

**Pioneer Hills Metropolitan District
Annual Report
For Fiscal Year 2025**

Submitted to:

**Manager of the Office of Development Assistance of the City
Manager's Office, City of Aurora**

July 31, 2026

Also filed with:

Arapahoe County Clerk & Recorder, Colorado Division of Local Government in the
Department of Local Affairs & Colorado State Auditor

The Pioneer Hills Metropolitan District (the “District”) hereby submits this annual report, as required pursuant to Section VIII of the Service Plan of the District dated January 30, 2006 (the “Service Plan”) approved by the City Council of the City of Aurora (the “City”). In addition, pursuant to Section 32-1-207(3)(c), C.R.S., the District is required to submit an annual report for the preceding calendar year to the City, the Division of Local Government, the state auditor, and the Arapahoe County Clerk and Recorder. This annual report is being submitted to satisfy the reporting requirement for the year 2025. For the year ending December 31, 2025, the District makes the following report pursuant to the Service Plan:

1. Boundary changes made or proposed to the District’s boundary as of December 31 of the prior year.

No boundary changes have occurred since the organization of the District. No boundary changes are currently proposed for the District.

2. Intergovernmental agreements with other governmental entities either entered into or proposed as of December 31 of the prior year.

The District did not enter into or propose to enter into any intergovernmental agreements in 2025.

3. Copies of the District’s rules and regulations, if any, as of December 31 of the prior year.

On December 24, 2023 the Official Custodian of the District adopted Amended and Restated Rules Related to Requests for Inspection of Public Records Pursuant to the Colorado Open Records Act, Sections 24-72-200.1 et seq., C.R.S. (the “Amended and Restated CORA Rules”). A copy of the Amended and Restated CORA Rules are attached hereto as Exhibit A.

4. A summary of any litigation which involves the District public improvements as of December 31 of the prior year.

As of December 31, 2025, the District’s legal counsel had no knowledge of any litigation which involves the District’s public improvements.

5. Status of the District’s construction of the public improvements as of December 31 of the prior year.

As of December 31, 2025, the District’s construction of all intended public improvements was complete.

- 6. A list of all facilities and improvements constructed by the District that have been dedicated to and accepted by the City as of December 31 of the prior year.**

As of December 31, 2025, there were no new facilities or improvements constructed by the District.

- 7. The assessed valuation of the District for the current year.**

The assessed valuation for the District for 2025 is \$9,925,834.00.

- 8. Current year budget, including a description of the public improvements to be constructed in such year.**

The Board of Directors of the District adopted its 2026 budget on November 18, 2025, and a copy is attached hereto as Exhibit B. No public improvement projects are scheduled or proposed to be constructed in 2026.

- 9. Audit of the District's financial statements, for the year ending December 31 of the previous year, prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or audit exemption, if applicable.**

The District's audit exemption for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2025 is attached hereto as Exhibit C.

- 10. Notice of any uncured events of default by the District, which continue beyond a ninety (90) day period, under any debt instrument.**

The District has no uncured events of default at this time.

- 11. Any inability of the District to pay its obligations as they come due, in accordance with the terms of such obligations, which continue beyond a ninety (90) day period.**

There is currently no inability on the part of the District to pay its obligations as they come due in accordance with the terms of such obligations.

For the year ending December 31, 2025, the District makes the following report pursuant to Section 32-1-207(3)(c), C.R.S.:

(A) Boundary changes made.

Please see Section 1 above.

(B) Intergovernmental agreements entered or terminated with other governmental entities.

Please see Section 2 above.

(C) Access information to obtain a copy of rules and regulations adopted by the board.

For information concerning rules and regulations adopted by the District please contact the District's Manager:

Ashly Dorey
Community Resource Services of Colorado, LLC
7795 E. Prentice Ave, Suite 100
Greenwood Village, CO 80111
Phone: (303) 381-4994
Email: adorey@crsofcolorado.com

(D) A summary of litigation involving public improvements owned by the special district.

Please see Section 4 above.

(E) The status of the construction of public improvements by the special district.

Please see Section 5 above.

(F) A list of facilities or improvements constructed by the special district that were conveyed or dedicated to the county or municipality.

Please see Section 6 above.

(G) The final assessed valuation of the special district as of December 31 of the reporting year.

Please see Section 7 above.

(H) A copy of the current year's budget.

Please see Section 8 above.

(I) A copy of the audited financial statements, if required by the "Colorado Local Government Audit Law", part 6 of article 1 of title 29, or the application for exemption from audit, as applicable.

Please see Section 9 above.

(J) Notice of any uncured defaults existing for more than ninety days under any debt instrument of the special district.

Please see Section 10 above.

(K) Any inability of the special district to pay its obligations as they come due under any obligation which continues beyond a ninety-day period.

Please see Section 11 above.

Exhibit A

CORA Rules & Regulations

PIONEER HILLS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

AMENDED AND RESTATED RULES RELATED TO REQUESTS FOR INSPECTION OF PUBLIC RECORDS PURSUANT TO THE COLORADO OPEN RECORDS ACT, SECTIONS 24-72-200.1 *et seq.*, C.R.S.

WHEREAS, Pioneer Hills Metropolitan District (the “District”) is a special district organized and existing pursuant to Sections 32-1-101 *et seq.*, C.R.S.; and

WHEREAS, the District is a political subdivision for purposes of the Colorado Open Records Act, Sections 24-72-200.1 *et seq.*, C.R.S., as may be amended from time to time (“CORA”), as defined in Section 24-72-202(5), C.R.S., and is thus subject to CORA; and

WHEREAS, the District has designated an “Official Custodian,” as that term is defined in Section 24-72-202(2), C.R.S., who is responsible for the maintenance, care, and keeping of the District’s public records, regardless of whether the records are in his or her actual personal custody and control; and

WHEREAS, the District has designated a “Custodian,” as that term is defined in Section 24-72-202(1.1), C.R.S., who shall serve as the repository for the District’s public records and shall have personal custody and control of the District’s public records and assist the Official Custodian with the maintenance, care, and keeping of the District’s public records; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 24-72-203(1)(a), C.R.S., the Official Custodian may make such rules with reference to the inspection of public records as are reasonably necessary for the protection of such records and the prevention of unnecessary interference with the regular discharge of the duties of the Custodian and the Custodian’s office; and

WHEREAS, the Official Custodian finds it is necessary and in the best interests of the District to adopt certain rules with reference to the inspection of its public records.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE OFFICIAL CUSTODIAN MAKES AND ADOPTS THE FOLLOWING RULES WITH REFERENCE TO THE INSPECTION OF THE PIONEER HILLS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT’S PUBLIC RECORDS:

1. Inspection of Public Records. All “Public Records” of the District, as such term is defined in Section 24-72-202(6), C.R.S., shall be available for public inspection by any person at reasonable times as provided in CORA, except as otherwise provided in CORA or as otherwise provided by law. All requests to inspect Public Records shall be in writing and delivered to the Custodian or his or her designee. Upon the receipt of a written request to inspect Public Records, the Custodian or his or her designee shall set a date and hour at which time the requested Public Records will be available for inspection, which date and hour of inspection shall be between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M., Mountain Standard Time, three (3) working days or less from the date such Public Records were requested for inspection unless extenuating circumstances exist as provided

in Section 24-72-203(3)(b), C.R.S. The day the request is received, weekends, and legally recognized holidays shall not count as a working day for the purposes of computing the date set for inspection of Public Records. A modification to a request for Public Records is considered a new request.

2. Notification for Inspecting Public Records Not Under Control of the Custodian. If the Public Records requested are not in the custody or control of the Custodian or the Official Custodian, the Custodian or his or her designee shall notify the person requesting to inspect such records that said records are not in the custody or control of the Official Custodian or the Custodian. The notification shall state in detail to the best of the Custodian's knowledge and belief, the reason for the absence of the records, the location of the records, and what person has custody or controls the records.
3. Notification for Inspecting Public Records in Use or Otherwise Unavailable. If the Public Records requested are in active use, in storage, or otherwise not readily available at the time requested, the Custodian or his or her designee shall notify the person requesting to inspect the Public Records of the status of the Public Records. Such notification shall be made in writing if desired by the person requesting to inspect the Public Records.
4. Copies of Public Records. Within the period specified in Section 24-72-203(3), C.R.S., the Custodian or his or her designee shall notify the person requesting a copy of the Public Records that a copy of the Public Records is available but will only be sent to the requester once the Custodian either receives payment or makes arrangements for receiving payment for all costs associated with records transmission and for all other fees lawfully allowed, regardless of whether provided for herein, unless recovery of all or any portion of such costs or fees has been waived by the Custodian. Upon receipt of such payment, the Custodian or his or her designee shall send a copy of the Public Records to the requester as soon as practicable but no more than three (3) business days after receipt of, or making arrangements to receive, such payment.
5. Fees for Copies of Public Records. The Custodian or his or her designee shall furnish, for a fee as set forth herein, a copy, printout, or photograph of the District's Public Records requested. The fee shall be twenty-five cents (\$0.25) per standard page, or such other maximum amount as authorized by Section 24-72-205(5), C.R.S., for a copy, printout, or photograph of the Public Record except as follows:
 - a. No per-page fee may be charged when the District's Public Records are provided in a digital or electronic format;
 - b. When the format is other than a standard page, the fee shall not exceed the actual cost of providing the copy, printout, or photograph;
 - c. If other facilities are necessary to make a copy of the Public Records, the cost of providing the copy at the other facilities shall be paid by the person requesting the copy;

- d. If the Public Records are a result of computer output other than word processing, the fee for a copy, printout, or photograph thereof may be based on recovery of the actual incremental costs of providing the electronic services and products together with a reasonable portion of the costs associated with building and maintaining the information system;
 - e. If, in response to a specific request, the District has performed a manipulation of data so as to generate a record in a form not used by the District, a reasonable fee may be charged to the person making the request, which fee shall not exceed the actual costs of manipulating the data and generating the record in accordance with the request; and
 - f. Where the fee for a certified copy or other copy, printout, or photograph of a Public Record is specifically prescribed by law, that specific fee shall apply in lieu of the fee(s) set forth herein.
- 6. Transmission Fees. In addition to the fees set forth above, where the person requesting the Public Record requests the transmission of a certified copy or other copy, printout, or photograph of a Public Record by United States mail or other non-electronic delivery service, the Custodian or his or her designee may charge the costs associated with such transmission, except that no transmission fees may be charged to the records requester for transmitting a Public Record via electronic mail.
- 7. Research and Retrieval Fees. In addition to the fees set forth above, in accordance with Section 24-72-205(6), C.R.S., the Official Custodian, Custodian, or his or her designee may charge a research and retrieval fee of \$33.58 per hour, or such other maximum hourly fee as may be adjusted from time to time pursuant to Section 24-72-205(6)(b), C.R.S., for time spent by the District's directors, employees, agents, and consultants researching, retrieving, gathering, collecting, compiling, preparing, redacting, manipulating, and/or otherwise producing records in order to respond to a request for Public Records. Provided, however, that such research and retrieval fee may not be imposed for the first hour of time expended in connection with such research and retrieval activities related to a request for Public Records, but may be imposed for each subsequent hour.
- 8. Payment of Fees. All fees associated with production of the District's Public Records requested by the person inspecting said Public Records, as set forth in Paragraphs 4 through 7 above, shall be received by the District before the delivery or inspection of said Public Records. If the District allows the public to pay for other services or products provided by the District with a credit card or other electronic payment method, the District shall allow the person requesting inspection of the Public Records to pay any fees or deposit associated with a record request via a credit card or other electronic payment method. In addition to the fees set forth in Paragraphs 4 through 7 above, the Custodian or his or her designee may also charge any service charge or fee imposed by the processor of a credit card or electronic payment.

9. In Force Until Amended or Repealed. These rules of the Official Custodian shall remain in full force and effect unless and until such time as they are amended or repealed by the Official Custodian regardless of any change in either the individual serving as, or the designation of, the Official Custodian of the District.
10. Repealer. These rules of the Official Custodian shall supersede all previous versions of rules, regulations, practices and policies of the District related to inspection of Public Records.

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ADOPTED, APPROVED, AND MADE EFFECTIVE on 12/24/2023.

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By: Amy Trautman
Official Custodian of Public Records
Pioneer Hills Metropolitan District

Exhibit B

2026 Budget

**PIONEER HILLS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT
RESOLUTION TO ADOPT 2026 BUDGET**

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors (the “**Board**”) of Pioneer Hills Metropolitan District (the “**District**”) has appointed a budget committee to prepare and submit a proposed 2026 budget to the Board at the proper time; and

WHEREAS, such budget committee has submitted the proposed budget to the Board on or before October 15, 2025 for its consideration; and

WHEREAS, upon due and proper notice, published in accordance with law, the budget was open for inspection by the public at a designated place, and a public hearing was held on November 18, 2025, and interested electors were given the opportunity to file or register any objections to the budget; and

WHEREAS, the budget has been prepared to comply with all terms, limitations and exemptions, including, but not limited to, enterprise, reserve transfer and expenditure exemptions, under Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution (“**TABOR**”) and other laws or obligations which are applicable to or binding upon the District; and

WHEREAS, whatever decreases may have been made in the revenues, like decreases were made to the expenditures so that the budget remains in balance, as required by law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of Pioneer Hills Metropolitan District:

1. That estimated expenditures for each fund are as follows:

General Fund:	\$106,776.00
Debt Service Fund:	\$274,070.00
Total:	\$380,846.00

2. That estimated revenues are as follows:

General Fund	
From general property tax:	\$ 98,067.00
From sources other than general property tax:	\$ 14,170.00
Total:	\$112,237.00
Debt Service Fund	
From general property tax:	\$277,923.00
From sources other than general property tax:	\$ 19,455.00
Total:	\$297,378.00

3. That the budget, as submitted, amended and herein summarized by fund, be, and the same hereby is, approved and adopted as the budget of the District for the 2026 fiscal year.
4. That the budget, as hereby approved and adopted, shall be certified by the Treasurer and/or President of the District to all appropriate agencies and is made a part of the public records of the District.

TO SET MILL LEVIES

WHEREAS, the amount of money from property taxes necessary to balance the budget for general operating expenses is \$88,141.00; and

WHEREAS, the amount of money from property taxes necessary to balance the budget for debt service expenses is \$277,923.00; and

WHEREAS, the amount of money from property taxes necessary to satisfy the Aurora Regional Improvements (ARI) Mill Levy requirement is \$9,926.00; and

WHEREAS, the 2025 valuation for assessment of the District, as certified by the County Assessor, is \$9,925,834.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of Pioneer Hills Metropolitan District:

1. That for the purpose of meeting all general operating expenses of the District during the 2026 budget year, there is hereby levied a property tax, inclusive of the mill levy for refunds and abatements, of 8.880 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation for assessment of all taxable property within the District to raise \$88,141.00.
2. That for the purpose of meeting all debt service expenses of the District during the 2026 budget year, there is hereby levied a property tax of 28.000 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation for assessment of all taxable property within the District to raise \$277,923.00.
3. That for the purpose of meeting all ARI expenses of the District during the 2026 budget year, there is hereby levied a property tax of 1.000 mill upon each dollar of the total valuation for assessment of all taxable property within the District to raise \$9,926.00.
4. That the Treasurer and/or President of the District is hereby authorized and directed to immediately certify to the County Commissioners of Arapahoe County, Colorado, the mill levies for the District as hereinabove determined and set, or as adjusted, if necessary, upon receipt of the final (December) certification of valuation from the county assessor in order to comply with any applicable revenue and other budgetary limits.

TO APPROPRIATE SUMS OF MONEY

WHEREAS, the Board has made provision in the budget for revenues in an amount equal to the total proposed expenditures as set forth therein; and

WHEREAS, it is not only required by law, but also necessary to appropriate the revenues provided in the budget to and for the purposes described below, as more fully set forth in the budget, including any inter- fund transfers listed therein, so as not to impair the operations of District.

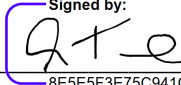
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of the Pioneer Hills Metropolitan District that the following sums are hereby appropriated from the revenues of each fund, to each fund, for the purposes stated in the budget:

General Fund:	\$106,776.00
Debt Service Fund:	\$274,070.00

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Adopted this 18th day of November 2025.

PIONEER HILLS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

Signed by:

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President Amy Trautman

Attest:

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Secretary Scott Dimick

**PIONEER HILLS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND
2026 ADOPTED BUDGET
WITH 2024 ACTUAL AND 2025 ESTIMATED AMOUNTS
FOR THE YEARS ENDED AND ENDING DECEMBER 31,**

	2024 Actual	2025 Estimated	2026 Adopted
REVENUES			
Property taxes	\$ 109,986	\$ 105,087	\$ 88,141
Specific ownership taxes	6,743	6,208	6,865
ARI revenue	10,393	10,447	9,926
Miscellaneous	900	-	-
Interest	24,647	19,000	8,000
Total revenues	152,669	140,742	112,932
EXPENDITURES			
<u>General</u>			
ADA compliance and website	2,386	2,500	2,000
Annual meeting compliance	-	948	950
Audit	2,009	2,500	2,500
Aurora ARI levy	10,393	10,447	9,926
County treasurers' fees	1,806	1,724	1,471
District management and accounting	48,421	30,320	35,000
District management and accounting - special	3,168	-	5,000
Dues and subscriptions	1,684	380	500
Elections	-	2,874	250
Insurance and bonds	2,076	2,076	2,079
Legal	10,143	11,000	10,000
Miscellaneous	30,218	59	-
Emergency reserve	-	-	2,100
<u>Operations and maintenance</u>			
Wetland project - bridge replacement	23,139	-	-
Wetland project - yearly maintenance	26,706	34,500	35,000
Total expenditures	162,149	99,328	106,776
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER/(UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(9,480)	41,414	6,156
OTHER FINANCING USES			
Transfer to wetlands reserve	-	(5,914)	(5,000)
Other financing uses	-	(5,914)	(5,000)
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	(9,480)	35,500	1,156
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	191,234	181,754	217,254
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$ 181,754	\$ 217,254	\$ 218,410

**PIONEER HILLS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT
DEBT SERVICE FUND
2026 ADOPTED BUDGET
WITH 2024 ACTUAL AND 2025 ESTIMATED AMOUNTS
FOR THE YEARS ENDED AND ENDING DECEMBER 31,**

	2024 Actual	2025 Estimated	2026 Adopted
REVENUES			
Property taxes	\$ 258,232	\$ 259,004	\$ 277,923
Specific ownership taxes	15,204	18,130	19,455
Interest	40	-	-
Total revenues	<u>273,476</u>	<u>277,134</u>	<u>297,378</u>
EXPENDITURES			
Bond interest	101,062	95,316	89,401
Bond principal	170,000	175,000	180,000
County treasurer fees	3,874	3,886	4,169
Paying agent fees	4,507	500	500
Total expenditures	<u>279,443</u>	<u>274,702</u>	<u>274,070</u>
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	(5,967)	2,432	23,308
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	<u>139,217</u>	<u>133,250</u>	<u>135,682</u>
ENDING FUND BALANCE	<u><u>\$ 133,250</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 135,682</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 158,990</u></u>

**PIONEER HILLS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT
WETLANDS RESERVE FUND
2026 ADOPTED BUDGET
WITH 2024 ACTUAL AND 2025 ESTIMATED AMOUNTS
FOR THE YEARS ENDED AND ENDING DECEMBER 31,**

	2024 Actual	2025 Estimated	2026 Adopted
REVENUES			
Total revenues	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
EXPENDITURES			
Total expenditures	-	-	-
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER/(UNDER) EXPENDITURES	-	-	-
OTHER FINANCING USES			
Transfer from general fund	-	5,914	5,000
Other financing uses	-	5,914	5,000
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	-	5,914	5,000
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	-	-	5,914
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$ -	\$ 5,914	\$ 10,914

PIONEER HILLS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

2026 BUDGET MESSAGE

The Pioneer Hills Metropolitan District ("District") was organized on February 27, 2006, as a quasi-municipal organization established under the State of Colorado Special District Act. The District operates pursuant to a service plan approved by Arapahoe County, Colorado. The District was established for the purpose of providing the public improvements and services for the benefit of all inhabitants and taxpayers of the District. The District's primary source of revenue is property taxes. The District is governed by an elected board of directors.

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

The District follows the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) accounting pronouncements, which provide guidance for determining which governmental activities, organizations and functions should be included within the financial reporting entity. GASB pronouncements set forth the financial accountability of a governmental organization's elected governing body as the basic criterion for including a possible component governmental organization in a primary government's legal entity. Financial accountability includes, but is not limited to, appointment of a voting majority of the organization's governing body, ability to impose its will on the organization, a potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits or burdens and fiscal dependency.

The District is not financially accountable for any other District organization nor is the District a component unit of any other primary governmental entity.

The 2025 assessed valuation, as certified by Arapahoe County, Colorado, is \$9,925,834.

General Fund

The District imposed a General Fund mill levy of 8.880 mills, generating \$88,141 in revenue. Additional revenues include Specific Ownership Tax and interest income. In addition, the District imposed 1.000 mill generating \$9,926 in revenue in compliance with the Intergovernmental Agreement with the City of Aurora for regional improvements.

Debt Service Fund

In addition, the District imposed a mill levy of 28.000 mills, generating \$277,923 in revenue. The debt service mill levy is pledged to pay the general obligation bonds of the District.

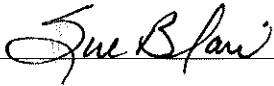
Wetlands Reserve Fund

In 2025, the District created the Wetlands Reserve Fund to build reserves for the purpose of supporting capital improvement needs of the wetlands. No capital improvement projects are proposed for 2026.

CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVIES for NON-SCHOOL GovernmentsTO: County Commissioners¹ of ARAPAHOE COUNTY, Colorado.On behalf of the PIONEER HILLS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT,
(taxing entity)^Athe BOARD OF DIRECTORS(governing body)^Bof the PIONEER HILLS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT(local government)^CHereby officially certifies the following mills \$ 9,925,834
to be levied against the taxing entity's GROSS
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:(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 10Submitted: 12/10/2025 for budget/fiscal year 2026.
(not later than Dec. 15) (dd/mm/yyyy) (yyyy)**PURPOSE** (see end notes for definitions and examples)**LEVY²****REVENUE²**

1. General Operating Expenses ^H	<u>10.000</u> mills	\$ <u>99,258</u>
2. <Minus> Temporary General Property Tax Credit/ Temporary Mill Levy Rate Reduction ^I	< <u>1.120</u> > mills	\$ < <u>11,117</u> >
SUBTOTAL FOR GENERAL OPERATING:	<u>8.880</u> mills	\$ <u>88,141</u>
3. General Obligation Bonds and Interest ^J	<u>28.000</u> mills	\$ <u>277,923</u>
4. Contractual Obligations ^K	<u>1.000</u> mills	\$ <u>9,926</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>37.880</u> mills	\$ <u>375,990</u>

Contact person: (print) Sue Blair, CRS of Colorado, LLC Daytime phone: 303-381-4960

Signed:  Title: District Manager

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
PIONEER HILLS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

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: | Refund 2006 GO Limited Tax Bonds |
| | Series: | 2017 GO Limited Tax Refunding Note |
| | Date of Issue: | 11/29/2017 |
| | Coupon Rate: | 6.000% |
| | Maturity Date: | 12/1/2037 |
| | Levy: | 28.000 |
| | Revenue: | \$277,923 |
| | | |
| 2. | Purpose of Issue: | |
| | Series: | |
| | Date of Issue: | |
| | Coupon Rate: | |
| | Maturity Date: | |
| | Levy: | |
| | Revenue: | |

CONTRACTS^K:

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| 3. | Purpose of Contract: | ARI Mill Levy – Regional Improvements |
| | Title: | IGA – City of Aurora |
| | Date: | August 29, 2006 |
| | Principal Amount: | N/A |
| | Maturity Date: | In perpetuity |
| | Levy: | 1.000 |
| | Revenue: | \$9,926 |
| | | |
| 4. | Purpose of Contract: | |
| | Title: | |
| | Date: | |
| | Principal Amount: | |
| | Maturity Date: | |
| | Levy: | |
| | Revenue: | |

Use multiple copies of this page as necessary to report all bond and contractual obligations.

Exhibit C

2025 Audit Exemption

Application for Exemption From Audit Long Form

Instructions

For local governments with either revenues or expenditures/expenses more than \$200,000 but not more than \$1,000,000

Under the Local Government Audit Law (Section 29-1-601, et seq., C.R.S.), any local government may apply for an exemption from audit if neither revenues nor expenditures exceed \$1,000,000 for the year.

Exemptions from audit are **NOT** automatic

To qualify for exemption from audit, a local government must complete an Application for Exemption from Audit **each year** and submit it to the Office of the State Auditor (OSA). Approval for an exemption from audit is granted only upon the review by the OSA.

Any preparer of an Application for Exemption from Audit — Long Form must be a person skilled in governmental accounting.

Read **ALL** instructions before completing and submitting this form

All applications must be filed with the OSA **within 3 months** after the accounting year-end.

For example, applications must be received by the OSA on or before March 31 for governments with a December 31 year-end. Applications for exemption from audit are not eligible for an extension of time.

Governmental activity should be reported on the modified accrual basis. Proprietary activity should be reported on a cash or budgetary basis.

Important!

All Applications for Exemption from Audit are subject to review and approval by the Office of the State Auditor.

Governmental Activity should be reported on the **Modified Accrual Basis**. Proprietary Activity should be reported on the **Cash or Budgetary Basis** — a budget to GAAP reconciliation is provided in Part 3B.

Failure to file an application or denial of the request could cause the local government to lose its exemption from audit for that year and the ensuing year. In that event, an audit shall be required.

Postmark dates will not be accepted as proof of submission on or before the statutory deadline

Prior year forms are obsolete and will not be accepted.

Applications must be fully and accurately completed. Applications submitted on forms other than those prescribed by the OSA will not be accepted.

For your reference, the Colorado Revised Statutes are available through the [LexisNexis Colorado portal](#).

Checklist

- ☐ Has the preparer signed the application prior to board approval?
- ☐ Has the entity corrected all prior year deficiencies as communicated by the OSA?
- ☐ Has the application been **personally** reviewed and approved by the governing body?
- ☐ Are all sections on the form complete, including responses to all of the questions?
- ☐ Did you include any relevant explanations for unusual items in the appropriate spaces at the end of each section?

Will this application be submitted electronically? ☐ Yes ☐ No

- ☐ If yes, have you read and understood the Electronic Signature Policy? See policy in Part 11.

-- or --

☐ If yes, have you included a resolution?☐ Does the resolution state that the governing body **personally** reviewed and approved the resolution in an open public meeting?☐ Has the resolution been signed by a **majority** of the governing body? See sample resolution at the end of this form.Will this application be submitted via a mail service (e.g., U.S. Post Office, FedEx, UPS, courier)? ☐ Yes ☐ No☐ If yes, does the application include **original ink signatures** from the **majority** of the governing body?**Filing Methods****Web Portal (recommended)**apps.leg.co.gov/osa/lq

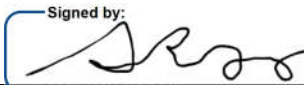
For faster processing, the web portal should be used for submissions.

Mail**Office of the State Auditor**Local Government Audit Division
1375 Sherman St., 5th Floor
Denver, CO 80261-3000**Questions?** Email: osa.lg@coleg.gov Phone: 303-869-3000**Contact Information**For the year ended 2025 or the fiscal year ended _____.

Name of government	Pioneer Hills Metropolitan District
Street address	7995 E Prentice Ave, Suite 100
City, State, Zip	Greenwood Village, CO 80111
Contact person	Sue Blair
Phone	303-381-4960
Email	sblair@crsofcolorado.com

Certification of Preparer

I certify that I am an independent accountant with knowledge of governmental accounting and that the information in the Application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. The preparer must sign prior to board approval.

Name	Diane Rodriguez	
Title	Accounting Manager	
Firm name (if applicable)	CRS of Colorado	
Address	7995 E Prentice Ave, Suite 100	
Phone	303-381-4960	
Relationship to entity	District Accountant	
Preparer signature	Date prepared	
	2/18/2026	

Has the entity filed for, or has the district filed, a Title 32, Article 1 Special District Notice of Inactive Status during the year? (Applicable to Title 32 special districts only, pursuant to Sections 32-1-103 (9.3) and 32-1-104 (3), C.R.S.)

☐ Yes☒ No

If yes, enter date filed

Part 1: Financial Statements — Balance Sheet

Part 1A: Governmental Funds (Modified Accrual Basis) Table

Enter the type of each governmental fund in the fields below.

Fund A: General

Fund B: Debt Service

Fund C: _____

Fund D: _____

Line	Description	Governmental Fund			
		Fund A	Fund B	Fund C	Fund D
	Assets				
1-1	Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 6,563			
1-2	Investments	\$ 217,067	\$ 130,381		
1-3	Receivables	\$ 540	\$ 1,218		
1-4	Due from Other Entities or Funds				
1-5	Property Tax Receivable	\$ 98,067	\$ 277,923		
1-6	All Other Assets:				
1-7	Lease Receivable (as Lessor)				
	Other (specify in lines 1-8 through 1-10)				
1-8	Prepaid	\$ 3,267			
1-9					
1-10					
1-11	TOTAL ASSETS (Add lines 1-1 through 1-10)	\$ 325,504	\$ 409,522	\$ 0	\$ 0
	Deferred Outflows of Resources (specify in lines 1-12 and 1-13)				
1-12					
1-13					
1-14	Total Deferred Outflows (Add lines 1-12 through 1-13)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
1-15	TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS (Add lines 1-11 and 1-14)	\$ 325,504	\$ 409,522	\$ 0	\$ 0

Line	Description	Governmental Fund			
		Fund A	Fund B	Fund C	Fund D
	Liabilities				
1-16	Accounts Payable	\$ 1,825			
1-17	Accrued Payroll and Related Liabilities				
1-18	Unearned Revenue				
1-19	Due to Other Entities or Funds				
1-20	All Other Current Liabilities				
1-21	TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES (Add lines 1-16 through 1-20)	\$ 1,825	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
	All Other Liabilities (specify in lines 1-22 through 1-25)				
1-22					
1-23					
1-24					
1-25					
1-26	TOTAL LIABILITIES (Add lines 1-21 through 1-25)	\$ 1,825	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
	Deferred Inflows of Resources				
1-27	Deferred Property Taxes	\$ 98,067	\$ 277,923		
1-28	Lease related (as Lessor)				
1-29	TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS (Add lines 1-27 through 1-28)	\$ 98,067	\$ 277,923	\$ 0	\$ 0
	Fund Balance				
1-30	Nonspendable-Prepaid	\$ 3,267			
1-31	Nonspendable-Inventory				
1-32	Restricted	\$ 3,000	\$ 131,599		
1-33	Committed				
1-34	Assigned				
1-35	Unassigned	\$ 219,345			
1-36	Total Fund Balance (Add lines 1-30 through 1-35. This total should be the same as line 3-34)	\$ 225,612	\$ 131,599	\$ 0	\$ 0
1-37	TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS, AND FUND BALANCE (Add lines 1-26, 1-29, and 1-36. This total should be the same as line 1-15)	\$ 325,504	\$ 409,522	\$ 0	\$ 0

Part 1B: Proprietary/Fiduciary Funds Table

Enter the type of each proprietary/fiduciary fund in the fields below.

Fund A: _____

Fund B: _____

Fund C: _____

Fund D: _____

Line	Description	Proprietary/Fiduciary Fund			
		Fund A	Fund B	Fund C	Fund D
	Assets				
1-38	Cash and Cash Equivalents				
1-39	Investments				
1-40	Receivables				
1-41	Due from Other Entities or Funds				
	Other Current Assets (specify in line 1-42)				
1-42					
1-43	Total Current Assets (Add lines 1-38 through 1-42)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
1-44	Capital & Right-to-Use Assets, net (from Part 6, Capital & Right-to-Use Table)				
	Other Long Term Assets (specify in lines 1-45 through 1-47)				
1-45					
1-46					
1-47					
1-48	TOTAL ASSETS (Add lines 1-43 through 1-47)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
	Deferred Outflows of Resources (specify in lines 1-49 through 1-50)				
1-49					
1-50					
1-51	Total Deferred Outflows (Add lines 1-49 through 1-50)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
1-52	TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS (Add lines 1-48 and 1-51)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

Line	Description	Proprietary/Fiduciary Fund			
		Fund A	Fund B	Fund C	Fund D
	Liabilities				
1-53	Accounts Payable				
1-54	Accrued Payroll and Related Liabilities				
1-55	Accrued Interest Payable				
1-56	Due to Other Entities or Funds				
1-57	All Other Current Liabilities				
1-58	TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES (Add lines 1-53 through 1-57)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
1-59	Proprietary Debt Outstanding (from Part 4, Debt Schedule Table)				
	Other (specify in lines 1-60 through 1-62)				
1-60					
1-61					
1-62					
1-63	TOTAL LIABILITIES (Add lines 1-58 through 1-62)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
	Deferred Inflows of Resources				
1-64	Pension/OPEB Related				
	Other (specify in line 1-65)				
1-65					
1-66	TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS (Add lines 1-64 through 1-65)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
	Net Position				
1-67	Net Investment in Capital and Right-to-Use Assets				
1-68	Emergency Reserves				
1-69	Other Designation/Reserves				
1-70	Restricted				
1-71	Undesignated/Unreserved/Unrestricted				
1-72	Total Net Position (Add lines 1-67 through 1-71. This total should be the same as 3-70.)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
1-73	TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS, AND NET POSITION (Add lines 1-63, 1-66, and 1-72. This total should be the same as 1-52.)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

Part 1C: Comments or Additional Information

Please use this space to provide explanation of any item in this section (optional).

Part 2: Financial Statements — Operating Statement — Revenues

Part 2A: Governmental Funds Table

Enter the type of each governmental fund in the fields below.

Fund A: General

Fund B: Debt Service

Fund C: _____

Fund D: _____

Line	Description	Governmental Fund			
		Fund A	Fund B	Fund C	Fund D
	Tax Revenue				
2-1	Property (include mills levied in question 10-12)	\$ 115,534	\$ 258,474		
2-2	Specific Ownership	\$ 6,244	\$ 14,077		
2-3	Sales and Use Tax				
	Other Tax Revenue (specify in lines 2-4 through 2-6)				
2-4					
2-5					
2-6					
2-7	TOTAL TAX REVENUE (Add lines 2-1 through 2-6)	\$ 121,778	\$ 272,551	\$ 0	\$ 0
	Other Revenue Sources				
2-8	Licenses and Permits				
2-9	Highway Users Tax Funds (HUTF)				
2-10	Conservation Trust Funds (Lottery)				
2-11	Community Development Block Grant				
2-12	Fire & Police Pension				
2-13	Grants				
2-14	Donations				
2-15	Charges for Sales and Services				
2-16	Rental Income				

Line	Description	Governmental Fund			
		Fund A	Fund B	Fund C	Fund D
2-17	Fines and Forfeits				
2-18	Interest/Investment Income	\$ 20,821			
2-19	Tap Fees				
2-20	Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assets				
	Other (specify in lines 2-21 through 2-22)				
2-21					
2-22					
2-23	TOTAL REVENUES (Add lines 2-7 through 2-22)	\$ 142,599	\$ 272,551	\$ 0	\$ 0
	Other Financing Sources (should agree to Part 4, Debt Schedule Table, column 'issued during the year')				
2-24	Debt Proceeds				
2-25	Lease Proceeds				
2-26	Developer Advances				
	Other (specify in line 2-27)				
2-27					
2-28	Total Other Financing Sources (Add lines 2-24 through 2-27)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
2-29	TOTAL REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (Add lines 2-23 and 2-28)	\$ 142,599	\$ 272,551	\$ 0	\$ 0

Part 2B: Proprietary/Fiduciary Funds Table

Enter the type of each proprietary/fiduciary fund in the fields below.

Fund A: _____**Fund B:** _____**Fund C:** _____**Fund D:** _____

Line	Description	Proprietary/Fiduciary Fund			
		Fund A	Fund B	Fund C	Fund D
	Tax Revenue				
2-30	Property (include mills levied in question 10-12)				
2-31	Specific Ownership				
2-32	Sales and Use Tax				
	Other Tax Revenue (specify in lines 2-33 through 2-36)				
2-33					
2-34					
2-35					
2-36	TOTAL TAX REVENUE (Add lines 2-30 through 2-35)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
	Other Revenue Sources				
2-37	Licenses and Permits				
2-38	Highway Users Tax Funds (HUTF)				
2-39	Conservation Trust Funds (Lottery)				
2-40	Community Development Block Grant				
2-41	Fire & Police Pension				
2-42	Grants				
2-43	Donations				
2-44	Charges for Sales and Services				
2-45	Rental Income				
2-46	Fines and Forfeits				
2-47	Interest/Investment Income				

Line	Description	Proprietary/Fiduciary Fund			
		Fund A	Fund B	Fund C	Fund D
2-48	Tap Fees				
2-49	Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assets				
	All Other (specify in lines 2-50 through 2-51)				
2-50					
2-51					
2-52	TOTAL REVENUES (Add lines 2-36 through 2-51)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
	Other Financing Sources (should agree to Part 4, Debt Schedule Table, column 'issued during the year')				
2-53	Debt Proceeds				
2-54	Lease Proceeds				
2-55	Developer Advances				
	Other (specify in line 2-56)				
2-56					
2-57	Total Other Financing Sources (Add lines 2-53 through 2-56)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
2-58	TOTAL REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (Add lines 2-52 and 2-57)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

Part 2C: Comments or Additional Information

Please use this space to provide explanation of any item in this section (optional).

Part 3: Financial Statements — Operating Statement — Expenditures/Expenses

Part 3A: Governmental Funds Table

Enter the type of each governmental fund in the fields below.

Fund A: General

Fund B: Debt Service

Fund C: _____

Fund D: _____

Line	Description	Governmental Fund			
		Fund A	Fund B	Fund C	Fund D
	Expenditures				
3-1	General Government	\$ 97,017			
3-2	Judicial				
3-3	Law Enforcement				
3-4	Fire				
3-5	Highways & Streets				
3-6	Solid Waste				
3-7	Contributions to Fire & Police Pension Association				
3-8	Health				
3-9	Culture and Recreation				
3-10	Transfers to other districts				
	Other (specify in lines 3-11 through 3-13)				
3-11	County Treasurer fees	\$ 1,724	\$ 3,886		
3-12					
3-13					
3-14	Capital Outlay				
	Debt Service				
3-15	Principal (from Part 4, Debt Schedule Table)		\$ 175,000		
3-16	Interest		\$ 95,316		

Line	Description	Governmental Fund			
		Fund A	Fund B	Fund C	Fund D
3-17	Bond Issuance Costs				
3-18	Developer Principal Repayments (from Part 4, Debt Schedule Table)				
3-19	Developer Interest Repayments				
	All Other (specify in lines 3-20 through 3-22)				
3-20					
3-21					
3-22					
3-23	TOTAL EXPENDITURES (Add lines 3-1 through 3-22)	\$ 98,741	\$ 274,202	\$ 0	\$ 0
	Transfers and Other Expenditures				
3-24	Interfund Transfers (In)				
3-25	Interfund Transfers (Out)				
	Other Expenditures (Revenues) (Specify in lines 3-26 through 3-28.)				
3-26					
3-27					
3-28					
3-29	Total Transfers and Other Expenditures (Add lines 3-24 through 3-28)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
3-30	EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES (line 2-29 less line 3-23 less line 3-29)	\$ 43,858	-\$ 1,651	\$ 0	\$ 0
3-31	Fund Balance, January 1 from December 31 prior year report	\$ 181,754	\$ 133,250		
3-32	Prior Period Adjustment (MUST explain in line 3-33)				
3-33					
3-34	FUND BALANCE, DECEMBER 31 (Add lines 3-30, 3-31, and 3-32. Should match line 1-36.)	\$ 225,612	\$ 131,599	\$ 0	\$ 0

Part 3B: Proprietary/Fiduciary Funds Table

Enter the type of each proprietary/fiduciary fund in the fields below.

Fund A: _____

Fund B: _____

Fund C: _____

Fund D: _____

Line	Description	Proprietary/Fiduciary Fund			
		Fund A	Fund B	Fund C	Fund D
	Expenses				
3-35	General Operating and Administrative				
3-36	Salaries				
3-37	Payroll Taxes				
3-38	Contract Services				
3-39	Employee Benefits				
3-40	Insurance				
3-41	Accounting and Legal Fees				
3-42	Repair and Maintenance				
3-43	Supplies				
3-44	Utilities				
3-45	Contributions to Fire & Police Pension Association				
	Other (specify in lines 3-46 through 3-47)				
3-46					
3-47					
3-48	Capital Outlay				
	Debt Service				
3-49	Principal (should match amount in Part 4, Debt Schedule Table)				
3-50	Interest				
3-51	Bond Issuance Costs				
3-52	Developer Principal Repayments				

Line	Description	Proprietary/Fiduciary Fund			
		Fund A	Fund B	Fund C	Fund D
3-53	Developer Interest Repayments				
	All Other (specify in lines 3-54 through 3-57)				
3-54					
3-55					
3-56					
3-57					
3-58	TOTAL EXPENSES (Add lines 3-35 through 3-57)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
	GAAP Reconciling Items				
3-59	Net Interfund Transfers (In) Out				
	Other (specify in line 3-60. Enter negative for expense.)				
3-60					
3-61	Depreciation/Amortization				
3-62	Other Financing Sources (from line 2-57)				
3-63	Capital Outlay (from line 3-48)				
3-64	Debt Principal (from line 3-49, 3-52)				
3-65	Total GAAP Reconciling Items (Add lines 3-60, 3-63, and 3-64, subtract lines 3-61 and 3-62)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
3-66	NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET POSITION (Line 2-58, less line 3-58, plus line 3-65, less line 3-59)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
3-67	Net Position, January 1 from December 31 prior year report				
3-68	Prior Period Adjustment (MUST explain in line 3-69)				
3-69					
3-70	NET POSITION, DECEMBER 31 (Add lines 3-66, 3-67, and 3-68. Should match line 1-72.)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

Part 3C: Grand Total of Revenues and Expenditures/Expenses

Line	Description	Total
	Total Revenues per Fund	
3-71	General	\$ 142,599
3-72	Debt Service	\$ 272,551
3-73		\$ 0
3-74		\$ 0
3-75	Governmental Funds (Add lines 3-71 through 3-74)	\$ 415,150
3-76		\$ 0
3-77		\$ 0
3-78		\$ 0
3-79		\$ 0
3-80	Proprietary/Fiduciary Funds (Add lines 3-76 through 3-79)	\$ 0
3-81	GRAND TOTAL REVENUES (ALL FUNDS) (Add lines 3-75 and 3-80)	\$ 415,150
	Total Expenditures/Expenses per Fund	
3-82	General	\$ 98,741
3-83	Debt Service	\$ 274,202
3-84		\$ 0
3-85		\$ 0
3-86	Governmental Funds (Add lines 3-82 through 3-85)	\$ 372,943
3-87		\$ 0
3-88		\$ 0
3-89		\$ 0
3-90		\$ 0
3-91	Proprietary/Fiduciary Funds (Add lines 3-87 through 3-90)	\$ 0
3-92	GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURES/EXPENSES (ALL FUNDS) (Add lines 3-86 and 3-91)	\$ 372,943

IF EITHER GRAND TOTAL REVENUES OR EXPENDITURES/EXPENSES FOR ALL FUNDS IS GREATER THAN \$1,000,000 — STOP.

You may not use this form. An audit may be required. See Section 29-1-604, C.R.S., or contact the OSA Local Government Division at 303-869-3000 for assistance.

Part 3D: Comments or Additional Information

Please use the space below to provide any additional information (optional).

Part 4: Debt Outstanding, Issued, and Retired

4-1	Does the entity have outstanding debt?	☒ Yes	☐ No
4-2	If no, skip to line 4-15. If yes, please attach a copy of the entity's debt repayment schedule.		
4-3	Is the debt repayment schedule attached?	☐ N/A	☒ Yes ☐ No
4-4	If no, MUST explain below. 		
4-5	Is the entity current in its debt service payments?	☒ Yes	☐ No
4-6	If no, MUST explain below. 		
4-7	If no, also indicate if the government is in default with its bond agreements.	☐ Yes	☐ No

Debt Schedule Table

Please complete the following debt schedule, if applicable.

Please only include principal amounts. Enter all amounts as positive numbers.

Line	Debt Type	Outstanding at End of Prior Year*	Issued During Year	Retired During Year	Outstanding at Year-End
4-8	General Obligation Bonds	\$ 2,820,000		\$ 175,000	\$ 2,645,000
4-9	Revenue Bonds				\$ 0
4-10	Notes/Loans				\$ 0
4-11	Lease and SBITA** Liabilities (GASB 87 & 96)				\$ 0
4-12	Developer Advances				\$ 0
	Other (specify in line 4-13)				
4-13					\$ 0
4-14	TOTAL (Add lines 4-8 through 4-13)	\$ 2,820,000	\$ 0	\$ 175,000	\$ 2,645,000

*Must agree to prior year-end balance

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Comments (optional)

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4-15	Does the entity have any authorized but unissued debt as of its fiscal year-end?	☒ Yes	☐ No
4-16	If yes, how much?	\$ 27,945,000	
4-17	Date the debt was authorized	05/02/2006	
4-18	Is the authorized but unissued debt further limited by the entity's most recent Service Plan?	☒ Yes	☐ No
4-19	If yes, how much?	\$ 5,000	
4-20	Date of the most recent Service Plan	01/03/2006	
4-21	Does the entity intend to issue debt within the next calendar year?	☐ Yes	☒ No
4-22	If yes, how much?		
4-23	Does the entity have debt that has been refinanced that it is still responsible for?	☐ Yes	☒ No
4-24	If yes, what is the amount outstanding?		
4-25	Does the entity have any lease agreements?	☐ Yes	☒ No
4-26	If yes, what is being leased?		
4-27	What is the original date of the lease?		
4-28	Number of years of lease?		
4-29	Is the lease subject to annual appropriation?	☐ Yes	☐ No
4-30	What are the annual lease payments?		

Please use the space below to provide any additional information (optional).

Part 5: Cash and Investments

Please provide the entity's cash deposit and investment balances.

Line	Description	Amount
5-1	Year-end Total of all Checking and Savings Accounts	\$ 6,563
5-2	Certificates of Deposit	
5-3	TOTAL CASH DEPOSITS (Add lines 5-1 and 5-2)	\$ 6,563
Investments (Specify in lines 5-4 through 5-8. If investment is a mutual fund, please list underlying investment.)		
5-4	ColoTrust	\$ 347,448
5-5		
5-6		
5-7		
5-8		
5-9	Total Investments (Add lines 5-4 through 5-8)	\$ 347,448
5-10	TOTAL CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Add lines 5-3 and 5-9)	\$ 354,011

5-11	Are the entity's investments legal in accordance with Section 24-75-601, et. seq., C.R.S.?	☐ N/A	☒ Yes	☐ No
5-12	Are the entity's deposits in an eligible (Public Deposit Protection Act) public depository (Section 11-10.5-101, et seq. C.R.S.)?		☒ Yes	☐ No
5-13	If no, MUST explain below.			

Please use the space below to provide any additional information (optional).

Part 6: Capital and Right-to-Use Assets

6-1	Does the entity have capitalized assets? (If "no" is selected, skip the rest of Part 6.)	☐ Yes	☒ No
6-2	Has the entity performed an annual inventory of capital assets in accordance with Section 29-1-506, C.R.S.?	☐ Yes	☐ No
6-3	If no, MUST explain below.		

Capital and Right-to-Use Assets Table for Governmental Funds

Line	Asset Type	Beginning of the Year Balance*	Additions**	Deletions	Year-End Balance
6-4	Land				\$ 0
6-5	Buildings				\$ 0
6-6	Machinery and Equipment				\$ 0
6-7	Furniture and Fixtures				\$ 0
6-8	Infrastructure				\$ 0
6-9	Construction In Progress (CIP)				\$ 0
6-10	Leased & SBITA Right-to-Use Assets				\$ 0
6-11	Intangible Assets				\$ 0
	Other (explain in line 6-12)				
6-12					\$ 0
6-13	Accumulated Amortization Right-to-Use Assets (Enter a negative or credit balance)				\$ 0
6-14	Accumulated Depreciation (Enter a negative or credit balance)				\$ 0
6-15	TOTAL (Add lines 6-4 through 6-14)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

*Must agree to prior year-end balance.

**Generally capital asset additions should be reported as capital outlay on line 3-14 and capitalized in accordance with the government's capitalization policy. Please explain any discrepancy in the comments section below.

Capital and Right-to-Use Assets Table for Proprietary Funds

Please complete the following Capital & Right-To-Use Assets table for PROPRIETARY FUNDS.

Line	Asset Type	Beginning of the Year Balance*	Additions**	Deletions	Year-End Balance
6-16	Land				\$ 0
6-17	Buildings				\$ 0
6-18	Machinery and Equipment				\$ 0
6-19	Furniture and Fixtures				\$ 0
6-20	Infrastructure				\$ 0
6-21	Construction In Progress (CIP)				\$ 0
6-22	Leased & SBITA Right-to-Use Assets				\$ 0
6-23	Intangible Assets				\$ 0
	Other (explain in line 6-24)				
6-24					\$ 0
6-25	Accumulated Amortization Right-to-Use Assets (Enter a negative or credit balance)				\$ 0
6-26	Accumulated Depreciation (Enter a negative or credit balance)				\$ 0
6-27	TOTAL (Add lines 6-16 through 6-26)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

*Must agree to prior year-end balance.

**Generally capital asset additions should be reported as capital outlay on line 3-48 and capitalized in accordance with the government's capitalization policy. Please explain any discrepancy in the comments section below.

Please use the space below to provide any additional information (optional).

Part 7: Pension Information

7-1	Does the entity have an “old hire” firefighters’ pension plan?	☐ Yes	☒ No
7-2	Does the entity have a volunteer firefighters’ pension plan?	☐ Yes	☒ No
7-3	If yes, who administers the plan?		
	Indicate the contributions from the following in lines 7-4 through 7-6.		
7-4	Tax (property, specific ownership, sales, etc.)		
7-5	State contribution amount		
7-6	Other (gifts, donations, etc.)		
7-7	TOTAL (Add lines 7-4 through 7-6)	\$ 0	
7-8	What is the monthly benefit paid for 20 years of service per retiree as of Jan 1?		

Please use the space below to provide any additional information (optional).

Part 8: Budget Information

8-1	Did the entity file a budget with the Department of Local Affairs for the current year in accordance with Section 29-1-113 C.R.S.?	☐ N/A	☒ Yes	☐ No
8-2	If no, MUST explain below.			
8-3	Did the entity pass an appropriations resolution, in accordance with Section 29-1-108 C.R.S.?	☐ N/A	☒ Yes	☐ No
8-4	If no, MUST explain below.			
If yes, indicate the amount appropriated for each fund separately for the year reported in the table below.				

Appropriation Amount by Fund

Enter the fund name, then indicate the final amount appropriated for each fund for the year reported.
Ensure each individual fund's final appropriated amount agrees to the adopted budget. Do not combine funds.

Line	Governmental/Proprietary Fund Name	Total
8-5	General Fund	\$ 135,467
8-6	Debt Service Fund	\$ 274,701
8-7		
8-8		
8-9		

Please use the space below to provide any additional information (optional).

Part 9: Taxpayer's Bill of Rights (TABOR)

9-1	Is the entity in compliance with all the provisions of TABOR (State Constitution, Article X, Section 20(5))?	☒ Yes	☐ No
9-2	If no, MUST explain below.		

Note: An election to exempt the entity from the spending limitations of TABOR does not exempt the entity from the 3 percent emergency reserve requirement. All entities should determine if they meet this requirement of TABOR.

Please use the space below to provide any additional information (optional).

Part 10: General Information

10-1	Is this application for a newly formed governmental entity?	☐ Yes	☒ No
10-2	If yes, what was the date of formation		
10-3	Has the entity changed its name in the past or current year?	☐ Yes	☒ No
10-4	If yes, please list the NEW name below.		
10-5	If yes, please list the PRIOR name below.		
10-6	Is the entity a metropolitan district?	☒ Yes	☐ No
10-7	Please indicate what services the entity provides below. To provide street lighting, safety protection, traffic safety controls, utilities and transportation		
10-8	Does the entity have an agreement with another government to provide services?	☒ Yes	☐ No
10-9	If yes, list the name of the other governmental entity and the services provided below. IGA with the City of Aurora to Impose an ARI mill levy		
10-10	Has the district filed a Title 32, Article 1 Special District Notice of Inactive Status during the year? (Applicable to Title 32 special districts only, pursuant to Sections 32-1-103 (9.3) and 32-1-104 (3), C.R.S.)	☐ Yes	☒ No
10-11	If yes, what was the date filed		
10-12	Does the entity have a certified mill levy?	☒ Yes	☐ No
	If yes, please provide the following mills levied for the year reported (do not report dollar amounts).		
10-13	Bond redemption mills	24.800	
10-14	General/other mills	11.000	
10-15	TOTAL MILLS (Add lines 10-13 through 10-14.)	35.800	
10-16	If the entity is a Title 32 Special District formed after 7/1/2000, has the entity filed its preceding year annual report with the State Auditor as required under SB 21-262 (Section 32-1-207 C.R.S.)?	☐ N/A	☒ Yes ☐ No
10-17	If no, please explain below.		

Please use the space below to provide any additional information (optional).

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Part 11: Governing Body Approval

11-1	If you plan to submit this form electronically, have you read the Electronic Signature Policy?	☒ Yes	☐ No
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Office of the State Auditor — Local Government Division Exemption Form Electronic Signature Policy and Procedure

The Office of the State Auditor Local Government Audit Division may accept an electronic submission of an application for exemption from audit that includes governing board signatures obtained through a program such as Docusign or Echosign. Required elements and safeguards are as follows:

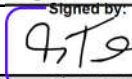
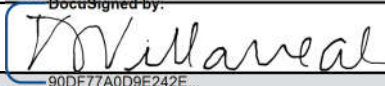
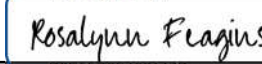
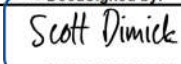
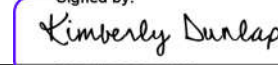
- The preparer of the application is responsible for obtaining board signatures that comply with the requirement in Section 29-1-604 (3), C.R.S., that states the application shall be personally reviewed, approved, and signed by a majority of the members of the governing body.
- The application must be accompanied by the signature history document created by the electronic signature software. The signature history document must show when the document was created and when the document was emailed to the various parties, and include the dates the individual board members signed the document. The signature history must also show the individuals' email addresses and IP address.
- Office of the State Auditor staff will not coordinate obtaining signatures.

The application for exemption from audit form created by our office includes a section for governing body approval. Local governing boards must note their approval and submit the application using one of the following two methods:

- 1) Submit the application in hard copy via U.S. Mail, including original signatures.
- 2) Submit the application electronically via email and either:
 - a. include a copy of an adopted resolution that documents formal approval by the board; or
 - b. include electronic signatures obtained through a software program such as Docusign or Echosign, in accordance with the requirements noted above.

Governing Body Signatures

Print or type the names of all members of current governing body below.
A majority of the members of the governing body must sign below.

Board Member 1		
Board member's name	Amy Trautman	
My term expires on	05/2029	
I attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approved this application for exemption from audit.	Signature	Date
	Signed by:  8E5E5F3E75C941C...	2/19/2026
Board Member 2		
Board member's name	Victor Villarreal	
My term expires on	05/2029	
I attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approved this application for exemption from audit.	Signature	Date
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Board Member 3		
Board member's name	Rosalynn Feagins	
My term expires on	05/2027	
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Board Member 4		
Board member's name	Scott Dimick	
My term expires on	05/2027	
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Board Member 5		
Board member's name	Kimberly Dunlap	
My term expires on	05/2029	
I attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approved this application for exemption from audit.	Signature	Date
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Board Member 6		
Board member's name		
My term expires on		
I attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approved this application for exemption from audit.	Signature	Date
Board Member 7		
Board member's name		
My term expires on		
I attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approved this application for exemption from audit.	Signature	Date

DETAILED BOND DEBT SERVICE

**Pioneer Hills Metropolitan District
General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2017
(Make Whole Call)
(Final November 16, 2017)**

Dated Date 11/29/2017
Delivery Date 11/29/2017

Term Bond Due 2037

Period Ending	Principal	Coupon	Interest	Debt Service	Annual Debt Service
11/29/2017					
06/01/2018			59,721.78	59,721.78	
12/01/2018			59,065.50	59,065.50	118,787.28
06/01/2019			59,065.50	59,065.50	
12/01/2019			59,065.50	59,065.50	118,131.00
06/01/2020			59,065.50	59,065.50	
12/01/2020	35,000	3.380%	59,065.50	94,065.50	153,131.00
06/01/2021			58,474.00	58,474.00	
12/01/2021	150,000	3.380%	58,474.00	208,474.00	266,948.00
06/01/2022			55,939.00	55,939.00	
12/01/2022	155,000	3.380%	55,939.00	210,939.00	266,878.00
06/01/2023			53,319.50	53,319.50	
12/01/2023	165,000	3.380%	53,319.50	218,319.50	271,639.00
06/01/2024			50,531.00	50,531.00	
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06/01/2025			47,658.00	47,658.00	
12/01/2025	175,000	3.380%	47,658.00	222,658.00	270,316.00
06/01/2026			44,700.50	44,700.50	
12/01/2026	180,000	3.380%	44,700.50	224,700.50	269,401.00
06/01/2027			41,658.50	41,658.50	
12/01/2027	185,000	3.380%	41,658.50	226,658.50	268,317.00
06/01/2028			38,532.00	38,532.00	
12/01/2028	195,000	3.380%	38,532.00	233,532.00	272,064.00
06/01/2029			35,236.50	35,236.50	
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06/01/2030			31,856.50	31,856.50	
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06/01/2033			20,871.50	20,871.50	
12/01/2033	230,000	3.380%	20,871.50	250,871.50	271,743.00
06/01/2034			16,984.50	16,984.50	
12/01/2034	240,000	3.380%	16,984.50	256,984.50	273,969.00
06/01/2035			12,928.50	12,928.50	
12/01/2035	245,000	3.380%	12,928.50	257,928.50	270,857.00
06/01/2036			8,788.00	8,788.00	
12/01/2036	255,000	3.380%	8,788.00	263,788.00	272,576.00
06/01/2037			4,478.50	4,478.50	
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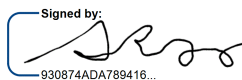
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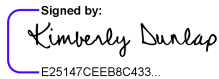
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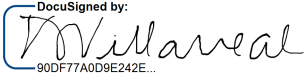
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