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

The Board of Directors of HighPointe Park Metropolitan District (the "**Board**"), City of Thornton, Adams County, Colorado (the "**District**"), held a special meeting, via teleconference on November 30, 2023, at the hour of 2:00 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

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AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

State of Colorado }
County of Adams } ss

This Affidavit of Publication for the Northglenn-Thornton Sentinel, a weekly newspaper, printed and published for the County of Adams, State of Colorado, hereby certifies that the attached legal notice was published in said newspaper once in each week, for 1 successive week(s), the last of which publication was made 11/16/2023, and that copies of each number of said paper in which said Public Notice was published were delivered by carriers or transmitted by mail to each of the subscribers of said paper, according to their accustomed mode of business in this office.

For the Northglenn-Thornton Sentinel

State of Colorado }
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The above Affidavit and Certificate of Publication was subscribed and sworn to before me by the above named Linda Shapley, publisher of said newspaper, who is personally known to me to be the identical person in the above certificate on 11/16/2023. Linda Shapley has verified to me that she has adopted an electronic signature to function as her signature on this document.

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Carla Bethke Notary Public My commission ends April 11, 2026

CARLA BETHKE
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF COLORADO
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MY COMMISSION EXPIRES APRIL 11, 2026

Public Notice

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED 2024 BUDGET AND NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING OF THE AMENDED 2023 BUDGET

The Board of Directors (the "Board") of the HIGHPOINTE PARK METROPOLITAN DISTRICT (the "District"), will hold a public hearing via teleconference on November 30, 2023, at 2:00 p.m., to consider adoption of the District's proposed 2024 budget (the "Proposed Budget"), and, if necessary, adoption of an amendment to the 2023 budget (the "Amended Budget"). The public hearing may be joined using the following teleconference information:

https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81321210486?pwd=t f0bLjeNuigjIFUjK66z1h36ZLsD7y.1 Meeting ID: 813 2121 0486 Passcode: 776782 Call In: 720-707-2699

The Proposed Budget and Amended Budget are available for inspection by the public at the offices of Simmons & Wheeler, 304 Inverness Way S #490, Englewood, CO 80112

Any interested elector of the District may file any objections to the Proposed Budget and Amended Budget at any time prior to the final adoption of the Proposed Budget or the Amended Budget by the Board.

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

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS: HIGHPOINTE PARK METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, a quasi-municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of Colorado

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

Legal Notice No. NTS3125 First Publication: November 16, 2023 Last Publication: November 16, 2023 Publisher: Northglenn-Thornton Sentinel 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 22.649 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 43.318 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 0.000 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District.

Section 1. <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 2. 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 3. <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 Adams 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 4. <u>Appropriations</u>. The amounts set forth as expenditures in the budget attached hereto are hereby appropriated.

Section 5. <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 6. <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 NOVEMBER 30, 2023.

DISTRICT:

HIGHPOINTE PARK METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, a quasi-municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of Colorado

By: John Paig (Dec 18, 2023 17:51 MST)

Officer of the District

Attest:

By: Kate Innes (Dec 2, 2023 09:42 MST)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

WHITE BEAR ANKELE TANAKA & WALDRON

Attorneys at Law

General Counsel to the District

STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF ADAMS HIGHPOINTE PARK METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

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 Thursday, November 30, 2023, as recorded in the official record of the proceedings of the District.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name this 2nd day of December, 2023.

Kate Innes (Dec 2, 2023 09:2

Signature

EXHIBIT A BUDGET DOCUMENT BUDGET MESSAGE

HIGHPOINTE PARK METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

2024 BUDGET MESSAGE

Attached please find a copy of the adopted 2024 budget for the HighPointe Park Metropolitan District.

The HighPointe Park Metropolitan District has adopted budgets for three funds, a General Fund to provide for the payment of general operating and maintenance expenditures; a Capital Projects Fund to provide for the estimated infrastructure costs that are to be built for the benefit of the district; and a Debt Service Fund to provide for payments 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 source of revenue for the district in 2024 will be tax revenue. The district intends to impose an 70.967 mill levy on the property within the district for 2024, of which 22.649 mills will be dedicated to the General Fund and the balance of 48.318 mills will be allocated to the Debt Service Fund.

HighPointe Park Metropolitan District Adopted Budget General Fund For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

		Adopted Actual Budget Actual 2022 2023 7/31/2023			Ε	stimate <u>2023</u>	Adopted Budget <u>2024</u>			
Beginning balance	\$	221,018	\$	284,675	\$	230,200	\$	230,200	\$	306,683
Revenues:										
Property taxes		244,217		248,319		248,543		248,543		251,344
Abated property taxes		(5,704)		-		-		-		-
Specific ownership taxes		19,894		28,505		9,625		16,500		20,108
Abated interest income		(1,403)		-		-		-		-
Interest income				500		92		100		100
Total Revenue		257,004		277,324		258,260		265,143		271,552
Total Funds Available		478,022		561,999		488,460		495,343		578,235
Expenditures:										
Accounting		7,435		12,000		4,314		10,000		12,000
Audit		5,400		6,000		6,368		6,368		7,000
Director's Fees		600		600		-		600		600
Election		2,566		7,500		3,832		3,832		-
Insurance/SDA Dues		10,921		12,750		12,272		12,272		13,750
Legal		15,301		25,000		14,091		25,000		25,000
Miscellaneous/Office/Webite		568		500		300		1,000		1,500
Locates		1,728		3,000		564		2,000		3,000
Payroll Taxes		46		50		20		50		50
Treasurer's Fees		3,564		3,846		3,715		3,846		3,891
Landscape Maintenance Fee		54,451		43,000		33,034		54,792		55,000
Mulch		12,165		18,000		22,414		23,000		25,500
Detention Pond		-		-		-		-		5,500
Repair and Replacement		10,484		5,000		200		2,500		6,000
Pavers/curb in roundabout		-		-		-		-		30,000
Irrigation		27,622		25,000		10,686		25,000		25,000
Snow removal		-		15,000		- 0.705		5,000		11,500
Street Lighting		4,477		4,500		2,785		4,500		4,500
Lighting Repair/Replacement		12,925		10,000		511		2,500		10,000
Professional Services		3,169		4,000		3,543		4,000		4,000
Mapping Service Contingency		2,400		2,400		1,400		2,400		2,400 332,044
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Total expenditures	_	175,822		547,735	_	120,049	_	188,660		578,235
Transfers and Reserves										
Required Debt Service Reserve		-		8,320		-		-		-
Transfer to/from other funds		72,000		-		-		-		-
Emergency Reserve				5,944						
Total Transfers and Reserves		72,000		14,264		- 000 444				-
Ending balance	\$	230,200	\$		\$	368,411	\$	306,683	\$	
Assessed Valuation			\$	9,210,670					\$ 1	1,097,370
Mill Levy				26.960						22.649

HighPointe Park Metropolitan District Adopted Budget Capital Projects Fund For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

	Actual <u>2022</u>		Adopted Budget <u>2023</u>		Actual <u>7/31/2023</u>		Estimate 2023		Proposed Budget <u>2024</u>	
Beginning balance	\$	5,829	\$	5,829	\$	5,829	\$	5,829	\$	5,829
Revenues: Capital Development Fees			_	5,000						5,000
Total Revenue				5,000						5,000
Total Funds Available		5,829		10,829		5,829		5,829	-	10,829
Expenditures: Paver repairs			_	5,000		<u>-</u>				5,000
Total expenditures				5,000					-	5,000
Ending balance	\$	5,829	\$	5,829	\$	5,829	\$	5,829	\$	5,829

HighPointe Park Metropolitan District Adopted Budget Debt Service Fund For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

	Actual <u>2022</u>	S .			Estimate 2023		Proposed Budget <u>2024</u>		
Beginning balance	\$ 219,735	\$	264,941	\$	284,208	\$	284,208	\$	318,515
Revenues:									
Property taxes	504,231		523,102		523,590		523,590		536,203
Abated Property taxes	(11,776)		-		-		-		-
Specific Ownership Taxes	41,076		52,310		20,275		34,757		32,172
Abated Interest	(2,852)		-		-		-		-
Interest income	 12,267		3,708		20,903		25,000	-	5,000
Total Revenue	542,946		579,120		564,768		583,347		573,375
Total Funds Available	 762,681		844,061		848,976		867,555		891,890
Expenditures:									
Treasurer's Fees	7,358		8,098		7,827		8,098		8,294
Bond Principal 2014	25,000		25,000		-		25,000		25,000
Bond Principal 2016A	20,000		20,000		_		20,000		20,000
Bond Principal 2016B	10,000		10,000		_		10,000		10,000
Bond Interest 2014	88,550		86,800		43,400		86,800		85,050
Bond Interest 2016A	64,706		63,431		31,716		63,431		62,156
Bond Interest 2016B	38,981		38,194		19,097		38,194		37,406
Bond interest 2018	174,300		174,300		87,150		174,300		174,300
Bond interest 2020	120,218		120,218		60,109		120,218		120,218
Paying agent fees	 1,360		3,000		1,700		3,000		4,000
Total expenditures	 550,473	_	549,041		250,999		549,041		546,424
Transfers and Reserves									
Transfer to/from other funds	 (72,000)		<u>-</u>						
Total Transfers and Reserves	 (72,000)								
Ending balance	\$ 284,208	\$	295,021	\$	597,977	\$	318,515	\$	345,466
Assessed Valuation		\$	9,210,670					\$ 1	1,097,370
Mill Levy		_	56.793						48.318
Total Mill Levy		_	83.753						70.967