#### RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

## SUPPLEMENTAL ANNUAL REPORT TO THE CITY OF COMMERCE CITY

#### FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2022

#### I. ANNUAL REPORT REQUIREMENT

Pursuant to Section VI of the River Oaks Metropolitan District Service Plan, the District is required to provide an annual report to the City of Commerce City within one hundred twenty (120) days after conclusion of the District's fiscal year, commencing with fiscal year 2005. Such annual report shall include information concerning the following matters:

- A. Boundary changes made or proposed.
- B. Intergovernmental Agreements entered into or proposed.
- C. Changes or proposed changes in the District's policies.
- D. Changes or proposed changes in the District's operations.
- E. Any changes in the financial status of the District including revenue projections, or operating costs.
- F. A summary of any litigation involving the District.
- G. Proposed plans for the year immediately following the year summarized in the annual report.
- H. Status of construction of public improvements.
- I. The current assessed valuation in the District.

### II. FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2022 THE DISTRICT MAKES THE FOLLOWING REPORT:

#### A. Boundary changes made or proposed.

There were no changes made or proposed to the District's boundaries in 2022.

#### B. Intergovernmental Agreements entered into or proposed.

There were no new Intergovernmental Agreements entered into or proposed in 2022.

#### C. Changes or proposed changes in the District's policies.

There were no changes made or proposed to the District's policies in 2022.

D. <u>Changes or proposed changes in the District's operations.</u>

There were no changes made or proposed to the District's operations in 2022.

E. <u>Any changes in the financial status of the District including revenue projections, or operating costs.</u>

The current status of the financial condition of the District is reflected in the 2023 budget, attached as Exhibit A.

F. A summary of any litigation which involves the District.

There is no litigation, of which we are aware, currently pending or anticipated against the District.

G. <u>Proposed plans for the year immediately following the year summarized in the annual report.</u>

The District has no current plans for construction or acquisition of public improvements for 2023.

H. <u>Status of District's public improvements</u>.

The District did not construct or acquire any improvements in 2022.

I. The current assessed valuation in the District.

The District has received a certification of valuation from the Adams County Assessor that reports a taxable assessed valuation for the District for 2022 of \$10,526,780. The District has certified a mill levy of 52.000 mills to be assessed against the properties within the District, for collection in 2023.

The following information is provided pursuant to the annual report requirements in  $\S 32-1-207(3)(c)$ , C.R.S.

J. <u>Boundary changes made</u>.

See Section A.

K. <u>Intergovernmental agreements entered into or terminated with other governmental</u> entities.

See Section B.

L. <u>Access information to obtain a copy of the rules and regulations adopted by the</u> Board.

To date, the Board has not adopted any rules and regulations.

M. A summary of litigation involving public improvements owned by the special district.

The District is not aware of any litigation involving public improvements owned by the District.

N. The status of the construction of public improvements by the special district.

See Section H.

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

There were no facilities or improvements constructed, conveyed or dedicated by the District in 2022.

P. The final assessed valuation of the special district as of December 31 of the reporting year.

See Section I.

Q. A copy of the current year's budget.

See Section E and Exhibit A.

R. 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.

See Exhibit B.

S. Notice of any uncured defaults existing for more than ninety days under any debt instrument of the district.

None.

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

The District is able to pay its obligations as they come due.

#### EXHIBIT A 2023 BUDGET

#### **RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT**

#### **ANNUAL BUDGET**

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2023

#### RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT SUMMARY 2023 BUDGET

## WITH 2021 ACTUAL AND 2022 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

|   | ACTUAL ESTIMATI<br>2021 2022 |                                     |    | STIMATED<br>2022                       | BUDGET<br>2023 |  |  |
|---|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----|--|----------------|--|--|
| BEGINNING FUND BALANCES   | \$                           | 1,263,991                           | \$ | 1,541,722                              | \$             | 1,833,017                              |  |
| REVENUES Property taxes Specific ownership tax Interest income Total revenues |                              | 534,645<br>44,435<br>842<br>579,922 |    | 564,443<br>39,511<br>10,500<br>614,454 |                | 547,392<br>38,318<br>28,000<br>613,710 |  |
| Total funds available   |                              | 1,843,913                           |    | 2,156,176                              |                | 2,446,727                              |  |
| EXPENDITURES  General and administrative  Debt service                        |                              | 28,240<br>273,951                   |    | 38,810<br>284,349                      |                | 78,000<br>288,000                      |  |
| Total expenditures  |                              | 302,191                             |    | 323,159                                |                | 366,000                                |  |
| Total expenditures and transfers out requiring appropriation                  | _                            | 302,191                             |    | 323,159                                |                | 366,000                                |  |
| ENDING FUND BALANCES  | \$                           | 1,541,722                           | \$ | 1,833,017                              | \$             | 2,080,727                              |  |
| EMERGENCY RESERVE<br>TOTAL RESERVE  | \$                           | 5,700<br>5,700                      | \$ | 6,200<br>6,200                         | \$             | 6,200<br>6,200                         |  |

#### RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT PROPERTY TAX SUMMARY INFORMATION 2023 BUDGET

### WITH 2021 ACTUAL AND 2022 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

| State assessed       4,380         Vacant land       10         Personal property       185,540         Certified Assessed Value       \$ 10,302,500         MILL LEVY       35.000         General       17.000         Debt Service       35.000         Total mill levy       52.000         PROPERTY TAXES       360,588         General       \$ 175,143         Debt Service       360,588   | \$ 10,634,380<br>5,890<br>10<br>214,400<br>\$ 10,854,680<br>17.000<br>35.000<br>52.000 | \$ 10,337,060<br>5,060<br>10<br>184,650<br>\$ 10,526,780<br>17.000<br>35.000<br>52.000 |
|--|--|--|
| Residential       \$ 10,112,570       \$         State assessed       4,380       10         Vacant land       10       10         Personal property       185,540       \$         Certified Assessed Value       \$ 10,302,500       \$         MILL LEVY       General       17.000       \$         Debt Service       35.000       \$       \$         Total mill levy       52.000       \$       \$         PROPERTY TAXES       \$       \$       175,143       \$         Debt Service       360,588       \$ | 5,890<br>10<br>214,400<br>\$ 10,854,680<br>17.000<br>35.000                            | 5,060<br>10<br>184,650<br>\$ 10,526,780<br>17.000<br>35.000                            |
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| Personal property         185,540           Certified Assessed Value         \$ 10,302,500           MILL LEVY         35.000           General         17.000           Debt Service         35.000           Total mill levy         52.000           PROPERTY TAXES         360,543           General         \$ 175,143           Debt Service         360,588   | 214,400<br>\$ 10,854,680<br>17.000<br>35.000   | 184,650<br>\$ 10,526,780<br>17.000<br>35.000   |
| Certified Assessed Value       \$ 10,302,500 \$         MILL LEVY       4         General Debt Service       17,000 1         Total mill levy       52,000 1         PROPERTY TAXES       360,588 1         General Debt Service       360,588 1   | \$ 10,854,680<br>17.000<br>35.000  | \$ 10,526,780<br>17.000<br>35.000  |
| MILL LEVY  General 17.000 Debt Service 35.000  Total mill levy 52.000  PROPERTY TAXES General \$ 175,143 \$ Debt Service 360,588   | 17.000<br>35.000   | 17.000<br>35.000   |
| General Debt Service       17.000 35.000         Total mill levy       52.000         PROPERTY TAXES General Debt Service       \$ 175,143 \$ 360,588  | 35.000   | 35.000   |
| General Debt Service       17.000 35.000         Total mill levy       52.000         PROPERTY TAXES General Debt Service       \$ 175,143 \$ 360,588  | 35.000   | 35.000   |
| General Debt Service       17.000 35.000         Total mill levy       52.000         PROPERTY TAXES General Debt Service       \$ 175,143 \$ 360,588  | 35.000   | 35.000   |
| Debt Service         35.000           Total mill levy         52.000           PROPERTY TAXES  | 35.000   | 35.000   |
| PROPERTY TAXES General \$ 175,143 \$ Debt Service \$ 360,588   |  |  |
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| Debt Service 360,588   |  |  |
| · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·  | \$ 184,529   | \$ 178,955   |
|  | 379,914  | 368,437  |
| Levied property taxes 535,731  | 564,443  | 547,392  |
| Adjustments to actual/rounding (1,085)   | -  | -  |
| Budgeted property taxes \$ 534,646 \$  | \$ 564,443   | \$ 547,392   |
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| BUDGETED PROPERTY TAXES  |  |  |
| , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,  | \$ 184,529   | \$ 178,955   |
| Debt Service 359,858   | 379,914  | 368,437  |
| \$ 534,645 \$  | \$ 564,444   | \$ 547,392   |

#### RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT GENERAL FUND 2023 BUDGET

## WITH 2021 ACTUAL AND 2022 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

|   | ACTUAL<br>2021  | E: | STIMATED 2022   | E  | BUDGET<br>2023  |
|---|---|----|---|----|---|
| BEGINNING FUND BALANCE  | \$<br>876,389   | \$ | 1,037,903   | \$ | 1,204,039   |
| REVENUES Property taxes Specific ownership tax Interest income Total revenues   | 174,787<br>14,527<br>440<br>189,754   |    | 184,529<br>12,917<br>7,500<br>204,946   |    | 178,955<br>12,527<br>15,000<br>206,482  |
| Total funds available   | <br>1,066,143   |    | 1,242,849   |    | 1,410,521   |
| EXPENDITURES General and administrative Accounting Auditing County Treasurer's fee Directors' fees Dues and licenses Insurance and bonds Legal services Miscellaneous Election expense Contingency Total expenditures | 12,641<br>4,500<br>2,623<br>-<br>300<br>2,479<br>5,697<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>28,240 |    | 20,000<br>4,500<br>2,768<br>-<br>313<br>2,479<br>5,000<br>250<br>3,500<br>-<br>38,810 |    | 23,000<br>5,500<br>2,684<br>750<br>4,000<br>15,000<br>1,000<br>15,000<br>11,066<br>78,000 |
| Total expenditures and transfers out requiring appropriation  | 28,240  |    | 38,810  |    | 78,000  |
| ENDING FUND BALANCE   | \$<br>1,037,903   | \$ | 1,204,039   | \$ | 1,332,521   |
| EMERGENCY RESERVE<br>TOTAL RESERVE  | \$<br>5,700<br>5,700  | \$ | 6,200<br>6,200  | \$ | 6,200<br>6,200  |

#### RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT DEBT SERVICE FUND 2023 BUDGET

## WITH 2021 ACTUAL AND 2022 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

|                                      | ,  | ACTUAL<br>2021 | ES | TIMATED<br>2022 | E  | BUDGET<br>2023 |
|--------------------------------------|----|----------------|----|-----------------|----|----------------|
| BEGINNING FUND BALANCE               | \$ | 387,602        | \$ | 503,819         | \$ | 628,978        |
| REVENUES                             |    |                |    |                 |    |                |
| Property taxes                       |    | 359,858        |    | 379,914         |    | 368,437        |
| Specific ownership tax               |    | 29,908         |    | 26,594          |    | 25,791         |
| Interest income                      |    | 402            |    | 3,000           |    | 13,000         |
| Total revenues                       |    | 390,168        |    | 409,508         |    | 407,228        |
| Total funds available                |    | 777,770        |    | 913,327         |    | 1,036,206      |
| EXPENDITURES                         |    |                |    |                 |    |                |
| General and administrative           |    |                |    |                 |    |                |
| County Treasurer's fee               |    | 5,401          |    | 5,699           |    | 5,527          |
| Paying agent fees                    |    | 2,500          |    | 3,000           |    | 3,000          |
| Contingency Debt Service             |    | -              |    | -               |    | 4,823          |
| Bond interest                        |    | 131,050        |    | 125,650         |    | 119,650        |
| Bond principal                       |    | 135,000        |    | 150,000         |    | 155,000        |
| Total expenditures                   |    | 273,951        |    | 284,349         |    | 288,000        |
| Total expenditures and transfers out |    |                |    |                 |    |                |
| requiring appropriation              |    | 273,951        |    | 284,349         |    | 288,000        |
| ENDING FUND BALANCE                  | \$ | 503,819        | \$ | 628,978         | \$ | 748,206        |

#### RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT 2023 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

#### Services Provided

The District was organized by Order and Decree of the District Court of Adams County, Colorado on November 21, 2003, to provide financing for design, acquisition, construction and installation of essential public-purpose facilities such as water, streets, traffic and safety controls, parks, open space and recreation, and sewer and drainage facilities, and the operation and maintenance of the District. The District's service area is located entirely within the boundaries of the City of Commerce City in Adams County, Colorado.

The budget is in accordance with the TABOR Amendment limitations, which were modified by the voters in an election held on November 4, 2003. Additionally, the election allows the District to collect, spend, and retain all revenues, other than ad valorem taxes, without regard to the limitations contained in Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado constitution. On November 7, 2006, District voters approved authorization to increase property taxes up to \$750,000 annually to pay for the operations and maintenance expenditures of the District. Emergency reserves required under TABOR have been provided.

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

The District prepares its budget on the modified accrual basis of accounting in accordance with the 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.

Pursuant to the Service Plan, the District is allowed to impose a maximum Required Mill Levy for debt service of 50.000 mills.

#### RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT 2023 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

#### **Revenues - Continued**

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

Senate Bill 21-293 among other things, designates multi-family residential real property (defined generally, as property that is a multi-structure of four or more units) as a new subclass of residential real property. For tax collection year 2023, the assessment rate for single family residential property decreases to 6.95% from 7.15%. The rate for multifamily residential property, the newly created subclass, decreases to 6.80% from 7.15%. Agricultural and renewable energy production property decreases to 26.4% from 29.0%. Producing oil and gas remains at 87.5%. All other nonresidential property stays at 29%.

#### **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% of the property taxes collected.

#### **Net Investment Income**

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

#### **Expenditures**

#### **Administrative and Operating Expenditures**

Administrative and operating expenditures include the estimated services necessary to maintain the District's administrative viability such as legal, accounting, insurance, banking, and meeting costs.

#### **Debt Service**

Amounts budgeted for debt service are based on the amortization schedule for the 2016 Bonds which is attached.

#### **Debt and Leases**

On November 4, 2016, the District issued \$3,715,000 in General Obligation Refunding Bonds (Unlimited Tax) to refund its Series 2006 Bonds and Series 2010 Subordinate Bonds. The Bonds are due December 1, 2035, with an interest rate of 4.00% - 4.25%, paid semiannually on June 1 and December 1. The bonds are subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the District, as a whole or in integral multiples of \$5,000, on December 1, 2026, and on any date thereafter, upon payment of par and accrued interest, without redemption premium. The bonds are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption on December 1, 2016, and on each December 1 thereafter in increasing

#### RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT 2023 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

amounts annually through maturity. The bonds are payable from the District's covenant to levy a mill levy on all taxable property within the District in an amount sufficient to pay for debt service payments as well as a portion of specific ownership taxes collected by the District as a result of the imposition of the mill levy.

Concurrently with the issuance of the Bonds, Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp. ("AGM") issued its Municipal Bond Insurance Policy for the Bonds (the "Policy"). The Policy guarantees the scheduled payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds when due as set forth in the form of the Policy.

The District has no operating or capital leases.

#### **Reserve Funds**

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

This information is an integral part of the accompanying budget.

## RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT SCHEDULE OF DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS TO MATURITY

\$3,715,000
General Obligation Bonds
Series 2016
Dated November 4, 2016
Principal Due December 1
Interest Rate 4.00% - 4.25% Payable

June 1 and December 1

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|-------------------------|-------------------|----|----------|----|-----------|--|-------|
| Year Ended December 31, | Principal Interes |    | Interest |    | Interest  |  | Total |
| 2023                    | \$<br>155,000     | \$ | 119,650  | \$ | 274,650   |  |       |
| 2024                    | 165,000           |    | 113,450  |    | 278,450   |  |       |
| 2025                    | 170,000           |    | 106,850  |    | 276,850   |  |       |
| 2026                    | 185,000           |    | 100,050  |    | 285,050   |  |       |
| 2027                    | 190,000           |    | 92,650   |    | 282,650   |  |       |
| 2028                    | 205,000           |    | 84,575   |    | 289,575   |  |       |
| 2029                    | 215,000           |    | 75,863   |    | 290,863   |  |       |
| 2030                    | 230,000           |    | 66,723   |    | 296,723   |  |       |
| 2031                    | 240,000           |    | 56,950   |    | 296,950   |  |       |
| 2032                    | 255,000           |    | 46,750   |    | 301,750   |  |       |
| 2033                    | 265,000           |    | 35,913   |    | 300,913   |  |       |
| 2034                    | 285,000           |    | 24,650   |    | 309,650   |  |       |
| 2035                    | <br>295,000       |    | 12,538   |    | 307,538   |  |       |
|                         | \$<br>2,855,000   | \$ | 936,612  | \$ | 3,791,612 |  |       |
|                         |                   |    |          |    |           |  |       |

The Series 2016 Bonds are subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the District, beginning December 1, 2026, with no redemption premium.

#### EXHIBIT B 2022 AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT Adams County, Colorado

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

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#### Certified Public Accountants

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Directors River Oaks Metropolitan District Adams County, Colorado

#### **Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements**

#### **Opinions**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of the River Oaks Metropolitan District (the District), as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and each major fund of the District, as of December 31, 2022, and the respective changes in financial position and the respective budgetary comparison for the General Fund for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **Basis for Opinions**

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the District and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

#### Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the District's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the
  aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the District's ability to continue as a going
  concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

#### **Required Supplementary Information**

Management has omitted Management's Discussion and Analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require to be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such missing information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. Our opinion on the basic financial statements is not affected by this missing information.

#### **Supplementary Information**

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements. The Supplementary Information, as listed in the table of contents, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the Supplementary Information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

#### Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information included in the annual report. The Other Information, as listed in the table of contents, does not include the basic financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinions on the basic financial statements do not cover the other information, and we do not express an opinion or any form of assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the basic financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and consider whether a material inconsistency exists between the other information and the basic financial statements, or the other information otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work performed, we conclude that an uncorrected material misstatement of the other information exists, we are required to describe it in our report.

Daysio o Associates, P.C.

June 26, 2023



#### RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT STATEMENT OF NET POSITION DECEMBER 31, 2022

|                                     | Governmental<br>Activities |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| ASSETS                              |                            |
| Cash and Investments                | \$ 1,222,992               |
| Cash and Investments - Restricted   | 648,443                    |
| Receivable - County Treasurer       | 3,325                      |
| Prepaid Expense                     | 2,521                      |
| Property Taxes Receivable           | 547,392                    |
| Capital Assets, Net                 | 88,599                     |
| Total Assets                        | 2,513,272                  |
| LIABILITIES                         |                            |
| Accounts Payable                    | 12,530                     |
| Accrued Bond Interest Payable       | 9,971                      |
| Noncurrent Liabilities:             | -,                         |
| Due Within One Year                 | 179,884                    |
| Due in More Than One Year           | 2,869,911                  |
| Total Liabilities                   | 3,072,296                  |
| DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES       |                            |
| Property Tax Revenue                | 547,392                    |
| Total Deferred Inflows of Resources | 547,392                    |
|                                     |                            |
| NET POSITION                        |                            |
| Net Investment in Capital Assets    | 88,599                     |
| Restricted For:                     |                            |
| Emergency Reserves                  | 6,600                      |
| Debt Service                        | 631,610                    |
| Unrestricted                        | (1,833,225)                |
| Total Net Position                  | \$ (1,106,416)             |

#### RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

Net Revenue

|   |            |   |                        |          | Program | Revenues                    |      |                            | С  | pense) and<br>hange in<br>et Position  |
|---|------------|---|------------------------|----------|---------|-----------------------------|------|----------------------------|----|--|
| FUNCTIONS/PROGRAMS Primary Government:  | E          | xpenses   | Charg<br>for<br>Servio |          | Gran    | rating<br>ts and<br>butions | Gran | pital<br>ts and<br>butions |    | vernmental<br>Activities               |
| Government Activities: General Government, Including Depreciation Interest on Long-Term Debt and Related Expenses | \$         | 46,300<br>107,229   | \$                     | -        | \$      | -                           | \$   | -                          | \$ | (46,300)<br>(107,229)                  |
| Total Government Activities   | \$         | 153,529   | \$                     | <u>-</u> | \$      |                             | \$   |                            |    | (153,529)                              |
|   | Pro<br>Spe | ERAL REVE<br>perty Taxes<br>ecific Owners<br>t Investment I<br>Total Gene | hip Taxes              | es       |         |                             |      |                            |    | 565,244<br>41,335<br>33,956<br>640,535 |
|   | СНА        | NGE IN NET  | POSITION               |          |         |                             |      |                            |    | 487,006                                |
|   | Net F      | Position - Beg  | inning of Ye           | ar       |         |                             |      |                            |    | (1,593,422)                            |
|   | NET        | POSITION -  | END OF YE              | AR       |         |                             |      |                            | \$ | (1,106,416)                            |

#### RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT BALANCE SHEET – GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2022

|  | Debt General Service |   |    | Total<br>Governmental<br>Funds   |    |   |
|--|----------------------|---|----|----------------------------------|----|---|
| ASSETS   |                      |   |    |                                  |    |   |
| Cash and Investments Cash and Investments - Restricted Receivable - County Treasurer Prepaid Expenditure Property Taxes Receivable             | \$                   | 1,222,992<br>6,600<br>1,087<br>2,521<br>178,955 | \$ | 641,843<br>2,238<br>-<br>368,437 | \$ | 1,222,992<br>648,443<br>3,325<br>2,521<br>547,392 |
| Total Assets   | \$                   | 1,412,155                                       | \$ | 1,012,518                        | \$ | 2,424,673   |
| LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES,<br>AND FUND BALANCES   |                      |   |    |                                  |    |   |
| LIABILITIES  |                      |   |    |                                  |    |   |
| Accounts Payable Total Liabilities   | \$                   | 10,030<br>10,030                                | \$ | 2,500<br>2,500                   | \$ | 12,530<br>12,530                                  |
| DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES  |                      |   |    |                                  |    |   |
| Property Tax Revenue   |                      | 178,955   |    | 368,437                          |    | 547,392   |
| Total Deferred Inflows of Resources  |                      | 178,955   |    | 368,437                          |    | 547,392   |
| FUND BALANCES Nonspendable:  |                      |   |    |                                  |    |   |
| Prepaid Expenditure Restricted For:  |                      | 2,521   |    | -                                |    | 2,521   |
| Emergency Reserves (TABOR)  Debt Service   |                      | 6,600   |    | -<br>641,581                     |    | 6,600<br>641,581                                  |
| Unassigned   |                      | 1,214,049                                       |    | <u> </u>                         |    | 1,214,049   |
| Total Fund Balances  |                      | 1,223,170                                       |    | 641,581                          |    | 1,864,751   |
| Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Fund Balances  | \$                   | 1,412,155                                       | \$ | 1,012,518                        |    |   |
| Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because:   |                      |   |    |                                  |    |   |
| Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the funds.  Capital Assets, Net |                      |   |    |                                  |    | 88,599  |
| Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds.   |                      |   |    |                                  |    |   |
| Bonds Payable  |                      |   |    |                                  |    | (2,855,000)                                       |
| Bond Premium Accrued Bond Interest Payable   |                      |   |    |                                  |    | (194,795)<br>(9,971)                              |
| Accided boild litterest rayable  |                      |   |    |                                  |    | (9,971)   |
| Net Position of Governmental Activities  |                      |   |    |                                  | \$ | (1,106,416)                                       |

# RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES – GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

|                                   | General         | ;  | Debt<br>Service | Go | Total<br>vernmental<br>Funds |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|----|-----------------|----|------------------------------|
| REVENUES                          |                 |    |                 |    |                              |
| Property Taxes                    | \$<br>184,791   | \$ | 380,453         | \$ | 565,244                      |
| Specific Ownership Taxes          | 13,513          |    | 27,822          |    | 41,335                       |
| Net Investment Income             | <br>20,608      |    | 13,348          |    | 33,956                       |
| Total Revenues                    | 218,912         |    | 421,623         |    | 640,535                      |
| EXPENDITURES                      |                 |    |                 |    |                              |
| Current:                          |                 |    |                 |    |                              |
| Accounting                        | 15,128          |    | -               |    | 15,128                       |
| Auditing                          | 4,500           |    | -               |    | 4,500                        |
| County Treasurer's Fee            | 2,774           |    | 5,711           |    | 8,485                        |
| Dues and Licenses                 | 313             |    | -               |    | 313                          |
| Insurance and Bonds               | 2,479           |    | -               |    | 2,479                        |
| Legal Services                    | 6,471           |    | -               |    | 6,471                        |
| Election Expense                  | 1,980           |    | -               |    | 1,980                        |
| Debt Service:                     |                 |    |                 |    |                              |
| Bond Principal - 2016             | -               |    | 150,000         |    | 150,000                      |
| Bond Interest - 2016              | -               |    | 125,650         |    | 125,650                      |
| Paying Agent Fees                 | -               |    | 2,500           |    | 2,500                        |
| Total Expenditures                | 33,645          |    | 283,861         |    | 317,506                      |
| NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES       | 185,267         |    | 137,762         |    | 323,029                      |
| Fund Balances - Beginning of Year | 1,037,903       |    | 503,819         |    | 1,541,722                    |
| FUND BALANCES - END OF YEAR       | \$<br>1,223,170 | \$ | 641,581         | \$ | 1,864,751                    |

## RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

| Net Changes in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds  | \$<br>323,029 |
|--|---------------|
| Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:   |               |
| Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. In the statement of activities capital outlay is not reported as an expenditure. However, the statement of activities will report as depreciation expense the allocation of the cost of any depreciable asset over the estimated useful life of the asset.  Depreciation  | (12,655)      |
| The issuance of long-term debt (e.g., bonds) provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net position. Also, governmental funds report the effect of premiums, discounts, and similar items when debt is first issued as expenditures, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities. |               |
| Principal Payment  | 150,000       |
| Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds.  |               |
| Accrued Interest on Bonds Payable - Change in Liability Amortization of Bond Premium   | 500<br>26,132 |

\$ 487,006

Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities

# RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT GENERAL FUND – STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE – BUDGET AND ACTUAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

|                                  | а  | Original<br>nd Final<br>Budget |    | Actual<br>Amounts | Fin | riance with<br>al Budget<br>Positive<br>legative) |
|----------------------------------|----|--------------------------------|----|-------------------|-----|---|
| REVENUES                         | _  |                                | _  |                   | _   |   |
| Property Taxes                   | \$ | 184,529                        | \$ | 184,791           | \$  | 262   |
| Specific Ownership Taxes         |    | 12,917                         |    | 13,513            |     | 596   |
| Net Investment Income            |    | 500                            |    | 20,608            |     | 20,108  |
| Total Revenues                   |    | 197,946                        |    | 218,912           |     | 20,966  |
| EXPENDITURES                     |    |                                |    |                   |     |   |
| Current:                         |    |                                |    |                   |     |   |
| Accounting                       |    | 20,000                         |    | 15,128            |     | 4,872   |
| Auditing                         |    | 5,000                          |    | 4,500             |     | 500   |
| County Treasurer's Fee           |    | 2,768                          |    | 2,774             |     | (6)   |
| Directors' Fees                  |    | 500                            |    | · <del>-</del>    |     | 500 <sup>°</sup>                                  |
| Dues and Licenses                |    | 500                            |    | 313               |     | 187   |
| Insurance and Bonds              |    | 3,000                          |    | 2,479             |     | 521   |
| Legal Services                   |    | 10,000                         |    | 6,471             |     | 3,529   |
| Miscellaneous                    |    | 1,000                          |    | ,<br>-            |     | 1,000   |
| Election Expense                 |    | 15,000                         |    | 1,980             |     | 13,020  |
| Contingency                      |    | 5,732                          |    | · =               |     | 5,732   |
| Total Expenditures               |    | 63,500                         |    | 33,645            |     | 29,855  |
| NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE       |    | 134,446                        |    | 185,267           |     | 50,821  |
| Fund Balance - Beginning of Year |    | 1,033,386                      |    | 1,037,903         |     | 4,517   |
| FUND BALANCE - END OF YEAR       | \$ | 1,167,832                      | \$ | 1,223,170         | \$  | 55,338  |

#### NOTE 1 DEFINITION OF REPORTING ENTITY

River Oaks Metropolitan District (the District), a quasi-municipal corporation and political subdivision of the state of Colorado, was organized by order and decree of the District Court for Adams County on November 21, 2003, and is governed pursuant to provisions of the Colorado Special District Act (Title 32, Article 1, Colorado Revised Statutes). The District operates under a service plan approved by Commerce City (theCity) on September 15, 2003. The District's service area is located in Adams County, Colorado entirely within the boundaries of the City. The District was established to provide financing for the design, acquisition, construction and installation of streets, traffic and safety controls, park and recreation, transportation, television relay and translator, mosquito control, water facilities, sanitary sewer, and storm drainage.

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 has no employees, and all operations and administrative functions are contracted.

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

#### NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The more significant accounting policies of the District are described as follows:

#### **Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements**

The government-wide financial statements include the statement of net position and the statement of activities. These financial statements include all of the activities of the District. The effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities are normally supported by property taxes.

The statement of net position reports all financial and capital resources of the District. The difference between the sum of assets and deferred outflows and the sum of liabilities and deferred inflows is reported as net position.

#### NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### **Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements (Continued)**

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct and indirect expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. Program revenues include: 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment, and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

#### Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Redemption of bonds are recorded as a reduction in liabilities.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. The major sources of revenue susceptible to accrual are property taxes and specific ownership taxes. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the District. The District determined that Developer advances are not considered as revenue susceptible to accrual. Expenditures, other than interest on long-term obligations are recorded when the liability is incurred or the long-term obligation due.

The District reports the following major governmental funds:

The General Fund is the District's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

The Debt Service Fund accounts for the resources accumulated and payments made for principal and interest on long-term debt of the governmental funds.

#### NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### **Budgets**

In accordance with the State Budget Law, the District's Board of Directors holds public hearings in the fall each year to approve the budget and appropriate the funds for the ensuing year. The appropriation is at the total fund expenditures level and lapses at year-end. The District's Board of Directors can modify the budget by line item within the total appropriation without notification. The appropriation can only be modified upon completion of notification and publication requirements. The budget includes each fund on its basis of accounting unless otherwise indicated.

#### **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.

Property taxes, net of estimated uncollectible taxes, are recorded initially as deferred inflow of resources in the year they are levied and measurable. The unearned property tax revenues are recorded as revenue in the year they are available or collected.

#### **Capital Assets**

Capital assets, which include roadway improvements, are reported by the District. Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at acquisition value at the date of donation.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend the life of the asset are not capitalized. Improvements are capitalized and depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the related fixed assets, as applicable. Depreciation expense has been computed using the straight-line method over 20 years for roadway improvements.

#### **Amortization**

#### Original Issue Premium

In the government-wide financial statements bond premiums are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method.

#### NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### **Deferred Inflows of Resources**

In addition to liabilities, the statement of net position reports a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, *deferred inflows of resources*, represents an acquisition of net assets that applies to a future period and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The District has one item that qualifies for reporting in this category. Accordingly, the item, *deferred property tax revenue*, is deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period that the amount becomes available.

#### Equity

#### **Net Position**

For government-wide presentation purposes when both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the government's practice to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as they are needed.

In the government-wide financial statements, fund equity is classified as net position. Net position may be classified into three components: net investment in capital assets, restricted and unrestricted. These classifications are defined as follows:

Net Investment in Capital Assets – This component of net position consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, and reduced by the outstanding balances of any debt that is attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets. If there are significant unspent debt proceeds at year-end, the portion of the debt attributable to the unspent proceeds is not included in this component.

Restricted – This component of net position consists of assets that are restricted for use as imposed by external parties such as creditors, grantors or contributors, or as imposed by laws or regulations of other governments, or as imposed through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

*Unrestricted* – The component of net position that does not meet the definitions above.

#### **Fund Balance**

Fund balance for governmental funds should be reported in classifications that comprise a hierarchy based on the extent to which the government is bound to honor constraints on the specific purposes for which spending can occur. Governmental funds report up to five classifications of fund balance: nonspendable, restricted, committed, assigned, and unassigned. Because circumstances differ among governments, not every government or every governmental fund will present all of these components. The following classifications describe the relative strength of the spending constraints:

Nonspendable Fund Balance – The portion of fund balance that cannot be spent because it is either not in spendable form (such as prepaid amounts or inventory) or legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

#### NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### **Equity (Continued)**

#### Fund Balance (Continued)

Restricted Fund Balance – The portion of fund balance that is constrained to being used for a specific purpose by external parties (such as bondholders), constitutional provisions, or enabling legislation.

Committed Fund Balance – The portion of fund balance that can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the government's highest level of decision-making authority, the Board of Directors. The constraint may be removed or changed only through formal action of the Board of Directors.

Assigned Fund Balance – The portion of fund balance that is constrained by the government's intent to be used for specific purposes but is neither restricted nor committed. Intent is expressed by the Board of Directors to be used for a specific purpose. Constraints imposed on the use of assigned amounts are more easily removed or modified than those imposed on amounts that are classified as committed.

*Unassigned Fund Balance* – The residual portion of fund balance that does not meet any of the criteria described above.

If more than one classification of fund balance is available for use when an expenditure is incurred, it is the District's practice to use the most restrictive classification first.

#### NOTE 3 CASH AND INVESTMENTS

Investments as of December 31, 2022, are classified in the accompanying financial statements as follows:

Statement of Net Position:

| Cash and Investments              | \$<br>1,222,992 |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Cash and Investments - Restricted | 648,443         |
| Total Cash and Investments        | \$<br>1,871,435 |

Cash and investments as of December 31, 2022, consist of the following:

| Deposits with Financial Institution | \$<br>3,617     |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Investments                         | 1,867,818       |
| Total Cash and Investments          | \$<br>1,871,435 |

#### NOTE 3 CASH AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

#### **Deposits with Financial Institutions**

The Colorado Public Deposit Protection Act (PDPA) requires that all units of local government deposit cash in eligible public depositories. Eligibility is determined by state regulators. Amounts on deposit in excess of federal insurance levels must be collateralized. The eligible collateral is determined by the PDPA. PDPA allows the institution to create a single collateral pool for all public funds. The pool for all the uninsured public deposits as a group is to be maintained by another institution or held in trust. The market value of the collateral must be at least 102% of the aggregate uninsured deposits.

The State Commissioners for banks and financial services are required by statute to monitor the naming of eligible depositories and reporting of the uninsured deposits and assets maintained in the collateral pools.

At December 31, 2022, the District had a bank and a carrying balance of \$3,617.

#### <u>Investments</u>

The District has not adopted a formal investment policy; however, the District follows state statutes regarding investments.

The District generally limits its concentration of investments to those noted with an asterisk (\*) below, which are believed to have minimal credit risk, minimal interest rate risk, and no foreign currency risk. Additionally, the District is not subject to concentration risk or investment custodial risk disclosure requirements for investments that are in the possession of another party.

Colorado revised statutes limit investment maturities to five years or less unless formally approved by the Board of Directors. Such actions are generally associated with a debt service reserve or sinking fund requirements.

Colorado statutes specify investment instruments meeting defined rating and risk criteria in which local governments may invest which include:

- . Obligations of the United States, certain U.S. government agency securities and Securities of the World Bank
- . General obligation and revenue bonds of U.S. local government entities
- . Certain certificates of participation
- . Certain securities lending agreements
- . Bankers' acceptances of certain banks
- . Commercial paper
- . Written repurchase agreements and certain reverse repurchase agreements Collateralized by certain authorized securities
- . Certain money market funds
- Guaranteed investment contracts
- Local government investment pools

#### NOTE 3 CASH AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

#### **Investments (Continued)**

As of December 31, 2022, the District had the following investments:

| <u>Investment</u>                         | Maturity         | <br>Amount      |
|---|------------------|-----------------|
| Colorado Surplus Asset Fund Trust (CSAFE) | Weighted-Average | <br>            |
|   | Under 60 Days    | \$<br>1,867,818 |

#### **CSAFE**

The District invested in the Colorado Surplus Asset Fund Trust (CSAFE) (the Trust), which is an investment vehicle established by state statute for local government entities to pool surplus assets. The State Securities Commissioner administers and enforces all state statutes governing the Trust. The Trust currently offers two portfolios – CSAFE CASH FUND and CSAFE CORE.

CSAFE CASH FUND operations similar to a money market fund, with each share valued at \$1.00. CSAFE may invest in U.S. Treasury securities, repurchase agreements collateralized by U.S. Treasury securities, certain money market funds and highest rated commercial paper, any security allowed under Section 24-75-601.1, C.R.S.

CSAFE CORE, a variable net asset value (NAV) Local Government Investment Pool, offers weekly liquidity and is managed to approximate a \$2.00 transactional share price. CSAFE CORE may invest in securities authorized by Section 24-75-601.1, C.R.S., including U.S. Treasury securities, repurchase agreements collateralized by U.S. Treasury securities, certain obligations of U.S. government agencies, and highest rated commercial paper.

A designated custodial bank serves as custodian for CSAFE's portfolio pursuant to a custodian agreement. The custodian acts as safekeeping agent for CSAFE's investment portfolio and provides services as the depository in connection with direct investments and withdrawals. The custodian's internal records segregate investments owned by CSAFE. CSAFE CASH FUND is rated AAAmmf and CSAFE CORE is rated AAAf/S1 by Fitch Ratings. CSAFE records its investments at amortized cost and the District records its investments in CSAFE using the amortized cost method. There are no unfunded commitments, the redemption frequency is daily and there is no redemption notice period.

#### NOTE 4 CAPITAL ASSETS

An analysis of changes in capital assets for the year ended December 31, 2022, follows:

|   | _  | Balance -<br>cember 31,<br>2021 | Ir | ncreases | Deci | reases | _  | Balance -<br>cember 31,<br>2022 |
|---|----|---------------------------------|----|----------|------|--------|----|---------------------------------|
| Capital Assets, Being Depreciated:              |    |                                 |    |          |      |        |    |                                 |
| Roadway Improvements                            | \$ | 253,132                         | \$ | -        | \$   | -      | \$ | 253,132                         |
| Less Accumulated Depreciation For:              |    |                                 |    |          |      |        |    |                                 |
| Roadway Improvements                            |    | (151,878)                       |    | (12,655) |      |        |    | (164,533)                       |
| Total Capital Assets,<br>Being Depreciated, Net |    | 101,254                         |    | (12,655) |      |        |    | 88,599                          |
| Capital Assets, Net                             | \$ | 101,254                         | \$ | (12,655) | \$   |        | \$ | 88,599                          |

Depreciation expense was charged to the general government function.

The District owns certain roadway improvements (Filing 2 Roadways) that will be maintained by the Homeowner's Association. The District will consider taking on maintenance costs for the roadways in the future.

#### NOTE 5 LONG-TERM DEBT

The following is an analysis of the changes in long-term debt for the year ended December 31, 2022:

|   | _  | Balance at<br>cember 31,<br>2021 | Add | itions | Re | eductions         | _  | Balance at<br>cember 31,<br>2022 | _  | ue Within<br>One Year |
|---|----|----------------------------------|-----|--------|----|-------------------|----|----------------------------------|----|-----------------------|
| General Obligation Bonds:<br>2016 G.O. Bonds<br>2016 Bond Premium | \$ | 3,005,000<br>220,927             | \$  | -      | \$ | 150,000<br>26,132 | \$ | 2,855,000<br>194,795             | \$ | 155,000<br>24,884     |
| Total   | \$ | 3,225,927                        | \$  |        | \$ | 176,132           | \$ | 3,049,795                        | \$ | 179,884               |

#### NOTE 5 LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

#### Series 2016 Bonds

On November 4, 2016, the District issued \$3,715,000 in General Obligation Refunding Bonds (Unlimited Tax) to refund its Series 2006 Bonds and Series 2010 Subordinate Bonds. The Bonds are due December 1, 2035, with an interest rate of 4.00% - 4.25%, paid semiannually on June 1 and December 1. The yield on the Bonds is 2.931%. The bonds are subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the District, as a whole or in integral multiples of \$5,000, on December 1, 2026, and on any date thereafter, upon payment of par and accrued interest, without redemption premium. The bonds are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption on December 1, 2016, and on each December 1 thereafter in increasing amounts annually through maturity. The bonds are payable from the District's covenant to levy a mill levy on all taxable property within the District in an amount sufficient to pay for debt service payments as well as a portion of specific ownership taxes collected by the District as a result of the imposition of the mill levy. Concurrently with the issuance of the Bonds, Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp. (AGM) issued its Municipal Bond Insurance Policy for the Bonds (the Policy). The Policy guarantees the scheduled payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds when due as set forth in the form of the Policy.

The District's bond obligations will mature as follows:

| Year Ending December 31, | <br>Principal   | Interest |         | _ | Total           |
|--------------------------|-----------------|----------|---------|---|-----------------|
| 2023                     | \$<br>155,000   | \$       | 119,650 | - | \$<br>274,650   |
| 2024                     | 165,000         |          | 113,450 |   | 278,450         |
| 2025                     | 170,000         |          | 106,850 |   | 276,850         |
| 2026                     | 185,000         |          | 100,050 |   | 285,050         |
| 2027                     | 190,000         |          | 92,650  |   | 282,650         |
| 2028-2032                | 1,145,000       |          | 330,863 |   | 1,475,863       |
| 2033-2035                | <br>845,000     |          | 73,101  |   | 918,101         |
| Total                    | \$<br>2,855,000 | \$       | 936,614 |   | \$<br>3,791,614 |

#### **Events of Default**

The occurrence of any one or more of the following events or the existence of any one or more of the following conditions shall constitute an Event of Default.

- a) Payment of principal or redemption premium is not made when due;
- b) Payment of interest is not made when due;
- Defaults in the performance or observation of any of the other covenants, agreements, or conditions set forth in the Indenture or Bond Resolution, and failure to remedy after notice;
- d) Filing of petition under federal bankruptcy laws.

Acceleration of the bonds shall not be remedy for an Event of Default.

#### NOTE 5 LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

#### **Authorized Debt**

On November 4, 2003, a majority of the qualified electors of the District authorized the issuance of indebtedness in an amount not to exceed \$24,592,200 at an interest rate not to exceed 18% per annum. At December 31, 2022, the District had authorized but unissued indebtedness in the following amounts for the following purposes:

|                                   | Authorized<br>November 4,<br>2003 Election | Authorization<br>Used,<br>Series 2006 | Authorization<br>Used,<br>Series 2010 | Authorization<br>Used,<br>Series 2016 | Remaining at December 31, 2021 |
|-----------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Street Improvements               | \$ 4,500,000                               | \$ 1,870,000                          | \$ 248,474                            | \$ -                                  | \$ 2,381,526                   |
| Traffic and Safety Controls       | 500,000                                    | 20,000                                | -                                     | -                                     | 480,000                        |
| Water Supply                      | 1,546,000                                  | 905,000                               | 133,093                               | -                                     | 507,907                        |
| Sanitary Sewer                    | 3,330,000                                  | 1,120,000                             | 118,433                               | -                                     | 2,091,567                      |
| Parks and Recreational Facilities | 1,000,100                                  | -                                     | -                                     | -                                     | 1,000,100                      |
| Public Transportation System      | 750,000                                    | -                                     | -                                     | -                                     | 750,000                        |
| Television Relay and Translation  |  |                                       |                                       |                                       |                                |
| System                            | 520,000                                    | -                                     | -                                     | -                                     | 520,000                        |
| Mosquito Control                  | 100,000                                    | -                                     | -                                     | -                                     | 100,000                        |
| Operations and Maintenance        | 100,000                                    | -                                     | -                                     | -                                     | 100,000                        |
| Bond Refunding                    | 12,246,100                                 |                                       |                                       | 3,715,000                             | 8,531,100                      |
| Total                             | \$ 24,592,200                              | \$ 3,915,000                          | \$ 500,000                            | \$ 3,715,000                          | \$ 16,462,200                  |

The service plan limits the District's debt service to a maximum mill levy of 50.000 mills provided, however, that in the event the method of calculating the assessed valuation is changed after the date of the approved service plan, the mill levy limitation applicable to such debt may be increased or decreased to reflect such changes.

In the future, the District may issue a portion or all of the remaining authorized but unissued general obligation debt for purposes of providing public improvements to support development as it occurs within the District's service area.

#### NOTE 6 NET POSITION

The District has net position consisting of three components - net investment in capital assets, restricted and unrestricted.

Net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by the outstanding balances of bonds, mortgages, notes, or other borrowings that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets. As of December 31, 2022, the District had net investment in capital assets of \$88,599.

#### NOTE 6 NET POSITION (CONTINUED)

Restricted assets include net position that are restricted for use either externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws and regulations of other governments or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation. The District's restricted net position as of December 31, 2022, as follows:

Restricted Net Position:

| Emergency Reserves            | \$<br>6,600   |
|-------------------------------|---------------|
| Debt Service                  | <br>631,610   |
| Total Restricted Net Position | \$<br>638,210 |
|                               |               |

The District has a deficit in unrestricted net position. The deficit was a result of the District being responsible for the repayment of bonds issued for public improvements which were conveyed to other governmental entities and which costs were removed from the District's financial records.

#### NOTE 7 RISK MANAGEMENT

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; thefts of, damage to, or destruction of assets; errors or omissions; injuries to employees; or acts of God.

The District is a member of the Colorado Special Districts Property and Liability Pool (the Pool). The Pool is an organization created by intergovernmental agreement to provide property, liability, public officials' liability, boiler and machinery and workers' compensation coverage to its members. Settled claims have not exceeded this coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

The District pays annual premiums to the Pool for liability, property, public officials' liability, and worker's compensation coverage. In the event aggregated losses incurred by the Pool exceed amounts recoverable from reinsurance contracts and funds accumulated by the Pool, the Pool may require additional contributions from the Pool members. Any excess funds which the Pool determines are not needed for purposes of the Pool may be returned to the members pursuant to a distribution formula.

#### NOTE 8 TAX, SPENDING, AND DEBT LIMITATIONS

Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution, referred to as the Taxpayer's Bill of Rights (TABOR), contains tax, spending, revenue and debt limitations which apply to the state of Colorado and all local governments.

Spending and revenue limits are determined based on the prior year's Fiscal Year Spending adjusted for allowable increases based upon inflation and local growth. Fiscal Year Spending is generally defined as expenditures plus reserve increases with certain exceptions. Revenue in excess of the Fiscal Year Spending limit must be refunded unless the voters approve retention of such revenue.

TABOR requires local governments to establish Emergency Reserves. These reserves must be at least 3% of Fiscal Year Spending (excluding bonded debt service). Local governments are not allowed to use the Emergency Reserves to compensate for economic conditions, revenue shortfalls, or salary or benefit increases.

On November 7, 2006, District voters authorized the District to increase property taxes \$750,000 annually, without limitation to rate, to pay the District's operations, maintenance, and other expenses. Additionally, the District voters approved a revenue change to allow the District to retain and spend all revenue, other than ad valorem taxes, in excess of TABOR spending, revenue raising or other limitations.

The District's management believes it is in compliance with the provisions of TABOR. However, TABOR is complex and subject to legal interpretation. Many of the provisions, including the interpretation of how to calculate Fiscal Year Spending limits, will require judicial interpretation.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** 

# RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT DEBT SERVICE FUND – SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE – BUDGET AND ACTUAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

|                                  | aı | Original<br>nd Final<br>Budget |    | Actual<br>Amounts | F  | ariance with<br>inal Budget<br>Positive<br>(Negative) |
|----------------------------------|----|--------------------------------|----|-------------------|----|---|
| REVENUES                         | •  | 070.044                        | •  | 000 450           | •  | 500   |
| Property Taxes                   | \$ | 379,914                        | \$ | 380,453           | \$ | 539   |
| Specific Ownership Taxes         |    | 26,594                         |    | 27,822            |    | 1,228   |
| Net Investment Income            |    | 200                            |    | 13,348            |    | 13,148  |
| Total Revenues                   |    | 406,708                        |    | 421,623           |    | 14,915  |
| EXPENDITURES                     |    |                                |    |                   |    |   |
| Current:                         |    |                                |    |                   |    | (4.5)   |
| County Treasurer's Fees          |    | 5,699                          |    | 5,711             |    | (12)  |
| Contingency                      |    | 3,651                          |    | -                 |    | 3,651   |
| Debt Service:                    |    |                                |    |                   |    |   |
| Bond Principal - 2016            |    | 150,000                        |    | 150,000           |    | -   |
| Bond Interest - 2016             |    | 125,650                        |    | 125,650           |    | -   |
| Paying Agent Fees                |    | 3,000                          |    | 2,500             |    | 500   |
| Total Expenditures               |    | 288,000                        | -  | 283,861           |    | 4,139   |
| NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE       |    | 118,708                        |    | 137,762           |    | 19,054  |
| Fund Balance - Beginning of Year |    | 499,246                        |    | 503,819           |    | 4,573   |
| FUND BALANCE - END OF YEAR       | \$ | 617,954                        | \$ | 641,581           | \$ | 23,627  |

**OTHER INFORMATION** 

#### RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT SCHEDULE OF DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS TO MATURITY DECEMBER 31, 2022

\$3,715,000
General Obligation Bonds
Series 2016
Dated November 4, 2016
Principal Due December 1
Interest Rate 4.00% - 4.25% Payable
June 1 and December 1

|                         | Julie 1 and December 1 |           |    |          |    |           |  |
|-------------------------|------------------------|-----------|----|----------|----|-----------|--|
| Year Ended December 31, |                        | Principal |    | Interest |    | Total     |  |
| 2023                    | \$                     | 155,000   | \$ | 119,650  | \$ | 274,650   |  |
|                         | Ψ                      | •         | Ψ  | ,        | Ψ  | •         |  |
| 2024                    |                        | 165,000   |    | 113,450  |    | 278,450   |  |
| 2025                    |                        | 170,000   |    | 106,850  |    | 276,850   |  |
| 2026                    |                        | 185,000   |    | 100,050  |    | 285,050   |  |
| 2027                    |                        | 190,000   |    | 92,650   |    | 282,650   |  |
| 2028                    |                        | 205,000   |    | 84,575   |    | 289,575   |  |
| 2029                    |                        | 215,000   |    | 75,863   |    | 290,863   |  |
| 2030                    |                        | 230,000   |    | 66,725   |    | 296,725   |  |
| 2031                    |                        | 240,000   |    | 56,950   |    | 296,950   |  |
| 2032                    |                        | 255,000   |    | 46,750   |    | 301,750   |  |
| 2033                    |                        | 265,000   |    | 35,913   |    | 300,913   |  |
| 2034                    |                        | 285,000   |    | 24,650   |    | 309,650   |  |
| 2035                    |                        | 295,000   |    | 12,538   |    | 307,538   |  |
| Total                   | \$                     | 2,855,000 | \$ | 936,614  | \$ | 3,791,614 |  |
|                         |                        |           |    |          |    |           |  |

The Series 2016 Bonds are subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the District, beginning December 1, 2026, with no redemption premium.

#### RIVER OAKS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT SCHEDULE OF ASSESSED VALUATION, MILL LEVY, AND PROPERTY TAXES COLLECTED DECEMBER 31, 2022

| Year Ended<br>December 31,                      | V  | Prior ear Assessed /aluation for Current Year Tax Levy | Mills I | _evied<br>Debt Service |    | Total Prop<br>Levied | <br>Taxes<br>Collected | Percent<br>Collected<br>to Levied |
|---|----|--|---------|------------------------|----|----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 2018  | \$ | 8,819,980  | 17.000  | 35.000                 | \$ | 458,639              | \$<br>458,639          | 100.00 %                          |
| 2019  |    | 8,831,170  | 17.000  | 35.000                 | ·  | 459,221              | 459,221                | 100.00                            |
| 2020  |    | 10,248,660   | 17.000  | 35.000                 |    | 532,930              | 532,930                | 100.00                            |
| 2021  |    | 10,302,500   | 17.000  | 35.000                 |    | 535,730              | 534,645                | 99.80                             |
| 2022  |    | 10,854,680   | 17.000  | 35.000                 |    | 564,443              | 565,244                | 100.14                            |
| Estimated for the Year Ending December 31, 2023 | \$ | 10,526,780   | 17.000  | 35.000                 | \$ | 547,392              |                        |                                   |

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Assessed Valuation of Classes of Property in the District

#### 2022 Assessed Valuation of Classes of Property in the District

|                   | Total         | Percentage of  |
|-------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Property          | Assessed      | Total Assessed |
| Class             | Valuation     | Valuation      |
| Residential       | \$ 10,337,060 | 98.2 %         |
| State Assessed    | 5,060         | 0.0            |
| Personal Property | 184,650       | 1.8            |
| Vacant            | 10_           | 0.0            |
| Total             | \$ 10,526,780 | 100.0 %        |

Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance – General Fund – see page 6