#### LETTER OF BUDGET TRANSMITTAL

Date: January 23, 2024

To: Division of Local Government

1313 Sherman Street, Room 521

Denver, Colorado 80203

Attached are the 2024 budget and budget message for AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT in Adams County, Colorado, submitted pursuant to Section 29-1-113, C.R.S. This budget was adopted on October 10, 2023. If there are any questions on the budget, please contact:

Stephanie Odewumi c/o CliftonLarsonAllen LLP 8390 E. Cresent Pkwy. Ste. 300 Greenwood Village, CO 80111 Tel.: 303-779-5710 Fax: 303-779-0348

I, Stephanie Odewumi, as District Manager of the Airways Business Center Metropolitan District, hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of the 2024 budget.

By:

Manager

Stephanie Odewnni

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 2023-10-02**

RESOLUTION TO ADOPT BUDGET AND APPROPRIATE SUMS OF MONEY RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, ADAMS COUNTY, COLORADO, PURSUANT TO SECTION 29-1-108, C.R.S., SUMMARIZING EXPENDITURES AND REVENUES FOR EACH FUND, ADOPTING A BUDGET AND APPROPRIATING SUMS OF MONEY FOR THE BUDGET YEAR 2024

- A. The Board of Directors of Airways Business Center Metropolitan District (the "**District**") has appointed CliftonLarsonAllen LLP to prepare and submit a proposed budget to said governing body at the proper time.
- B. CliftonLarsonAllen LLP has submitted a proposed budget to this governing body for its consideration.
- C. Upon due and proper notice, published or posted in accordance with the law, said proposed budget was open for inspection by the public at a designated place, a public hearing was held on October 10, 2023, and interested taxpayers were given the opportunity to file or register any objections to said proposed budget.
- D. The budget has been prepared to comply with all terms, limitations and exemptions, including, but not limited to, reserve transfers 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.
- E. Whatever increases may have been made in the expenditures, like increases were added to the revenues so that the budget remains in balance, as required by law.
- F. The Board of Directors has made provision therein for revenues in an amount equal to or greater than the total proposed expenditures as set forth in said budget.
- G. 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, thereby establishing a limitation on expenditures for the operations of the District.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, ADAMS COUNTY, COLORADO:

- 1. The budget, as submitted, amended, and summarized by fund, is hereby approved and adopted as the budget of the District for the year stated above.
- 2. The budget is hereby approved and adopted, shall be certified by the Secretary of the District to all appropriate agencies and is made a part of the public records of the District.

3. The sums set forth as the total expenditures of each fund in the budget attached hereto as  $\underline{Exhibit\ A}$  and incorporated herein by reference are hereby appropriated from the revenues of each fund, within each fund, for the purposes stated.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

Secretary

# [SIGNATURE PAGE TO RESOLUTION TO ADOPT BUDGET AND APPROPRIATE SUMS OF MONEY]

RESOLUTION APPROVED AND ADOPTED on October 10, 2023.

# AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

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		President	
Attest:			
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#### **EXHIBIT A**

Budget

# AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT Annual Budget For the Year Ending December 31, 2024

# AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT SUMMARY 2024 BUDGET

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

	ACTUAL 2022		ESTIMATED 2023		E	BUDGET 2024
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$	562,939	\$	678,725	\$	817,082
REVENUES Property taxes Specific ownership taxes		199,129 14,565		192,776 16,521		75,488 5,284
Interest income Other revenue		13,932		37,000		35,000
Total revenues		227,627		246,297		115,772
Total funds available		790,566		925,022		932,854
EXPENDITURES General Fund		111,841		107,940		163,221
Total expenditures		111,841		107,940		163,221
Total expenditures and transfers out						
requiring appropriation		111,841		107,940		163,221
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$	678,725	\$	817,082	\$	769,633
EMERGENCY RESERVE AVAILABLE FOR OPERATIONS	\$	6,900 671,825	\$	7,400 809,682	\$	3,500 766,133
TOTAL RESERVE	\$	678,725	\$	817,082	\$	769,633

# AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT PROPERTY TAX SUMMARY INFORMATION 2024 BUDGET

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

1/5/24

	Д	CTUAL	ESTIMATED	BUDGET
		2022	2023	2024
ASSESSED VALUATION				
Commercial	<b>\$</b> 1	7,948,790	\$ 17,948,790	\$ 14,075,290
Industrial	ψι	-	Ψ 17,940,790	8,732,750
State assessed		80	280	340
Vacant land		30	30	280
Personal property		1,797,100	1,367,290	2,354,140
	1	9,746,000	19,316,390	25,162,800
Adjustments		-	-	-
Certified Assessed Value	\$ 1	9,746,000	\$ 19,316,390	\$ 25,162,800
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MILL LEVY General		10.000	10.000	3.000
Total mill levy		10.000	10.000	3.000
PROPERTY TAXES				
General	\$	197,460	\$ 193,164	\$ 75,488
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Levied property taxes		197,460	193,164	75,488
Adjustments to actual/rounding Refunds and abatements		(234) 1,903	(388)	-
	Φ		<u> </u>	\$ 75,488
Budgeted property taxes	Φ	199,129	\$ 192,776	\$ 75,488

# AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT GENERAL FUND 2024 BUDGET

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

1/5/24

	Α	CTUAL	ES	TIMATED	В	UDGET
		2022		2023		2024
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BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$	562,939	\$	678,725	\$	817,082
REVENUES						
Property taxes		199,129		192,776		75,488
Specific ownership taxes		14,565		16,521		5,284
Interest income		13,932		37,000		35,000
Other revenue		1		-		-
Total revenues		227,627		246,297		115,772
Total funds available		790,566		925,022		932,854
EXPENDITURES						
General and administrative						
Accounting		16,663		20,000		23,000
County Treasurer's fee		3,018		2,892		1,132
Directors' fees		-		-		1,500
Dues and membership		427		408		600
Insurance		4,221		3,905		4,500
District management		17,493		17,000		19,000
Legal		6,713		8,500		10,000
Miscellaneous		206		35		500
Payroll taxes		-		-		115
Election		2,231		2,000		-
Contingency		-		-		8,674
Operations and maintenance						
Engineering		2,270		2,500		5,000
Landscaping		39,342		30,000		55,000
Property management		7,800		7,200		7,200
Stormwater maintenance		-		6,500		15,000
Water		11,457		7,000		12,000
Total expenditures		111,841		107,940		163,221
Total expenditures and transfers out						
requiring appropriation		111,841		107,940		163,221
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#### AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT 2024 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

#### **Services Provided**

The District was organized to provide construction, installation, financing and operation of public improvements, including street and safety improvements, water, sanitary sewer, storm drainage, park and recreation facilities, and mosquito control. The District's service area is located entirely within the City of Aurora, Adams County, Colorado.

The District was organized on November 12, 2003. The District's organizational election approved general obligation indebtedness of \$3,678,750 for street and safety improvements, \$925,000 for water supply system, \$2,590,000 for sanitary sewer system, \$50,000 for parks and recreation, \$7,243,750 for refinancing of District debt, and \$625,000 for general operations and maintenance. The election also approved an annual increase in taxes of \$100,000 for general operations and maintenance. Additionally, the election allows the District to collect, spend, and retain revenues beyond limitations, other than ad valorem taxes, without regard to the limitations contained in Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado constitution.

On November 4, 2014, an election approved an annual increase in taxes of \$5,000,000 for District administration, operations, maintenance and capital expenses. Additionally, the election allows the District to collect, spend, and retain revenues beyond limitations, other than ad valorem taxes, without regard to the limitations contained in Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado constitution.

Emergency reserves, required under TABOR have been provided.

The District prepares its budget on the modified accrual basis of accounting in accordance with requirements of Colorado Revised Statutes C.R.S. 29-1-105 using its best estimates as of the date of the budget hearing. These estimates are based on expected conditions and its expected course of actions. The assumptions disclosed herein are those that the District believes are significant to the budget. There will usually be differences between the budget and actual results, because events and circumstances frequently do not occur as expected, and those differences may be material.

#### Revenues

#### **Property Taxes**

Property taxes are levied by the District's Board of Directors. The levy is based on assessed valuations determined by the County Assessor generally as of January 1 of each year. The levy is normally set by December 15 by certification to the County Commissioners to put the tax lien on the individual properties as of January 1 of the following year. The County Treasurer collects the determined taxes during the ensuing calendar year. The taxes are payable by April or, if in equal installments, at the taxpayer's election, in February and June. Delinquent taxpayers are notified in August and generally sales of the tax liens on delinquent properties are held in November or December. The County Treasurer remits the taxes collected monthly to the District.

The calculation of the taxes levied is displayed on the Property Tax Summary page of the budget using the adopted mill levy imposed by the District.

#### AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT 2024 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

#### Revenues (continued)

#### **Property Taxes (continued)**

For property tax collection year 2024, SB22-238 and SB23B-001 set the assessment rates and actual value reductions as follows:

Category	Rate	Category	Rate	Actual Value Reduction	Amount
Single-Family				Single-Family	\$55,000
Residential	6.70%	Agricultural Land	26.40%	Residential	
Multi-Family		Renewable Energy		Multi-Family	\$55,000
Residential	6.70%	Land	26.40%	Residential	
Commercial	27.90%	Vacant Land	27.90%	Commercial	\$30,000
Industrial	27.90%	Personal Property	27.90%	Industrial	\$30,000
Lodging	27.90%	State Assessed	27.90%	Lodging	\$30,000
		Oil & Gas			
		Production	87.50%		

#### **Specific Ownership Taxes**

Specific ownership taxes are set by the State and collected by the County Treasurer, primarily on vehicle licensing within the County as a whole. The specific ownership taxes are allocated by the County Treasurer to all taxing entities within the County. The budget assumes that the District's share will be equal to approximately 7.00% of the property taxes collected by the General Fund.

#### **Net Investment Income**

Interest earned on the District's available funds has been estimated based on historical interest earnings.

#### **Expenditures**

#### **Administrative Expenditures**

Administrative and operating expenditures include the estimated services necessary to maintain the District's administrative viability such as legal, management, accounting, insurance, landscaping and other administrative expenses.

#### **County Treasurer's Fees**

County Treasurer's fees have been computed at 1.50% of property tax collections.

#### **Debt and Leases**

The District has no debt nor operating or capital leases.

#### AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT 2024 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

#### Reserves

#### **Emergency Reserve**

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

This information is an integral part of the accompanying budget.

#### NOTICE AS TO PROPOSED 2024 BUDGET AND AMENDMENT OF 2023 BUDGET

#### AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT ADAMS COUNTY, COLORADO

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Sections 29-1-108 and 109, C.R.S., that a proposed budget has been submitted to the Board of Directors of the Airways Business Center Metropolitan District (the "**District**") for the ensuing year of 2024. The necessity may also arise for the amendment of the 2023 budget of the District. Copies of the proposed 2024 budget and 2023 amended budget (if appropriate) are on file in the office of the District's Accountant, CliftonLarsonAllen LLP, 8390 E. Crescent Pkwy., Ste. 300, Greenwood Village, CO 80111, where same are available for public inspection. Such proposed 2024 budget and 2023 amended budget will be considered at a special meeting to be held on October 10, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. via telephone and videoconference. To attend and participate by telephone, dial 1-720-547-5281 and enter passcode 465 227 02#. Information regarding public participation by videoconference will be available at least 24 hours prior to the meeting and public hearing online at www.airwaysbcmd.org . Any interested elector within the District may, at any time prior to the final adoption of the 2024 budget or the 2023 amended budget, inspect the 2024 budget and the 2023 amended budget and file or register any objections thereto.

#### AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

/s/ Paula J. Williams

McGEADY BECHER P.C. Attorneys for the District

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Published on: September 28, 2023

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 2023-10-03**

#### RESOLUTION TO SET MILL LEVIES

# RESOLUTION OF THE AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT LEVYING GENERAL PROPERTY TAXES, PURSUANT TO SECTION 39-1-111, C.R.S., FOR THE YEAR 2023, TO HELP DEFRAY THE COSTS OF GOVERNMENT FOR THE 2024 BUDGET YEAR

- A. The Board of Directors of the Airways Business Center Metropolitan District (the "**District**") has adopted an annual budget in accordance with the Local Government Budget Law, on October 10, 2023.
- B. The adopted budget is attached as Exhibit A to the Resolution of the Board of Directors of the District to Adopt Budget and Appropriate Sums of Money, and such budget is incorporated herein by this reference.
- C. The amount of money necessary to balance the budget for general fund expenses from property tax revenue is identified in the budget.
- D. The amount of money necessary to balance the budget for debt service fund expenses from property tax revenue is identified in the budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 39-1-111(5) and 39-5-128(1), C.R.S., BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of the Airways Business Center Metropolitan District, Adams County, Colorado, that:

- 1. For the purpose of meeting all general operating expenses of the District during the 2024 budget year, the District determined to levy mills upon each dollar of the total valuation for assessment of all taxable property within the District, as set forth in the budget, to raise the required revenue.
- 2. That for the purpose of meeting all debt retirement expenses of the District during the 2024 budget year, the District determined to levy mills upon each dollar of the total valuation for assessment of all taxable property within the District, as set forth in the budget, to raise the required revenue.
- 3. That for the purpose of meeting all contractual obligation expenses of the District during the 2024 budget year, the District determined to levy mills upon each dollar of the total valuation for assessment of all taxable property within the District, as set forth in the budget, to raise the required revenue.
- 4. That the Secretary is hereby authorized and directed to immediately certify to the Board of County Commissioners of Adams County, Colorado, the mill levies for the District as set forth in the District's Certification of Mill Levies, attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein by reference, recalculated as needed upon receipt of the final certification of

valuation from the County Assessor in order to comply with any applicable revenue and other budgetary limits.

### [SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

By:

Secretary

#### [SIGNATURE PAGE OF RESOLUTION TO SET MILL LEVIES]

RESOLUTION APPROVED AND ADOPTED on October 10, 2023.

Stephanie Odewumi

AIRWAYS BUSINESS CENTER METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

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			President		
Attest:					
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#### **EXHIBIT**

Certification of Tax

Levies

### DocuSign Envelope ID: D224FFEC-B48D-4535-A11B-22A21BAF2265 CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVIES for NON-SCHOOL Governments

TO: (	County Com	missioners <sup>1</sup> of	,	Adams Cou	ınty			, Colorado.
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	the _	Board of Directors		(σ	overning body	<sub>1</sub> ) <b>B</b>		
	of the _	Airways Business Ce	nter Metropo	litan District				
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Te	mporary Mil	l Levy Rate Redu	ction <sup>I</sup>		<	> mills	<u>\$</u>	<u> </u>
	SUBTOTAL	FOR GENERAL	OPERAT	ING:		3.000 mills	\$	75,488
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4. Co	ntractual Ob	ligations <sup>K</sup>				mills	\$	
5. Ca	pital Expend	litures <sup>L</sup>				mills	\$	
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Conta	ct person:	Jason Carroll			Phone:	( 303)779-571	0	
Signe	d:	<u></u>	uson ()	moll	Title:	Accountant for	r District	
Surve	y Question: 1	Does the taxing en	ntity have	voter approv	al to adiu	ist the general		□No
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Include	one copy of this i	tax entity's completed for	orm when filir	ng the local gove	ernment's bu	adget by January 31st, p	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.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;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.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Levies must be rounded to three decimal places and revenue must be calculated from the total <u>NET assessed valuation</u> (Line 4 of Form DLG57 on the County Assessor's **FINAL** certification of valuation).

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:

<b>BON</b> I 1.	Purpose of Issue: Series: Date of Issue: Coupon Rate: Maturity Date: Levy: Revenue:	- - - -
2.	Purpose of Issue:	-
	Series: Date of Issue:	
	Coupon Rate:	
	Maturity Date:	
	Levy:	
	Revenue:	
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3.	Purpose of Contract: Title: Date: Principal Amount: Maturity Date: Levy: Revenue:	- - - -
4.	Purpose of Contract:	
	Title:	
	Date:	
	Principal Amount: Maturity Date:	
	Levy:	
	Revenue:	

Use multiple copies of this page as necessary to separately report all bond and contractual obligations per 32-1-1603, C.R.S.

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I, Stephanie Odewumi, hereby certify that I am the duly appointed Secretary of the Airways Business Center Metropolitan District, and that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Certification of Mill Levies for the budget year 2024, duly adopted at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Airways Business Center Metropolitan District held on October 10, 2023.

Stephanie Odewuni

Secretary

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