RESOLUTION ADOPTING BUDGET, APPROPRIATING FUNDS AND CERTIFYING MILL LEVIES FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2024

The Board of Directors of Summerfield Metropolitan District No. 3 (the "Board"), Town of Erie, Weld County, Colorado (the "District"), held a regular meeting, via teleconference on October 26, 2023, at 10:00 AM.

Prior to the meeting, each of the directors was notified of the date, time and place of the budget meeting and the purpose for which it was called and a notice of the meeting was posted or published in accordance with §29-1-106, C.R.S.

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NOTICE AS TO PROPOSED 2024 BUDGET

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED 2024 BUDGETS

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE AMENDED 2023 BUDGETS

The Boards of Directors (collectively the "Boards") of the SUMMERFIELD METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NOS. 1-3 (collectively the "Districts"), will hold a public hearing via teleconference on October 26, 2023, at 10:00 AM, to consider adoption of the Districts' proposed 2024 budgets (the "Proposed Budgets"), and, if necessary, adoption of an amendment to the 2023 budgets (the "Amended Budgets"). This public hearing may be joined using the following teleconference information:

Zoom Meeting Link:
https://us06web.zoom.

us/j/87244968349?pwd=3Ntjrt=ECYVAvsN27O9bkujD8CAcUy.1

Meeting ID: 872 4496 8349

Passcode: 600749

Call In Numbers: 1(719) 359-4580 or 1(720) 707-2699

The Proposed Budgets and Amended Budgets are available for inspection by the public at the offices of CliftonLarsonAllen, LLP, 8390 East Crescent Parkway, Suite 300, Greenwood Village, CO 80111. Any interested elector of the Districts may file any objections to the Proposed Budgets and Amended Budgets and any time prior to the final adoption of the Proposed Budgets or the Amended Budgets by the Boards.

The agenda for any meeting may be obtained at https://www.summerfieldmetrodistricts.org/ or by calling (303) 858-1800.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARDS OF DIRECTORS:

SUMMERFIELD METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NOS. 1-3, quasi-municipal corporations and political subdivisions of the State of Colorado

/s/ WHITE BEAR ANKELE TANAKA & WALDRON Attorneys at Law

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Oct 18, 2023

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WHEREAS, the Board has designated its accountant to prepare and submit a proposed budget to the Board in accordance with Colorado law; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget has been submitted to the Board for its review and consideration; and

WHEREAS, upon due and proper notice, provided in accordance with Colorado law, said proposed budget was open for inspection by the public at a designated place, a public hearing was held and interested electors were given the opportunity to register their protest to the proposed budget prior to the adoption of the budget by the Board.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. <u>Adoption of Budget</u>. The budget attached hereto and incorporated herein is approved and adopted as the budget of the District for fiscal year 2024. In the event of recertification of values by the County Assessor's Office after the date of adoption hereof, staff is hereby directed to modify and/or adjust the budget and certification to reflect the recertification without the need for additional Board authorization. Any such modification to the budget or certification as contemplated by this Section 1 shall be deemed ratified by the Board.

Section 2. <u>Levy for General Operating Expenses</u>. For the purpose of meeting all general operating expenses of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of <u>59.403</u> mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District.

Section 3. <u>Levy for Debt Service Obligations</u>. For the purposes of meeting all debt service obligations of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of <u>0.000</u> mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District.

Section 4. <u>Levy for Contractual Obligation Expenses</u>. For the purposes of meeting all contractual obligations of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of

<u>0</u>.000 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District.

Section 5. <u>Levy for Capital Project Expenses</u>. For the purposes of meeting all capital project obligations 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.

Section 6. Mill Levy Adjustment. When developing the attached budget, consideration was given to any changes in the method of calculating assessed valuation, including any changes to the assessment ratios, or any constitutionally mandated tax credit, cut or abatement, as authorized in the District's service plan. The Board hereby determines in good faith (such determination to be binding and final), that to the extent possible, the adjustments to the mill levies made to account for changes in Colorado law described in the prior sentence, and the actual tax revenues generated by the mill levies, are neither diminished nor enhanced as a result of those changes.

Section 7. <u>Certification to County Commissioners</u>. The Board directs its legal counsel, manager, accountant or other designee to certify to the Board of County Commissioners of Weld County, Colorado the mill levies for the District as set forth herein. Such certification shall be in compliance with the requirements of Colorado law.

Section 8. <u>Appropriations</u>. The amounts set forth as expenditures in the budget attached hereto are hereby appropriated.

Section 9. <u>Filing of Budget and Budget Message</u>. The Board hereby directs its legal counsel, manager or other designee to file a certified copy of the adopted budget resolution, the budget and budget message with the Division of Local Government by January 30 of the ensuing year.

Section 10. <u>Budget Certification</u>. The budget shall be certified by a member of the District, or a person appointed by the District, and made a part of the public records of the District.

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ADOPTED OCTOBER 26, 2023.

DISTRICT:

SUMMERFIELD METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3, a quasi-municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of Colorado

By: Jon Lee

Jon Lee (Nov 30, 2023 10:56 MST)

Officer of the District

Attest:

By: Junio Biolist

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

White Bear Ankele Tanaka & Waldron
Attorneys at Law

General Counsel to the District

STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF WELD SUMMERFIELD METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution constitutes a true and correct copy of the record of proceedings of the Board adopted by a majority of the Board at a District meeting held via teleconference on October 26, 2023, as recorded in the official record of the proceedings of the District.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name this 26th day of October, 2023.

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EXHIBIT A BUDGET DOCUMENT BUDGET MESSAGE

SUMMERFIELD METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3 ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2024

SUMMERFIELD METRO DISTRICT NO. 3 PROPERTY TAX SUMMARY INFORMATION 2024 BUDGET

WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	Α	CTUAL	ES	STIMATED		BUDGET	
	2022			2023		2024	
ASSESSED VALUATION							
Commercial		220		130		80	
Agricultural		2,020		1,850		1,620	
State assessed		56,730		128,700		8,770	
Oil and gas		29,120		28,410		96,570	
Certified Assessed Value	\$	88,090	\$	159,090	\$	107,040	
MILL LEVY							
General		55.663		57.220		59.403	
Total mill levy		55.663		57.220		59.403	
PROPERTY TAXES							
General	\$	4,903	\$	9,103	\$	6,358	
Levied property taxes		4,903		9,103		6,358	
Refunds and abatements		-		(1,852)		-	
Budgeted property taxes	\$	4,903	\$	7,251	\$	6,358	
BUDGETED PROPERTY TAXES							
General	\$	4,903	\$	7,251	\$	6,358	
	\$	4,903	\$	7,251	\$	6,358	

SUMMERFIELD METRO DISTRICT NO. 3 GENERAL FUND 2024 BUDGET

WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

		ACTUAL	ESTIMATED		BUDGET	
		2022		2023		2024
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BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$	10,202	\$	2,367	\$	4,939
REVENUES						
Property taxes		4,903		7,251		6,358
Specific ownership taxes		290		380		254
Interest income		19		50		200
Transfers from Summerfield Metro District No. 1		-		7,533		7,850
Total revenues		5,212		15,214		14,662
Total funds available		15,414		17,581		19,601
EXPENDITURES						
General and administrative						
Accounting		2,289		2,500		4,500
Auditing		1,811		1,890		· -
County Treasurer's fee		74		109		95
Dues and membership		236		237		250
Insurance		2,156		1,906		2,100
Miscellaneous		29		1,000		1,000
Website		373		-		-
Contingency		-		-		571
Transfers to Summerfield Metro District No. 1		6,079		5,000		5,000
Total expenditures		13,047		12,642		13,516
Total expenditures and transfers out						
requiring appropriation		13,047		12,642		13,516
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$	2,367	\$	4,939	\$	6,085
EMERGENCY RESERVE	\$	200	\$	500	\$	500
AVAILABLE FOR OPERATIONS	Ψ	2,167	Ψ	4,439	Ψ	5,585
TOTAL RESERVE	\$	2,367	\$	4,939	\$	6,085
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SUMMERFIELD METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3 2024 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

Services Provided

In accordance with its Service Plan, Summerfield Metropolitan District No. 3 was formed to manage the administration, operation, maintenance, construction, acquisition and installation of public improvements within the property known as "Summerfield" located in Erie, Colorado. Public improvements include, but are not limited to, storm drainage, water, sewer, utilities, streets, traffic and safety control, and parks and recreation improvements.

The Service Plan, as amended in 2017, permits the District to impose a maximum mill levy on the taxable property within its boundaries as a primary source of revenue for the construction and maintenance of public improvements, repayment of debt and operational costs. The Service Plan also provides a total debt issuance limitation in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$100,000,000 for Summerfield Metropolitan District Nos. 1, 2, and 3.

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

The District prepares its budget on the modified accrual basis of accounting in accordance with the requirements of Colorado Revised Statutes 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.

SUMMERFIELD METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3 2024 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

Revenues – (continued)

Property Taxes (Continued)

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.

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		Agricultural		Single-Family	\$55,000
Residential	6.70%	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 4% of the property taxes collected.

Net Investment Income

Interest earned on the District's available funds has been estimated based on an average interest rate of approximately 4.0%.

Intergovernmental Transfers

The District expects a transfer of funds from Summerfield Metropolitan District No. 1 for the purposes of funding administrative expenditures.

SUMMERFIELD METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3 2024 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

Expenditures

General and Administrative

General and administrative expenditures include the services necessary to maintain the District's administrative viability such as legal, accounting, insurance, and other administrative expenses.

Intergovernmental Transfers

The District expects to transfer funds to Summerfield Metropolitan District No. 1 for the purposes of funding operations and administrative expenditures.

Debt and Leases

The District has no debt or leases.

Reserves

Emergency Reserve

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

This information is an integral part of the accompanying budget.