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APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM AUDIT

SHORT FORM

NAME OF GOVERNMENT
ADDRESS

8390 E Crescent Parkway
Suite 300
Greenwood Village, CO 80111

CONTACT PERSON

Spring Hill Metropolitan District #4
12/31/22
or fiscal year ended:
Or fiscal year ended:

PART 1 - CERTIFICATION OF PREPARER

I certify that I am skilled in governmental accounting and that the information in the application is complete and accurate, to the best of my knowledge.

NAME: Gigi Pangindian

TITLE Accountant for the District

FIRM NAME (if applicable) CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

ADDRESS 8390 E Crescent Parkway, Suite 300, Greenwood Village, CO 80111

PHONE 303-779-5710

DATE PREPARED 3/24/2023

PREPARER (SIGNATURE REQUIRED)

PHONE EMAIL

See Attached Accountant's Compilation Report

Please indicate whether the following financial information is recorded	GOVERNMENTAL (MODIFIED ACCRUAL BASIS)	PROPRIETARY (CASH OR BUDGETARY BASIS)
using Governmental or Proprietary fund types	V	

PART 2 - REVENUE

REVENUE: All revenues for all funds must be reflected in this section, including proceeds from the sale of the government's land, building, and equipment, and proceeds from debt or lease transactions. Financial information will not include fund equity information.

Line#		Description	Round to nearest Dollar	Please use this
2-1	Taxes: Propert	y (report mills levied in Question 10-6)	\$ -	space to provide
2-2	Specific	c ownership	\$ -	any necessary
2-3	Sales a	nd use	\$ -	explanations
2-4	Other (specify):	\$ -	
2-5	Licenses and permits		\$ -	
2-6	Intergovernmental:	Grants	\$ -	
2-7		Conservation Trust Funds (Lottery)		
2-8		Highway Users Tax Funds (HUTF)	\$ -	
2-9		Other (specify):	\$ -	
2-10	Charges for services		\$ -	
2-11	Fines and forfeits		-	
2-12	Special assessments		-	
2-13	Investment income		\$ -	
2-14	Charges for utility services		-	
2-15	Debt proceeds	(should agree with line 4-4, colo	, ,	
2-16	Lease proceeds		-	
2-17	Developer Advances receive		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	<u> </u>
2-18	Proceeds from sale of capital	al assets	-	
2-19	Fire and police pension		-	
2-20	Donations		-	
2-21	Other (specify):		\$ -	
2-22			\$ -	
2-23			-	
2-24		(add lines 2-1 through 2-23) TOTAL REVE	ENUE \$ 43,42	6

PART 3 - EXPENDITURES/EXPENSES

EXPENDITURES: All expenditures for all funds must be reflected in this section, including the purchase of capital assets and principal and interest payments on long-term debt. Financial information will not include fund equity information.

Line#	Description		Round to nearest Dollar	Please use this
3-1	Administrative		\$ 69,238	space to provide
3-2	Salaries		\$ -	any necessary
3-3	Payroll taxes		\$ -	explanations
3-4	Contract services		\$ -	
3-5	Employee benefits		\$ -	
3-6	Insurance		\$ 3,520	
3-7	Accounting and legal fees		\$ -	
3-8	Repair and maintenance		\$ -	
3-9	Supplies		\$ -	
3-10	Utilities and telephone		\$ -	
3-11	Fire/Police		\$ -	
3-12	Streets and highways		\$ -	
3-13	Public health		\$ -	
3-14	Capital outlay		\$ -	
3-15	Utility operations		\$ -	
3-16	Culture and recreation		\$ -	
3-17	Debt service principal (should agree with Pa	art 4)	\$ -	
3-18	Debt service interest		\$ -	
3-19	Repayment of Developer Advance Principal (should agree with line	e 4-4)	\$ -	
3-20	Repayment of Developer Advance Interest		\$ -	
3-21	Contribution to pension plan (should agree to line	e 7-2)	\$ -	
3-22	Contribution to Fire & Police Pension Assoc. (should agree to line	e 7-2)	\$ -	
3-23	Other (specify):			
3-24			\$ -	
3-25			\$ -	
3-26	(add lines 3-1 through 3-24) TOTAL EXPENDITURES/EXPENS	SES	\$ 72,758	

If TOTAL REVENUE (Line 2-24) or TOTAL EXPENDITURES (Line 3-26) are GREATER than \$100,000 - <u>STOP</u>. You may not use this form. Please use the "Application for Exemption from Audit -<u>LONG FORM</u>".

PART 4 - DEBT OUTSTANDING, ISSUED, AND RETIRED	
Please answer the following questions by marking the appropriate boxes.	No
4-1 Does the entity have outstanding debt? ✓	
If Yes, please attach a copy of the entity's Debt Repayment Schedule.	
4-2 Is the debt repayment schedule attached? If no, MUST explain:	✓
N/A - The District's debt is made up of Developer Advances. Repayment is subject to	
annual appropriation, and will be paid when funds becomes available.	
4-3 Is the entity current in its debt service payments? If no, MUST explain:	V
N/A - see 4-2.	
4-4	
Please complete the following debt schedule, if applicable:	Outstanding at
(please only include principal amounts)(enter all amount as positive	year-end
numbers)	
General obligation bonds \$ - \$ - \$ -	\$ -
Revenue bonds \$ - \$ - \$ -	\$ -
Notes/Loans \$ - \$ -	\$ -
Lease Liabilities \$ - \$ -	\$ -
Developer Advances \$ - \$ 43,426 \$ -	\$ 43,426
Other (specify): \$ - \$ -	\$
TOTAL \$ - \$ 43,426 \$ -	\$ 43,426
*must tie to prior year ending balance	
Please answer the following questions by marking the appropriate boxes.	No
4-5 Does the entity have any authorized, but unissued, debt?	
If yes: How much? \$ 960,000,000.00	
Date the debt was authorized: 5/3/2022	
4-6 Does the entity intend to issue debt within the next calendar <u>year?</u>	7
If yes: How much?	
4-7 Does the entity have debt that has been refinanced that it is still responsible for?	✓
If yes: What is the amount outstanding? \$ -	
4-8 Does the entity have any lease agreements?	✓
If yes: What is being leased?	
What is the original date of the lease?	
Number of years of lease? Is the lease subject to annual appropriation?	П
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What are the annual lease payments? Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:	

	PART 5 - CASH AND INVESTME	ENTS			
	Please provide the entity's cash deposit and investment balances.			Amount	Total
5-1	YEAR-END Total of ALL Checking and Savings Accounts		\$	39,181	
5-2	Certificates of deposit		\$	-	
	Total Cash Deposits				\$ 39,181
	Investments (if investment is a mutual fund, please list underlying investments):		ĺ	,	
			\$	-	
- 0			\$	-	
5-3			\$	-	
			\$	-	
	Total Investments				\$ -
	Total Cash and Investments				\$ 39,181
	Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate boxes	Yes		No	N/A
5-4	Are the entity's Investments legal in accordance with Section 24-75-601, et.	7			П
	seq., C.R.S.?	۳			
5-5	Are the entity's deposits in an eligible (Public Deposit Protection Act) public	4		П	П
	depository (Section 11-10.5-101, et seq. C.R.S.)?	ŭ			
f no, ML	JST use this space to provide any explanations:				

	PART 6 - CAPITAL AND RI		-TO-U	SE A	ASSE				
	Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate box	es.				Yes			No ¬
6-1	Does the entity have capital assets?							L	J
6-2	Has the entity performed an annual inventory of capital asset 29-1-506, C.R.S.,? If no, MUST explain:	s in acc	ordance	with Se	ection			I	J
	N/A								
6-3	Complete the following capital & right-to-use assets table:	beginni	ance - ing of the ear*	be incl	ns (Must uded in t 3)	Deletio	ons	20.00	r-End lance
	Land	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
	Buildings	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
	Machinery and equipment Furniture and fixtures	\$		\$	-	\$	-	\$	
	Infrastructure	\$		\$		\$		\$	<u>-</u>
	Construction In Progress (CIP)	\$		\$		\$		\$	
	Leased Right-to-Use Assets	\$		\$		\$	_	\$	
	Other (explain):	\$		\$		\$		\$	
	Accumulated Depreciation/Amortization							Ψ	
	(Please enter a negative, or credit, balance)	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	_
	TOTAL	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
	Please use this space to provide any	explana	itions or	comme	nts:				
	PART 7 - PENSION	INFC	RMA	101	1				
	Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate box	es.				Yes			No
7-1	Does the entity have an "old hire" firefighters' pension plan?							Ŀ	/
7-2	Does the entity have a volunteer firefighters' pension plan?								/
If yes:	Who administers the plan?								
	Indicate the contributions from:								
	Tax (property, SO, sales, etc.):			\$	_	1			
	State contribution amount:			\$	_				
	Other (gifts, donations, etc.):			\$	-				
	TOTAL			\$	-				
	What is the monthly benefit paid for 20 years of service per re	etiree as	of Jan	\$					
	1?			'	_				
	Please use this space to provide any	explana	itions or	comme	nts:				
	PART 8 - BUDGET I		RIMA	HON					
	Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate box			Y	es	No		ı	N/A
8-1	Did the entity file a budget with the Department of Local Affai	irs for th	ne	1]]
	current year in accordance with Section 29-1-113 C.R.S.?			1 -	=	_			_
8-2	Did the entity pass an appropriations resolution, in accordance	ce with	Section	J	1			Г	٦
	29-1-108 C.R.S.? If no, MUST explain:				,	ш			_
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If yes:	Please indicate the amount budgeted for each fund for the ye	ar repo	rted:						
	Governmental/Proprietary Fund Name	Total	Appropria	tions By	Fund _	l			
	Amended General Fund	\$	фргории	y	86,000				
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Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box

9-1	Is the entity in compliance with all the provisions of TABOR [State Constitution, Article X, Section 20(5)]? Note: An election to exempt the government from the spending limitations of TABOR does not exempt the government from the 3 percent emergency reserve requirement. All governments should determine if they meet this requirement of TABOR.	√	
f no, Ml	JST explain:		
	PART 10 - GENERAL INFORMATION		
	Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate boxes.	Yes	No
10-1	Is this application for a newly formed governmental entity?	7	
If yes: 10-2	Date of formation: 5/13/2022 Has the entity changed its name in the past or current year?		7
If yes:	Please list the NEW name & PRIOR name:		
10-3	Is the entity a metropolitan district? Please indicate what services the entity provides: See below	V	
10-4 If yes:	Does the entity have an agreement with another government to provide services? List the name of the other governmental entity and the services provided:	J	
10-5 If yes:	See below Has the district filed a <i>Title 32</i> , <i>Article 1 Special District Notice of Inactive Status</i> during Date Filed:		7
10-6 If yes:	Does the entity have a certified Mill Levy? Please provide the following mills levied for the year reported (do not report \$ amounts):		V
	Bond Redemption mills General/Other mills Total mills Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:		- - -

PART 9 - TAXPAYER'S BILL OF RIGHTS (TABOR)

10-3: Street improvements, parks and recreation, water, sanitation, public transportation, mosquito control, traffic and safety control, fire protection, television relay and translation, and security.

10-4: Under the Consolidated Service Plan, the District operates in conjunction with Spring Hill Metropolitan District Nos. 1-3 whereby District No. 4 will act as the Operating District and District Nos. 1-3 will operate as the Pledge Districts.

PART 11 - GOVERNING BODY APPROVAL				
	Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box	YES	NO	
12-1	If you plan to submit this form electronically, have you read the new Electronic Signature Policy?	7		

Office of the State Auditor — Local Government Division - Exemption Form Electronic Signatures Policy and Procedure

Policy - Requirements

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

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

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

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

	Print the names of ALL members of current governing body below.	A MAJORITY of the members of the governing body must complete and sign in the column below.
Board	Print Board Member's Name	I, Christopher Elliott, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.
Member 1	Christopher Elliott	Date:3/29/2023 Cluridoplur Clieft Date:Bigned Distribution Clieft FCTESSBEATSCASS. My term Expires: May 2025
Board	Print Board Member's Name	I, Corey Elliott, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.
Member 2	Corey Elliott	Date:3/31/2023 My term Expires: May 2025
Board	Print Board Member's Name	I, Sarah Hunsche, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.
Member 3	Sarah Hunsche	Signed Date: 3/31/2023 Sarate Hunsdur Basescreamorts My term Expires: May 2023
Board	Print Board Member's Name	I, Christian Matt Janke, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from
Member 4	Christian Matt Janke	audit. Signed Date: My term Expires: May 2025
Board Member 5	Print Board Member's Name	I
Board Member 6	Print Board Member's Name	I
Board Member 7	Print Board Member's Name	My term Expires:, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit. Signed Date: My term Expires:



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Accountant's Compilation Report

Board of Directors Spring Hill Metropolitan District No. 4 Weld County, Colorado

Management is responsible for the accompanying Application for Exemption from Audit of Spring Hill Metropolitan District No. 4 as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022, included in the accompanying prescribed form. We have performed a compilation engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. We did not audit or review the financial statements included in the accompanying prescribed form nor were we required to perform any procedures to verify the accuracy or completeness of the information provided by management. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion, a conclusion, nor provide any form of assurance on the financial statements included in the accompanying prescribed form.

The Application for Exemption from Audit is presented in accordance with the requirements of the Colorado Office of the State Auditor, which differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Colorado Office of the State Auditor and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than this specified party.

We are not independent with respect to Spring Hill Metropolitan District No. 4.

Greenwood Village, Colorado

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March 24, 2023

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