the opportunity to file or register any objections to said proposed budget; and

WHEREAS, whatever increases may have been made in the expenditures, like increases were added to the revenues or planned to be expended from reserves or fund balances so that the budget remains in balance, as required by law; and

WHEREAS, the amount of money necessary to balance the budget for general operating purposes from property tax revenue is \$59,919; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors finds that it is required to temporarily lower the operating mill levy to render a refund for \$0; and

WHEREAS, the amount of money necessary to balance the budget for voter-approved bonds and interest is \$299,611; and

WHEREAS, the amount of money necessary to balance the budget for contractual obligation purposes from property tax revenue as approved by voters from property tax revenue is \$0; and

WHEREAS, the amount of money necessary to balance the budget for capital expenditure purposes from property tax revenue as approved by voters or at public hearing is \$0; and

WHEREAS, the amount of money necessary to balance the budget for refunds/abatements is \$0; and

WHEREAS, the 2023 valuation for assessment for the District as certified by the County Assessor of Adams is \$5,747,610; and

WHEREAS, at an election held on July 2, 2019, the District has eliminated the revenue and expenditure limitations imposed on governmental entities by Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution and Section 29-1-301, C.R.S., as amended.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN RAIL PARK METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OF ADAMS COUNTY, COLORADO:

Section 1. <u>Adoption of Budget</u>. That the budget as submitted, and attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference, and if amended, then as amended, is hereby approved and adopted as the budget of the Rocky Mountain Rail Park Metropolitan District for calendar year 2024.

Section 2. <u>Budget Revenues</u>. That the estimated revenues for each fund as more specifically set out in the budget attached hereto are accepted and approved.

Section 3. <u>Budget Expenditures</u>. That the estimated expenditures for each fund as more specifically set out in the budget attached hereto are accepted and approved.

Section 4. <u>Levy of General Property Taxes</u>. That the Board of Directors does hereby certify the levy of general property taxes for collection in 2024 as follows:

A. <u>Levy for General Operating and Other Expenses</u>. That for the purposes of meeting all general operating expense of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 10.425 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District for the year 2023.

B. <u>Temporary Tax Credit or Rate Reduction</u>. That pursuant to Section 39-1-111.5, C.R.S. for the purposes of effect of a refund for the purposes set forth in Section 20 of Article X of the Colorado Constitution, there is hereby certified a temporary property tax credit or temporary mill levy rate reduction of 0.000 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the boundaries of the District for the year 2023.

C. <u>Levy for General Obligation Bonds and Interest</u>. That for the purposes of meeting all debt retirement expense of the District during the 2024 budget year, as the funding requirements of the current outstanding general obligation indebtedness is detailed in the

following "Certification of Tax Levies," there is hereby levied a tax of 52.128 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation for assessment of all taxable property within the District for the year 2023.

D. <u>Levy for Contractual Obligations</u>. That for the purposes of meeting the contractual obligation expense of the District during the 2024 budget year, as detailed in the following "Certification of Tax Levies," there is hereby levied a tax of 0.000 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation for assessment of all taxable property within the District for the year 2023.

E. <u>Levy for Capital Expenditures</u>. That for the purposes of meeting all capital expenditures of the District during the 2024 budget year pursuant to Section 29-1-301(1.2) or 29-1-302(1.5), C.R.S., 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 boundaries of the District for the year 2023.

F. <u>Levy for Refunds/Abatements</u>. That for the purposes of recoupment of refunds/abatements of taxes pursuant to Section 39-10-114(1)(a)(I)(B), C.R.S., 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 boundaries of the District for the year 2023.

Section 5. <u>Property Tax and Fiscal Year Spending Limits</u>. That, being fully informed, the Board finds that the foregoing budget and mill levies do not result in a violation of any applicable property tax or fiscal year spending limitation.

Section 6. <u>Certification</u>. That the appropriate officers of the District are hereby authorized and directed to certify to the Board of County Commissioners of Adams County, Colorado, the mill levies for the District herein above determined and set, or be authorized and directed to certify to the Board of County Commissioners of Adams County, Colorado, as herein above determined and set, but as recalculated as needed upon receipt of the final certification of valuation from the County Assessor in order to comply with any applicable revenue and other budgetary limits or to implement the intent of the District. That said certification shall be in substantially the form set out and attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference.

Section 7. <u>Appropriations</u>. That the amounts set forth as expenditures and balances remaining, as specifically allocated in the budget attached hereto, are hereby appropriated from the revenue of each fund, to each fund, for the purposes stated and no other.

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ADOPTED this 14th day of November 2023.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN RAIL PARK METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

Heidi Webb Kelly

President

ATTEST:

Robert T. Wagner

Secretary

ATTACH COPY OF THE ADOPTED BUDGET AND THE CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVIES

ROCKY MOUNTAIN RAIL PARK METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

ANNUAL BUDGET

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2024

ROCKY MOUNTAIN RAIL PARK METRO DISTRICT SUMMARY 2024 BUDGET WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL 2022	ESTIMATED 2023	BUDGET 2024
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BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$ 51,908,622	\$ 35,484,800	\$ 15,373,183
REVENUES			
Property taxes	39,131	193,406	359,530
Specific ownership tax	2,656	13,539	25,167
Interest income	717,449	1,518,558	411,150
Developer advance	83,912	112,410	72,240
Tap Fees	608,149	-	1,316,534
User charges	19,598	41,210	60,000
Miscellaneous water sales	-	50,000	100,000
Proceeds from sale	-	10,900	-
Other revenue	-	5,000	-
Total revenues	1,470,895	1,945,023	2,344,621
TRANSFERS IN	608,149	-	1,316,534
Total funds available	53,987,666	37,429,823	19,034,338
EXPENDITURES			
General and administrative	108,178	101,154	140,000
Debt service	2,829,500	2,831,918	2,835,000
Capital projects	14,935,764	19,007,545	9,254,570
Enterprise `	21,275	116,023	165,000
Total expenditures	17,894,717	22,056,640	12,394,570
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TRANSFERS OUT	608,149	-	1,316,534
Total expenditures and transfers out			
requiring appropriation	18,502,866	22,056,640	13,711,104
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$ 35,484,800	\$ 15,373,183	\$ 5,323,234
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EMERGENCY RESERVE DEBT SERVICE RESERVE FUND - SERIES 2021	\$ 300	\$ 1,100	\$ 2,000
	4,923,000	4,923,000	4,923,000
TOTAL RESERVE	\$ 4,923,300	\$ 4,924,100	\$ 4,925,000

ROCKY MOUNTAIN RAIL PARK METRO DISTRICT PROPERTY TAX SUMMARY INFORMATION 2024 BUDGET WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL 2022		E	STIMATED 2023		BUDGET 2024
	<u> </u>	2022		2023		2024
ASSESSED VALUATION - ADAMS COUNTY Commercial	\$	-	\$	2,354,340	\$	3,478,990
Agricultural	Ŧ	22,190	Ŧ	15,160	Ŧ	11,900
State assessed		-		80		-
Vacant land		-		126,540		1,373,760
Personal property		-		8,050		882,920
Oil and Gas		630,000		718,030		-
Certified Assessed Value	\$	652,190	\$	3,222,200	\$	5,747,570
MILL LEVY						
General		10.000		10.000		10.425
Debt Service		50.000		50.023		52.128
Total mill levy		60.000		60.023		62.553
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General Debt Service `	\$	6,522 32,610	\$	32,222 161,184	\$	59,919 299,611
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Levied property taxes		39,131		193,406		359,530
Budgeted property taxes	\$	39,131	\$	193,406	\$	359,530
BUDGETED PROPERTY TAXES						
General	\$	6,522	\$	32,222	\$	59,919
Debt Service		32,610		161,184		299,611
	\$	39,131	\$	193,406	\$	359,530

ROCKY MOUNTAIN RAIL PARK METRO DISTRICT GENERAL FUND 2024 BUDGET WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

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	EMERGENCY RESERVE	\$	300	\$	1,100	\$	2,000
	TOTAL RESERVE						

ROCKY MOUNTAIN RAIL PARK METRO DISTRICT DEBT SERVICE FUND 2024 BUDGET WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL 2022	ESTIMATED 2023	BUDGET 2024
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	\$ 10,606,253	\$ 8,573,687	\$ 6,295,502
REVENUES			
Property taxes	32,610	161,184	299,611
Specific ownership taxes	2,214	11,283	20,973
Interest income	153,961	381,266	228,615
Total revenues	188,785	553,733	549,199
TRANSFERS IN			
Transfers from other funds	608,149	-	1,316,534
Total funds available	11,403,187	9,127,420	8,161,235
EXPENDITURES			
Contingency	-	-	1,006
Paying agent fees	7,000	7,000	7,000
Bond interest - 2021A	2,822,500	2,822,500	2,822,500
County Treasurer's Fees		2,418	4,494
Total expenditures	2,829,500	2,831,918	2,835,000
Total expenditures and transfers out			
requiring appropriation	2,829,500	2,831,918	2,835,000
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$ 8,573,687	\$ 6,295,502	\$ 5,326,235
DEBT SERVICE RESERVE FUND - SERIES 2021	\$ 4,923,000	\$ 4,923,000	\$ 4,923,000
TOTAL RESERVE	\$ 4,923,000	\$ 4,923,000	\$ 4,923,000

ROCKY MOUNTAIN RAIL PARK METRO DISTRICT CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND 2024 BUDGET WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL 2022	ESTIMATED 2023	BUDGET 2024
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	\$ 41,311,294	\$ 26,938,996	\$ 9,073,375
REVENUES			
Interest income	563,466	1,136,924	181,195
Other revenue	-	5,000	-
Total revenues	563,466	1,141,924	181,195
Total funds available	41,874,760	28,080,920	9,254,570
EXPENDITURES			
Accounting	6,898	10,000	10,000
Legal	45,261	10,000	45,000
Engineering	37,836	75,000	75,000
Capital outlay - water and environmental program	7,316,187	18,912,545	3,136,080
Capital Outlay - Community Facilities	7,529,582	-	5,988,490
Total expenditures	14,935,764	19,007,545	9,254,570
Total expenditures and transfers out requiring appropriation	14,935,764	19,007,545	9,254,570
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$ 26,938,996	\$ 9,073,375	\$ -

ROCKY MOUNTAIN RAIL PARK METRO DISTRICT ENTERPRISE FUND 2024 BUDGET WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL	ESTIMATED	BUDGET
	2022	2023	2024
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	\$-	\$ (976)	\$-
REVENUES			
Tap Fees	608,149	-	1,316,534
User Charges	19,598	41,210	60,000
Developer advance	701	14,889	-
Miscellaneous water sales	-	50,000	100,000
Other Revenue	-		5,000
Proceeds from sale	-	10,900	-
Total revenues	628,448	116,999	1,481,534
Total funds available	628,448	116,023	1,481,534
EXPENDITURES			
Production and treatment	17,453	96,916	63,808
Billing services	2,929	10,426	11,000
Utilities	53	6,181	21,910
Operating expenses	-	-	43,560
Repairs and maintenance	-	1,000	16,000
Legal	840	1,500	1,500
Contingency	-	-	7,222
Total expenditures	21,275	116,023	165,000
TRANSFERS OUT			
Transfers to other fund	608,149	-	1,316,534
Total expenditures and transfers out			
requiring appropriation	629,424	116,023	1,481,534
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$ (976)	\$-	\$

Services Provided

The District, a quasi-municipal corporation and a political subdivision of the State of Colorado, was formed by order and decree on July 9, 2019 in Adams County, Colorado, and is governed pursuant to provisions of the Colorado Special District Act (Title 32, Article 1, Colorado Revised Statutes). The District operates under a Service Plan approved by the Adams County Board of County Commissioners. The District's service area is located in Adams County, Colorado.

The District was established to provide financing for the design, acquisition, installation, construction and completion of public improvements and services, including water and sanitation service, street construction, installation of safety control devices, construction and maintenance of parks and recreation facilities, public transportation, fire protection, television relay and translation system, security services and mosquito control.

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

The District prepares its budget on the modified accrual basis of accounting in accordance with the requirements of Colorado Revised Statues C.R.S. 29-1-105 using its best estimates as of the date of the budget hearing. These estimates are based on expected conditions and its expected course of actions. The assumptions disclosed herein are those that the District believes are significant to the budget. There will usually be differences between the budget and actual results, because events and circumstances frequently do not occur as expected, and those differences may be material.

Revenues

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 or, if in equal installments, at the taxpayer's election, in February and June. Delinquent taxpayers are notified in August and generally sales of the tax liens on delinquent properties are held in November or December. The County Treasurer remits the taxes collected monthly to the District.

The District is required to impose a Required Mill Levy for the Series 2021 Bonds in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds and to replenish the Reserve Fund to the Reserve Requirement equal to \$4,923,000, but not in excess of 50.000 mills (subject to adjustment) and, if the Surplus Fund is less than the Maximum Surplus Amount of \$11,290,000, the Required Mill Levy is to be 50.000 mills (subject to adjustment).

The calculation of the taxes levied is displayed on the Property Tax Summary page of the budget using the adopted mill levy imposed by the District.

Revenues - (continued)

Property Taxes – (continued)

For property tax collection year 2024, SB22-238 and SB23B-001 set the assessment rates and actual value reductions as follows:

Category	Rate	Category	Rate	Actual Value Reduction	Amount
Single-Family				Single-Family	\$55,000
Residential	6.70%	Agricultural Land	26.40%	Residential	
Multi-Family		Renewable		Multi-Family	\$55,000
Residential	6.70%	Energy Land	26.40%	Residential	
Commercial	27.90%	Vacant Land	27.90%	Commercial	\$30,000
		Personal		Industrial	\$30,000
Industrial	27.90%	Property	27.90%		
Lodging	27.90%	State Assessed	27.90%	Lodging	\$30,000
		Oil & Gas			
		Production	87.50%		

Specific Ownership Taxes

Specific ownership taxes are set by the State and collected by the County Treasurer, primarily on vehicle licensing within the County as a whole. The specific ownership taxes are allocated by the County Treasurer to all taxing entities within the County. The budget assumes that the District's share will be equal to approximately 7% of the property taxes collected.

Net Investment Income

Interest earned on the District's available funds has been estimated based upon an average interest rate of approximately 4%.

Developer Advances

The District is in the development stage. As such, the operating and administrative expenditures will be mainly funded by the Developer. Developer advances are recorded as revenue for budget purposes with an obligation for future repayment when the District is financially able to reimburse the Developer from legally available revenue.

Enterprise Revenues

It is anticipated that the Development will contain water wells and storage tanks to provide potable water and non-potable irrigation water throughout the District, and a sanitary package plant, effluent water storage and sanitation treatment facilities necessary to provide sanitation services throughout the District. The District declared its intent to operate its water activities as a Water Enterprise and its sanitation activities as a Sanitation Enterprise. The District adopted a Resolution Adopting a Schedule of Rates, Fees and Charges imposing tap fees and ongoing service fees for water, wastewater, and fire suppression services.

Expenditures

Administrative and Operating Expenditures

Operating and administrative expenditures include the estimated services necessary to maintain the District's administrative viability such as legal, management, accounting, and insurance. Estimated operating expenditures which include landscape maintenance, irrigation, repairs and maintenance, asphalt repair, pet waste disposal, and snow removal are also included in the General Fund budget.

County Treasurer's Fees

County Treasurer's fees have been computed at 1.50% of property tax collections.

Debt Service

The debt service schedule for the District's Series 2021 Bonds is displayed on the Schedule of Debt Service Requirements to Maturity.

Enterprise Operations and Maintenance Expenditures

Operations and Maintenance expenditures include the estimated services necessary for operating, maintaining and repairing the water system, including legal and overhead expenses of the District directly related to the administration of the Water Enterprise and the Sanitation Enterprise.

Debt and Leases

On April 15, 2021, the District issued \$56,450,000 in Series 2021A General Obligation Limited Tax Bonds with an interest rate of 5.00%, maturing on December 1, 2055 and \$7,200,000 Series 2021B Subordinate General Obligation Limited Tax Bonds with an interest rate of 8.25%, maturing on December 15, 2055. Proceeds from the Bonds will be used for the purpose of the construction of public infrastructure, funding reserves and capitalized interest, and other costs incurred in connection with the issuance of the bonds.

The Bonds are subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the District, on March 1, 2026, and on any date thereafter, upon payment of par, accrued interest, and a redemption premium equal to a percentage of the principal amount so redeemed as follows:

Date of Redemption	Redemption Premium
March 1, 2026, to February 28, 2027	3.00%
March 1, 2027, to February 29, 2028	2.00
March 1, 2028, to February 28, 2029	1.00
March 1, 2029, and thereafter	0.00

Debt and Leases - Continued

The Senior Bonds are payable solely from and to the extent of the Senior Pledged Revenue, defined in the Senior Indenture as the moneys derived by the district from the following sources net of any costs of collection of the County and any property tax refunds or abatements authorized by or on behalf of the County:

- (a.) the Senior Required Mill Levy;
- (b.) the portion of Specific Ownership Tax which is collected as a result of imposition of the Senior Required Mill Levy;
- (c.) the Senior Enterprise Revenues; and
- (d.) any other legally available moneys which the District determines, in its absolute discretion, to transfer to the Trustee for application as Senior Pledged Revenue.

The following is an analysis of the changes in the District's long-term obligations for the year ended December 31, 2022:

	Balance December 31, 2022	Д	dditions	Deletio	ons	Balance December 31, 2023*
Limited Tax Obligation Bonds:						
Senior - Series 2021A	\$ 56,450,000	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 56,450,000
Subordinate - Series 2021B	7,200,000	Ŧ	-	Ŷ	-	7,200,000
Accrued Interest on	.,					.,_00,000
Subordinate - Series 2021B	1,022,670		626,670		-	1,649,340
Other Debts:	1,022,010		020,010			.,
Developer Advances - O&M	182,180		97,521		-	279,701
Accrued Interest on	,		,			,
Developer Advances - O&M	11,045		14,684		-	25,729
Developer Advances - Enterprise	701		14,889		-	15,590
Accrued Interest on			,			
Developer Advances - Enterprise	3		818		-	821
Total	\$ 64,866,599	\$	754,583	\$	-	\$ 65,621,182
	Balance					Balance
	December 31,					December 31,
	2023*	A	dditions	Deletic	ons	2024*
Limited Tax Obligation Bonds						
Senior - Series 2021A	\$ 56,450,000	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 56,450,000
Subordinate - Series 2021B	7,200,000		-		-	7,200,000
Accrued Interest on						
Subordinate - Series 2021B	1,649,340		678,370		-	2,327,710
Other Debts:			-			
Developer Advances - O&M	279,701		72,240		-	351,941
Accrued Interest on						
Developer Advances - O&M	25,729		18,477		-	44,206
Developer Advances - Enterprise	15,590		-		-	15,590
Accrued Interest on						
Developer Advances - Enterprise			818			1,640
Total	\$ 65,621,182	\$	769,905	\$	-	\$ 66,391,087

* - Estimated

The District has no operating or capital leases.

Reserves

Debt Service Reserve

The Districts is required to maintain a debt service reserve in accordance with the 2021 bond issuance. The reserve has been established.

Emergency Reserve

The District has provided for an emergency reserve equal to at least 3% of the fiscal year spending as defined under TABOR.

This information is an integral part of the accompanying budget.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN RAIL PARK METROPOLITAN DISTRICT SCHEDULE OF ESTIMATED DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS TO MATURITY

\$56,450,000 Limited Tax General Obligation Bonds Series 2021A Dated April 15, 2021 Principal due December 1 Interest Rate 5.00%

Year Ended	June 1 and December 1					
December 31,	Principal	Interest	Total			
2024	\$-	\$ 2,822,500	\$ 2,822,500			
2025	Ψ –	2,822,500	φ 2,822,500 2,822,500			
2026	605,000	2,822,500	3,427,500			
2027	655,000	2,792,250	3,447,250			
2028	755,000	2,759,500	3,514,500			
2028	800,000	2,739,500	3,521,750			
2029						
2030	915,000	2,681,750	3,596,750			
	965,000	2,636,000	3,601,000			
2032	1,085,000	2,587,750	3,672,750			
2033	1,150,000	2,533,500	3,683,500			
2034	1,280,000	2,476,000	3,756,000			
2035	1,355,000	2,412,000	3,767,000			
2036	1,500,000	2,344,250	3,844,250			
2037	1,580,000	2,269,250	3,849,250			
2038	1,740,000	2,190,250	3,930,250			
2039	1,835,000	2,103,250	3,938,250			
2040	2,005,000	2,011,500	4,016,500			
2041	2,115,000	1,911,250	4,026,250			
2042	2,300,000	1,805,500	4,105,500			
2043	2,425,000	1,690,500	4,115,500			
2044	2,630,000	1,569,250	4,199,250			
2045	2,775,000	1,437,750	4,212,750			
2046	3,000,000	1,299,000	4,299,000			
2047	3,155,000	1,149,000	4,304,000			
2048	3,405,000	991,250	4,396,250			
2049	3,585,000	821,000	4,406,000			
2050	3,855,000	641,750	4,496,750			
2051	8,980,000	449,000	9,429,000			
	\$ 56,450,000	\$ 56,751,750	\$ 113,201,750			

CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVIES for NON-SCHOOL Governments

TO: Co	unty Commissioners ¹ of		, Colorado.					
On beh	alf of the		2					
	the	(taxing entity) ^A						
	the(governing body) ^B							
	of theC							
Hereby officially certifies the following mills to be levied against the taxing entity's GROSS assessed valuation of: (local government) ^C Note: If the assessor certified a NET assessed valuation (AV) different than the GROSS AV due to a Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Area ^F 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: (GROSS ^D assessed valuation, Line 2 of the Certification of Valuation Form DLG 57 ^E) (NET ^G assessed valuation, Line 4 of the Certification of Valuation Form DLG 57) (NET ^G assessed valuation, Line 4 of the Certification of Valuation Form DLG 57) USE VALUE FROM FINAL CERTIFICATION OF VALUATION PROVIDED BY ASSESSOR NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 10								
Submitte (no later than]		or budget/fiscal year	(yyyy)					
PUR	POSE (see end notes for definitions and examples)	LEVY ²	REVENUE²					
1. Gene	ral Operating Expenses ^H	mills	<u>\$</u>					
	nus> Temporary General Property Tax Credit/ porary Mill Levy Rate Reduction ^I	< > mills	<u></u> \$< >					
SU	UBTOTAL FOR GENERAL OPERATING:	mills	\$					
3. Gene	ral Obligation Bonds and Interest ^J	mills	<u>\$</u>					
4. Contr	ractual Obligations ^K	mills	\$					
5. Capit	tal Expenditures ^L	mills	\$					
6. Refu	nds/Abatements ^M	mills	\$					
7. Othe	r ^N (specify):	mills	\$					
		mills	\$					
	TOTAL: [Sum of General Operating Subtotal and Lines 3 to 7]	mills	\$					
Contact Signed:	person: Camie Barta	Phone: Title: Accountant for	r District					
	Question: Does the taxing entity have voter appr g levy to account for changes to assessment rate	, e	□Yes □No					

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) 864-7720.

 ¹ 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.
² 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:

BONDS^J:

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.