# RESOLUTION ADOPTING BUDGET, APPROPRIATING SUMS OF MONEY AND CERTIFYING MILL LEVIES FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2025

The Board of Directors of Remuda Ridge Metropolitan District (the "Board"), City of Fountain, El Paso County, Colorado (the "District"), held a regular meeting, via teleconference and at 555 Middle Creek Parkway, Suite 500, Colorado Springs, CO on November 20, 2024, at the hour of 2:30 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 2025 BUDGET

#### **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 11/16/2024

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 11/20/2024, at said City of Colorado Springs, El Paso County, Colorado.

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My commission expires June 23, 2026.

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Karen Hogan Notary Public

KAREN HOGAN
NOTARY PUBLIC
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#### NUMBER OF STREET

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED 2025 BUDGET AND NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE AMENDED 2024 BUDGET

The Board of Directors (the "Bead") of the REMUDA RUBGE METER OPENITARION STRICT (the "Observed"), will hold a public hearing via tele-conference on November 20, 2024, at 2:39 p.m., to consider adoption of the District's proposed 2025 budget (the "Proposed Badget").

"Assended Badget"). The public hearing may be joined using the following telesconference information:

https://video.cloudoffica.avava.com/loin/89273518; You can also dial in using your phone, United States: +1 (213) 463-4560 &come Ee-8ic 392735182

The Proposed Budget and Amended Budget are available for inspection by the public at the offices of Walker Schooler Ditrict Managers. Any interested elector of the District may file any objections to the Proposed Budget and Amended Budget at any time prior to the hall adoption of the Proposed Budget or Amended Sudget by the

The agenda for any meeting may be obtained at https://remidaridgemd.colorado.gov/ or by calling (719) 447-1777.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS: REMUDA, RIDGE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, a quasi-municipal corpo tion and political subdivision of the State of Colorado

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

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WHEREAS, the Board has appointed 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 available for inspection by the public at a designated place, a public hearing was held and interested electors of the District were provided a public comment period and given the opportunity to file any objections to the proposed budget prior to the final 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 2025. 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 of Property Taxes</u>. The Board does hereby certify the levy of property taxes for collection in 2025 as more specifically set out in the budget attached hereto.

Section 3. <u>Mill Levy Adjustment</u>. 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 4. <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 El Paso 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 5. <u>Appropriations</u>. The amounts set forth as expenditures in the budget attached hereto are hereby appropriated from the revenue of each fund for the purposes stated.

Section 6. <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 7. <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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#### **DISTRICT:**

REMUDA RIDGE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, a quasi-municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of Colorado

By: Richard A. van Seenus (Dec 6, 2024 16:12 MST)

Officer of the District

ATTEST:

Sandra Hazelton

By: Sandra Hazelton (Dec 9, 2024 08:34 MST)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

WHITE BEAR ANKELE TANAKA & WALDRON Attorneys at Law

Sean Allen

General Counsel to the District

STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF EL PASO REMUDA RIDGE 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 at via teleconference on Wednesday, November 20, 2024, as recorded in the official record of the proceedings of the District.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name this 20<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2024.

Jak Pattamasarv

Signature

# EXHIBIT A BUDGET DOCUMENT BUDGET MESSAGE

#### REMUDA RIDGE 2025 BUDGET GENERAL FUND

	2023 2024 Actual Actua		2024 ACTUAL	2024 BUDGET		2025 BUDGET			
GENERAL FUND BEGINNING BALANCE	\$	10,841	\$	1,412	1,412 \$ 36,6			5 \$ 19,017	
REVENUES									
PROPERTY TAXES - 0&M	\$	4,879	\$	8,410	\$	8,373	\$	13,763	
SPECIFIC OWNERSHIP TAXES - 0&M	\$	509	\$	786	\$	586	\$	963	
ASSET MAINTENANCE FEE	•						\$	44,851	
DELINQUENT INTEREST	\$	1	\$	1					
DESIGN FEE	•		\$	350		407.000		404.004	
DEVELOPER ADVANCE	\$	59,345	\$	•	\$	137,000		134,231	
SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL FEE	\$	215	\$	5,900	\$	3,465	\$	8,811	
DISTRICT SERVICE FEES	\$	381							
TRANSFER FEE			\$	707					
LATE FEES/PENALTIES									
INTEREST INCOME	_		_		_		_		
TOTAL REVENUES	\$	65,330	\$	75,525	\$	149,424	\$	202,620	
TOTAL REVENUES AND FUND BALANCE	\$	76,171	\$	76,937	\$	186,079	\$	221,637	
EXPENDITURES									
GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE									
ACCOUNTING/ AUDIT	\$	11,800	¢	9,600	¢	10,000	\$	10,275	
BANK FEES	\$	48	\$	3,000	Ψ	10,000	\$	50	
DISTRICT MANAGEMENT/ACCOUNTING	\$	9,544	\$	21,205	\$	24,000	\$	30,000	
DUES - SDA	\$	289	\$	261	\$	750	\$	750	
ELECTION	Ψ	200	Ψ	201	Ψ	750	\$	10,000	
INSURANCE	\$	6,247	\$	4,266	\$	4,000	\$	4,000	
LEGAL	\$	29,849	\$	•	\$	25,000	\$	27,000	
MISCELLANELOUS	\$	99	\$	3,292	Ψ	23,000	Ψ	27,000	
OFFICE SUPPLIES	Ψ	33	\$	102	¢	1,000	\$	1,000	
ACCESSIBILITY COMPLIANCE			Ψ	102	Ψ	1,000	\$	3,500	
TREASURERS FEE	\$	73	\$	126	\$	126	\$	206	
OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE		75	Ψ	120	Ψ	120	Ψ	200	
REPAIRS & MAINTENANCE	\$	16,810			\$	5,000	\$	5,000	
STORM WATER	φ	10,010			\$	1,400	\$	1,400	
LANDSCAPING					\$	28,150	\$	42,225	
SNOW REMOVAL					\$	4,100	\$	6,150	
UTILITIES					\$	30,651	\$	45,977	
TRASH COLLECTION			\$	4,834	\$	3,150		8,010	
CONTINGENCY			Ψ	4,004	\$	10,000		10,000	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$	74,759	\$	68,335	\$	147,327	\$	205,543	
	\$								
ENDING FUND BALANCE		1,412		8,602		38,752		16,094	
EMERGENCY RESERVE: State Required 3%	\$	2,243	\$	2,050	\$	4,420	\$	6,166	
ASSESSED VALUATION	\$	487,830	\$	704,750	\$	704,750	\$	1,084,840	
MILL LEVY		10.000		11.881		11.881		12.687	

#### REMUDA RIDGE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT 2025 BUDGET DEBT SERVICE FUND

	ı	2023 ACTUAL		2024 ACTUAL		2024 BUDGET		2025 BUDGET	
DEBT FUND BEGINNING BALANCE	\$	8,618	\$	23,695	\$	5,046	\$	-	
REVENUES									
PROPERTY TAXES	\$	19,514	\$	33,639	\$	33,491	\$	55,056	
SPECIFIC OWNERSHIP TAXES	\$	2,035	\$	3,145	\$	2,344	\$	3,854	
DELINQUENT INTEREST	\$	5	\$	4	\$	-			
INTEREST INCOME	\$	816	\$	2,375					
TOTAL REVENUES	\$	22,370	\$	39,163	\$	35,836	\$	58,910	
TOTAL REVENUES AND FUND BALANCE	\$	30,988	\$	62,858	\$	40,882	\$	58,910	
EXPENDITURES									
COST OF ISSUANCE	\$	3,000							
COUNTY TREASURER'S FEE	\$	293	\$	505	\$	502	\$	826	
TRUSTEE FEE	\$	4,000	\$	4,000	\$	6,000	\$	4,000	
BANK FEES	\$	-	\$	88	\$	-	\$	-	
BOND INTREST EXPENSE	\$	-	\$	51,714	\$	34,379	\$	54,084	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$	7,293	\$	56,307	\$	40,882	\$	58,910	
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$	23,695	\$	6,551	\$	-	\$	-	
ASSESSED VALUATION MILL LEVY TOTAL MILL LEVY	\$	487,830 40.000 50.000	\$	704,750 47.522 59.403	\$	704,750 47.522 59.403	\$	1,084,840 50.750 63.437	

#### REMUDA RIDGE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT 2025 BUDGET CAPAITAL PROJECTS FUND

			2023 ACTUAL	_	024 TUAL	_	2024 IDGET	_	2025 IDGET
CAPITAL	PROJECTS FUND BEGINNING BALANCE	\$	4,181,203	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
REVENUE	S								
	INTEREST INCOME	\$	48,779						
	TOTAL REVENUES	\$	48,779	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
	TOTAL REVENUES AND FUND BALANCE	\$	4,229,982	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
EXPENDITURES									
	CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	\$	4,505,614						
	BANK FEES			\$	-				
	PLANNING AND ENGINEERING	\$	16,810						
	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$	4,522,424	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
OTHER FINANCEING SOURCES AND USES									
O THEIT III	DEVELOPER ADVANCE PROCEEDS	\$	292,442						
ENDING F	UND BALANCE	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-

#### REMUDA RIDGE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT 2025 BUDGET MESSAGE

Attached please find a copy of the adopted 2025 budget for the Remuda Ridge Metropolitan District.

The Remuda Ridge Metropolitan District has adopted three separate funds, a General Fund to provide for the payment of general operating expenditures; a Capital Projects Fund to provide for the estimated capital improvement costs that are to be incurred for the benefit of the district; and a Debt Service Fund to provide for payments on the proposed general obligation debt.

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 2025 will be property taxes, fees, and developer advances. The district intends to impose a 63.437 mill levy on property within the district for 2025, of which 12.687 mills will be dedicated to the General Fund and the balance of 50.750 mills will be allocated to the Debt Service Fund.

# **RRMD 2025 Budget Resolution**

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

TO: County Commissioners¹ of EL PASO COU	NTY	, Colorado.		
On behalf of the REMUDA RIDGE METROPOL	ITAN DISTRICT			
	(taxing entity) <sup>A</sup>			
the BOARD OF DIRECTORS				
	(governing body) <sup>B</sup>			
of the <u>REMUDA RIDGE METROPOL</u>	local government) <sup>C</sup>			
Hereby officially certifies the following mills to be levied against the taxing entity's GROSS \$ 1,084,8		ation of Valuation Form DLG 57 <sup>E</sup> )		
property tax revenue will be derived from the mill levy multiplied against the NET assessed valuation of:	assessed valuation, Line 4 of the Certificat			
Submitted: 12/09/2024 fo (not later than Dec. 15) (mm/dd/yyyy)		<u>2025</u> . (yyyy)		
(Internal Court Co		03377		
PURPOSE (see end notes for definitions and examples)	LEVY <sup>2</sup>	REVENUE <sup>2</sup>		
1. General Operating Expenses <sup>H</sup>	12.687mills	\$ 13,763		
<ol> <li><minus> Temporary General Property Tax Credit/ Temporary Mill Levy Rate Reduction<sup>I</sup></minus></li> </ol>	< > mills	\$< >		
SUBTOTAL FOR GENERAL OPERATING:	<b>12.687</b> mills	\$ 13,763		
3. General Obligation Bonds and Interest <sup>J</sup>	<b>50.75</b> 0 mills	\$ 55,056		
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):	mills	\$		
	mills	\$		
TOTAL: [Sum of General Operating ]	60.437 mills	\$ 68,819		
Contact person: (print) Susan Gonzales	Daytime phone: (719)-447-1777	7		
Signed:	Title: CPA			

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.

<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.

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:

BOI	NDS:	
1.	Purpose of Issue:	\$5,520,000 Limited Tax General Obligation Bonds
	Series:	2021A(3)
	Date of Issue:	November 23, 2021
	Coupon Rate:	5.625%
	Maturity Date:	December 1, 2051
	Levy:	50.750
	Revenue:	\$55,056
2.	Purpose of Issue:	
	Series:	
	Date of Issue:	
	Coupon Rate:	
	Maturity Date:	
	Levy:	
	Revenue:	
CO	NTRACTS:	
3.	5000	
	Title:	
	Date:	
	Principal Amount:	
	Maturity Date:	
	Levy:	
	Revenue:	
4.	Purpose of Contract:	
4.	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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