

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

The Board of Directors of St. Vrain Lakes Metropolitan District No. 3 (the “**Board**”), Weld County, Colorado (the “**District**”), held a special meeting, via teleconference on November 14, 2023, at the hour of 7:30 p.m.

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

Public Notice
NOTICE AS TO PROPOSED
2023 AMENDED BUDGETS AND THE 2024 BUDGETS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that amended 2023 and proposed 2024 budgets have been submitted to St. Vrain Lakes Metropolitan District No. 1, St. Vrain Lakes Metropolitan District No. 3, St. Vrain Lakes Metropolitan District No. 4. A copy of such proposed budgets has been filed at the offices of Pinnacle Consulting Group, Inc., 550 West Eisenhower Blvd., Loveland, Colorado 80537, where the same is open for public inspection. The Board of Directors will consider the adoption of the proposed budgets of the District at a Regular Meeting of the St. Vrain Lakes Metropolitan District Nos. 1, 3, & 4 to be held via Zoom on Tuesday, November 14, 2023, at 7:30 pm. Any interested elector of the St. Vrain Lakes Metropolitan District No. 1, St. Vrain Lakes Metropolitan District No. 3, St. Vrain Lakes Metropolitan District No. 4 may inspect the proposed budgets at the offices of Pinnacle Consulting Group, Inc., 550 West Eisenhower Blvd., Loveland, CO 80537, and file or register any objections at any time prior to the final adoption of the budgets.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
ST. VRAIN LAKES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1
ST. VRAIN LAKES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3
ST. VRAIN LAKES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 4

By: /s/ Andrew Kunkel, District Administrator

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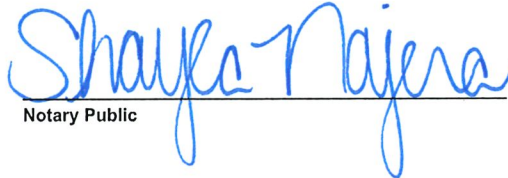
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3. The notice that is attached hereto is a true copy, published in the *Longmont Times Call* in Boulder County on the following date(s):

Nov 1, 2023


Signature

Subscribed and sworn to me before me this
1st day of November 2023.


Notary Public

(SEAL)

SHAYLA NAJERA
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF COLORADO
NOTARY ID 20174031965
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES July 31, 2025

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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. Adoption of Budget. 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. Levy for General Operating Expenses. For the purpose of meeting all general operating expenses of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 10.094 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District.

Section 3. Levy for Debt Service Obligations. For the purposes of meeting all debt service obligations of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 50.473 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District.

Section 4. Levy for Contractual Obligation Expenses. For the purposes of meeting all contractual obligations of the District during the 2024 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 5.000 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District.

Section 5. Levy for Capital Project Expenses. 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. Certification to County Commissioners. 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. Appropriations. The amounts set forth as expenditures in the budget attached hereto are hereby appropriated.

Section 9. Filing of Budget and Budget Message. 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. Budget Certification. 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 NOVEMBER 14, 2023.

DISTRICT:

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

By: 

Officer of the District


Attest:

By: 

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:

WHITE BEAR ANKELE TANAKA & WALDRON
Attorneys at Law



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General Counsel to the District

STATE OF COLORADO
COUNTY OF WELD
ST. VRAIN LAKES 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 November 14, 2023, as recorded in the official record of the proceedings of the District.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name this 14th day of November, 2023.



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EXHIBIT A
BUDGET DOCUMENT
BUDGET MESSAGE

CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVIES for NON-SCHOOL Governments

TO: County Commissioners¹ of Weld County, Colorado.

On behalf of the St. Vrain Lakes Metropolitan District No. 3,
 (taxing entity)^A
 the Board of Directors,
 (governing body)^B
 of the St. Vrain Lakes Metropolitan District No. 3,
 (local government)^C

Hereby officially certifies the following mills to be levied against the taxing entity's GROSS \$ 2,264,040 assessed valuation of: (GROSS^D assessed valuation, Line 2 of the Certification of Valuation Form DLG 57^E)

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: \$ 847,070 (NET^G assessed valuation, Line 4 of the Certification of Valuation Form DLG 57)

Submitted: 01/10/2024 for budget/fiscal year 2024.
 (no later than Dec. 15) (mm/dd/yyyy) (yyyy)

PURPOSE (see end notes for definitions and examples)	LEVY ²	REVENUE ²
1. General Operating Expenses ^H	<u>10.094</u> mills	<u>\$ 8,550.32</u>
2. <Minus> Temporary General Property Tax Credit/ Temporary Mill Levy Rate Reduction ^I	< > mills	\$ < >
SUBTOTAL FOR GENERAL OPERATING:	<u>10.094</u> mills	<u>\$ 8,550.32</u>
3. General Obligation Bonds and Interest ^J	<u>50.473</u> mills	<u>\$ 42,754.16</u>
4. Contractual Obligations ^K	<u>5.000</u> mills	<u>\$ 4,235.35</u>
5. Capital Expenditures ^L	_____ mills	\$ _____
6. Refunds/Abatements ^M	_____ mills	\$ _____
7. Other ^N (specify): _____	_____ mills	\$ _____
	_____ mills	\$ _____
TOTAL: [Sum of General Operating Subtotal and Lines 3 to 7]	<u>65.567</u> mills	<u>\$ 55,539.83</u>

Contact person: Amanda Castle Phone: (970) 669-3611
 Signed: Amanda Kae Castle Title: District Accountant

Survey Question: Does the taxing entity have voter approval to adjust the general operating levy to account for changes to assessment rates? 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 three decimal places and revenue must be calculated from the total NET assessed valuation (Line 4 of Form DLG57 on the County Assessor's FINAL 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:	Transfer of funds for debt service issued for repayment of costs related to infrastructure improvements
	Series:	Mill Levy Policy and Pledge Agreements between St Vrain Lakes Metropolitan District Nos. 1-4
	Date of Issue:	11/14/2017
	Coupon Rate:	5-5.125%
	Maturity Date:	12/1/2047
	Levy:	50.473
	Revenue:	\$42,754.16

2.	Purpose of Issue:	_____
	Series:	_____
	Date of Issue:	_____
	Coupon Rate:	_____
	Maturity Date:	_____
	Levy:	_____
	Revenue:	_____

CONTRACTS^K:

3.	Purpose of Contract:	Provide for the maintenance of regional parks, regional trails and public streets
	Title:	IGA with Town of Firestone
	Date:	12/09/2015
	Principal Amount:	N/A
	Maturity Date:	N/A
	Levy:	5.000
	Revenue:	\$4,235.35

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.

Notes:

^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^C.

^B **Governing 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.

^C **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 jurisdiction;
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.

^D **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.

^E **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 25th each year and may amend it, one time, prior to December 10th. Each entity must use the **FINAL** valuation provided by assessor when certifying a tax levy.

^F **TIF 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.

^G **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. **Please Note:** A downtown development authority (DDA) may be both a *taxing entity* and have also created its own *TIF area* and/or have a URA *TIF Area* within the DDA's boundaries. As a result DDAs may both receive operating revenue from their levy applied to their certified *NET assessed value* and also receive TIF revenue generated by any *tax entity* levies overlapping the DDA's *TIF Area*, including the DDA's own operating levy.

^H 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).

^I 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 applicable to 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.

^J 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.

^L Capital Expenditures (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 5)—These revenues are not subject to the statutory property tax revenue limit if they are approved by counties and municipalities through public hearings pursuant to 29-1-301(1.2) C.R.S. and for special districts through approval from the Division of Local Government pursuant to 29-1-302(1.5) C.R.S. or for any *taxing entity* if approved at election. 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: Pursuant to Article X, Section 3 of the Colorado Constitution, 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.

^N Other (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.



Management Budget Report

BOARD OF DIRECTORS
ST. VRAIN LAKES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3

We have presented the accompanying forecasted budget of revenues, expenditures and fund balances for the year ending December 31, 2024, including the comparative information of the forecasted estimate for the year ending December 31, 2023 and the actual historic information for the year 2022.

These financial statements are designed for management purposes and are intended for those who are knowledgeable about these matters. We have not audited, reviewed or compiled the accompanying forecast and, accordingly, do not express an opinion or provide any assurance about whether the forecast is in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Substantially all the disclosures required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America have been omitted. If the omitted disclosures were included in the forecast, they might influence the user's conclusions about the results of operations for the forecasted periods.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Amanda Kae Casteu". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Pinnacle Consulting Group, Inc.
January 29, 2024

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ST. VRAIN LAKES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3				
STATEMENT OF REVENUES & EXPENDITURES WITH BUDGETS				
GENERAL FUND				
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
	2022	2023	2023	2024
	Unaudited	Adopted	Projected	Adopted
	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget
Revenues				
Property Taxes	\$ 15,035	\$ 15,984	\$ 15,984	\$ 8,550
TIF Revenue	5,100	11,037	11,037	14,303
Specific Ownership	891	1,351	1,168	1,143
Property Taxes - Town of Firestone	6,426	7,954	7,954	4,235
TIF Revenue - Town of Firestone	2,180	5,492	5,492	7,085
Specific Ownership - FSL	380	672	581	566
Interest Income	-	1,000	-	1,000
Total Revenues	\$ 30,012	\$ 43,491	\$ 42,217	\$ 36,882
Expenditures				
Treasurer's Fees	\$ 226	\$ 405	\$ 405	\$ 343
Treasurer's Fees - Firestone	96	202	202	170
To Firestone - Property Taxes	8,889	13,244	13,825	11,717
Service Fees to District #1	20,801	28,640	27,785	23,653
Contingency	-	1,000	-	1,000
Total Expenditures	\$ 30,012	\$ 43,491	\$ 42,217	\$ 36,882
Revenues Over/(Under) Exp	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Beginning Fund Balance	-	-	-	-
Ending Fund Balance	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Mill Levy				
Operating	11.699	10.048	10.048	10.094
Debt Service	55.664	55.266	55.266	50.473
Town of Firestone IGA	5.000	5.000	5.000	5.000
Total Mill Levy	72.363	70.314	70.314	65.567
Assessed Value	\$ 842,532	\$ 1,590,796	\$ 1,590,796	\$ 847,070
TIF Assessed Value	\$ 442,588	\$ 1,098,454	\$ 1,098,454	\$ 1,416,970
Property Tax Revenue				
Operating	9,857	15,984	15,984	8,550
Debt Service	46,899	87,917	87,917	42,754
Town of Firestone IGA	4,213	7,954	7,954	4,235
Total Property Tax Revenue	\$ 60,968	\$ 111,855	\$ 111,855	\$ 55,540
DEBT SERVICE FUND				
	2022	2023	2023	2024
	Unaudited	Adopted	Projected	Adopted
	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget
Revenues				
Property Taxes	\$ 71,535	\$ 87,917	\$ 87,917	\$ 42,754
TIF Revenue	24,267	60,728	60,728	71,519
Specific Ownership	4,233	7,432	6,420	5,714
Interest Income/Contingency	-	1,000	-	1,000
Total Revenues	\$ 100,035	\$ 157,077	\$ 155,065	\$ 120,987
Expenditures				
Treasurer's Fees	\$ 1,073	\$ 2,230	\$ 2,230	\$ 1,714
Transfer to District #2	98,962	153,847	152,835	118,273
Contingency	-	1,000	-	1,000
Total Expenditures	\$ 100,035	\$ 157,077	\$ 155,065	\$ 120,987
Revenues Over/(Under) Exp	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Beginning Fund Balance	-	-	-	-
Ending Fund Balance	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

ST. VRAIN LAKES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 3
2024 BUDGET MESSAGE

St. Vrain Lakes Metropolitan District No. 3 is a quasi-municipal corporation organized and operated pursuant to provisions set forth in the Colorado Special District Act and was formed in 2006. The District was established as part of a “Multiple District Structure” in an unincorporated portion of Weld County, Colorado consisting of approximately 489.5 acres, and later annexed into the Town of Firestone, Colorado in 2015. Along with its companion District Nos. 1 (Service District) and 2 and 4 (“Financing Districts”), the District was organized to provide financing for managing the design, acquisition, installation, construction, financing, operating and/or maintaining public improvements. The public improvements are constructed for the use and benefit of all anticipated inhabitants, property owners, and taxpayers of the Districts and public in general.

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

The budget is prepared on the modified accrual basis of accounting, which is consistent with the basis of accounting used in presenting the District's financial statements.

In preparing the 2024 budget, the following goals are foremost for the District:

- Provide financing to District No. 1 for the operations and maintenance of the District.
- Provide financing to District No. 2 for the District’s debt obligations.

General Fund

Revenues

The District had a final assessed valuation of \$847,070 and certified a mill levy of 10.094 for operations resulting in \$8,550 in property taxes and \$14,303 in TIF revenues (Urban Renewal Authority) through the Town of Firestone. Specific ownership taxes of \$1,143 also contribute to the amount available for transfer to District No. 1 for operations and maintenance. The District also certified a mill levy of 5.000 per an intergovernmental agreement with The Town of Firestone. Funds collected in property taxes and TIF revenues through this mill levy is \$4,235 and \$7,085, respectively.

Expenditures

The amount budgeted for treasurer’s fees, \$343, is subtracted from the revenues available for transfer to District No. 1, \$23,996, leaving \$23,653 budgeted as a transfer to District No. 1. Also budgeted is \$11,717 for payment to the Town of Firestone. This amount consists of total revenues available of \$11,887 less the associated treasurer’s fees of \$170.

Fund Balance/Reserves

The fund balance of the District's General Fund is budgeted at \$0 due to District No. 1 holding all TABOR reserves.

Debt Service Fund

Revenues

The District had a final assessed valuation of \$847,070 and certified a mill levy of 50.473 for debt obligations resulting in revenues of \$42,754. In addition to this property tax amount, TIF revenues from the Town of Firestone and specific ownership taxes in the amounts of \$71,519 and \$5,714, respectively, add to the amount available for transferring to District No. 2 for debt obligations.

Expenditures

The amount budgeted for treasurer's fees, \$1,714, is subtracted from the revenues available to transfer to District No. 2, \$119,987, leaving \$118,273 budgeted as a transfer to District No. 2.

CERTIFICATION OF VALUATION BY WELD COUNTY ASSESSOR

Name of Jurisdiction: 1435 - ST VRAIN LAKES METRO 3

IN WELD COUNTY ON 12/10/2023

New Entity: No

USE FOR STATUTORY PROPERTY TAX REVENUE LIMIT CALCULATIONS (5.5% LIMIT) ONLY

IN ACCORDANCE WITH 39-5-121(2)(a) AND 39-5-128(1),C.R.S. AND NO LATER THAN AUGUST 25, THE ASSESSOR CERTIFIES THE TOTAL VALUATION FOR ASSESSMENT FOR THE TAXABLE YEAR 2023 IN WELD COUNTY, COLORADO

1. PREVIOUS YEAR'S NET TOTAL TAXABLE ASSESSED VALUATION:	\$1,590,796
2. CURRENT YEAR'S GROSS TOTAL TAXABLE ASSESSED VALUATION: *	\$2,264,040
3. LESS TIF DISTRICT INCREMENT, IF ANY:	\$1,416,970
4. CURRENT YEAR'S NET TOTAL TAXABLE ASSESSED VALUATION:	\$847,070
5. NEW CONSTRUCTION: **	\$0
6. INCREASED PRODUCTION OF PRODUCING MINES: #	\$0
7. ANNEXATIONS/INCLUSIONS:	\$0
8. PREVIOUSLY EXEMPT FEDERAL PROPERTY: #	\$0
9. NEW PRIMARY OIL OR GAS PRODUCTION FROM ANY PRODUCING OIL AND GAS LEASEHOLD ## OR LAND (29-1-301(1)(b) C.R.S.):	\$0
10. TAXES COLLECTED LAST YEAR ON OMITTED PROPERTY AS OF AUG. 1 (29-1-301(1))(a) C.R.S.):	\$0.00
11. TAXES ABATED AND REFUNDED AS OF AUG. 1 (29-1-301(1)(a) C.R.S.) and (39-10-114(1)(a)(I)(B) C.R.S.):	\$14,055.78

* This value reflects personal property exemptions IF enacted by the jurisdiction as authorized by Art. X, Sec.20(8)(b), Colo.

** New construction is defined as: Taxable real property structures and the personal property connected with the structure.

Jurisdiction must submit respective certifications (Forms DLG 52 AND 52A) to the Division of Local Government in order for the values to be treated as growth in the limit calculation.

Jurisdiction must apply (Forms DLG 52B) to the Division of Local Government before the value can be treated as growth in the limit calculation.

USE FOR 'TABOR' LOCAL GROWTH CALCULATIONS ONLY

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISION OF ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, COLO CONST, AND 39-5-121(2)(b),C.R.S. THE ASSESSOR CERTIFIES THE TOTAL ACTUAL VALUATION FOR THE TAXABLE YEAR 2023 IN WELD COUNTY, COLORADO ON AUGUST 25, 2023

1. CURRENT YEAR'S TOTAL ACTUAL VALUE OF ALL REAL PROPERTY: @	\$1,859,210
ADDITIONS TO TAXABLE REAL PROPERTY:	
2. CONSTRUCTION OF TAXABLE REAL PROPERTY IMPROVEMENTS: !	\$0
3. ANNEXATIONS/INCLUSIONS:	\$0
4. INCREASED MINING PRODUCTION: %	\$0
5. PREVIOUSLY EXEMPT PROPERTY:	\$0
6. OIL OR GAS PRODUCTION FROM A NEW WELL:	\$0
7. TAXABLE REAL PROPERTY OMITTED FROM THE PREVIOUS YEAR'S TAX WARRANT:	\$0
<small>(If land and/or a structure is picked up as omitted property for multiple years, only the most current year's actual value can be reported as omitted property.)</small>	
DELETIONS FROM TAXABLE REAL PROPERTY:	
8. DESTRUCTION OF TAXABLE REAL PROPERTY IMPROVEMENTS:	\$0
9. DISCONNECTIONS/EXCLUSION:	\$0
10. PREVIOUSLY TAXABLE PROPERTY:	\$0

@ This includes the actual value of all taxable real property plus the actual value of religious, private schools, and charitable real property.

! Construction is defined as newly constructed taxable real property structures.

% Includes production from new mines and increases in production of existing producing mines.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH 39-5-128(1),C.R.S. AND NO LATER THAN AUGUST 25, THE ASSESSOR CERTIFIES TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS : 1. TOTAL ACTUAL VALUE OF ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY:----->	\$0
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NOTE: All levies must be Certified to the Board of County Commissioners NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 15, 2023

IN ACCORDANCE WITH 39-5-128(1.5)C.R.S. THE ASSESSOR PROVIDES: HB21-1312 ASSESSED VALUE OF EXEMPT BUSINESS PERSONAL PROPERTY (ESTIMATED): **	
<small>** The tax revenue lost due to this exempted value will be reimbursed to the tax entity by the County Treasurer in accordance with 39-3-119 f(3). C.R.S.</small>	