#### **RESOLUTION NO. 2023-06-07**

### RESOLUTION ADOPTING BUDGET, APPROPRIATING FUNDS AND CERTIFYING MILL LEVIES FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2023

The Board of Directors of Quebec Highlands Metropolitan District (the "**Board**"), City of Thornton, Adams County, Colorado (the "**District**"), held an organizational meeting, via teleconference On June 29, 2023, at 10:00 a.m.

Prior to the meeting, each of the directors was notified of the date, time and place of the budget meeting and the purpose for which it was called and a notice of the meeting was posted or published in accordance with §29-1-106, C.R.S.

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## NOTICE AS TO PROPOSED 2023 BUDGET

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED 2023 BUDGET

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Directors (the "Board") of the QUEBEC

HIGHLANDS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT (the "District"), will hold a meeting via

teleconference on June 29, 2023 at 10:00 a.m., for the purpose of conducting such business as may

come before the Board including a public hearing on the 2023 proposed budget (the "Proposed

**Budget**"). This meeting can be joined using the following teleconference information:

https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87211956904?pwd=NjdIUDVwNHZ6NDhhMkNlZ0dsaE5DZz09

Meeting ID: 872 1195 6904

Passcode: 654304 Call: 346-248-7799

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Proposed Budget (if applicable) have been

submitted to the District. A copy of the Proposed Budget is on file in the office of Simmons &

Wheeler, 304 Inverness Way S #490, Englewood, CO 80112, where the same are open for public

inspection.

Any interested elector of the District may file any objections to the Proposed Budget at any

time prior to final adoption of the Proposed Budget by the Board. This meeting is open to the

public and the agenda for any meeting may be obtained by calling (303) 858-1800.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

**OUEBEC HIGHLANDS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT.** 

a quasi-municipal corporation and political subdivision of the

State of Colorado

/s/ WHITE BEAR ANKELE TANAKA & WALDRON

Attorneys at Law

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WHEREAS, the Board has designated its accountant to prepare and submit a proposed budget to the Board in accordance with Colorado law; and

WHEREAS, the proposed budget has been submitted to the Board for its review and consideration; and

WHEREAS, upon due and proper notice, provided in accordance with Colorado law, said proposed budget was open for inspection by the public at a designated place, a public hearing was held and interested electors were given the opportunity to register their protest to the proposed budget prior to the adoption of the budget by the Board.

#### NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. <u>Adoption of Budget</u>. The budget attached hereto and incorporated herein is approved and adopted as the budget of the District for fiscal year 2023. In the event of recertification of values by the County Assessor's Office after the date of adoption hereof, staff is hereby directed to modify and/or adjust the budget and certification to reflect the recertification without the need for additional Board authorization. Any such modification to the budget or certification as contemplated by this Section 1 shall be deemed ratified by the Board.

Section 2. <u>Levy for General Operating Expenses</u>. For the purpose of meeting all general operating expenses of the District during the 2023 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 0.000 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District.

Section 3. <u>Levy for Debt Service Obligations</u>. For the purposes of meeting all debt service obligations of the District during the 2023 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 0.000 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District.

Section 4. <u>Levy for Contractual Obligation Expenses</u>. For the purposes of meeting all contractual obligations of the District during the 2023 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 0.000 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District.

Section 5. <u>Levy for Capital Project Expenses</u>. For the purposes of meeting all capital project obligations of the District during the 2023 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 0.000 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation of assessment of all taxable property within the District.

Section 6. Mill Levy Adjustment. When developing the attached budget, consideration was given to any changes in the method of calculating assessed valuation, including any changes to the assessment ratios, or any constitutionally mandated tax credit, cut or abatement, as authorized in the District's service plan. The Board hereby determines in good faith (such determination to be binding and final), that to the extent possible, the adjustments to the mill levies made to account for changes in Colorado law described in the prior sentence, and the actual tax revenues generated by the mill levies, are neither diminished nor enhanced as a result of those changes.

Section 7. <u>Certification to County Commissioners</u>. The Board directs its legal counsel, manager, accountant or other designee to certify to the Board of County Commissioners of Adams County, Colorado the mill levies for the District as set forth herein. Such certification shall be in compliance with the requirements of Colorado law.

Section 8. <u>Appropriations</u>. The amounts set forth as expenditures in the budget attached hereto are hereby appropriated.

Section 9. <u>Filing of Budget and Budget Message</u>. The Board hereby directs its legal counsel, manager or other designee to file a certified copy of the adopted budget resolution, the budget and budget message with the Division of Local Government by January 30 of the ensuing year.

Section 10. <u>Budget Certification</u>. The budget shall be certified by a member of the District, or a person appointed by the District, and made a part of the public records of the District.

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#### **DISTRICT:**

QUEBEC HIGHLANDS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, a quasi-municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of Colorado

By:

AJ Beckman

Officer of the District

Attest:

By: Kate Innes (Jun 29, 2023 16:52 MDT)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

WHITE BEAR ANKELE TANAKA & WALDRON

Attorneys at Law

General Counsel to the District

STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF ADAMS

QUEBEC HIGHLANDS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution constitutes a true and correct copy of the record of proceedings of the Board adopted by a majority of the Board at a District meeting held at via teleconference on June 29, 2023, as recorded in the official record of the proceedings of the District.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name this  $29^{th}$  day of June, 2023.

Kate Innes ( Jun 29, 2023 16:52 MDT)

# EXHIBIT A BUDGET DOCUMENT BUDGET MESSAGE

# Quebec Highlands Metropolitan District Proposed Budget General Fund

# For the Year ended December 31, 2023

	Actual <u>2021</u>	Adopted Budget <u>2022</u>	Actual <u>2022</u>	Proposed Budget <u>2023</u>
Beginning fund balance	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Revenues:				
Property taxes	-	-	-	-
Specific Ownership taxes	-	-	-	-
Developer advances	-	-	-	50,000
Interest/Misc Income				
Total revenues				50,000
Total funds available				50,000
Expenditures:				
Accounting / audit	-	-	-	3,500
Election	-	-	-	-
Engineering	-	-	-	10,000
Insurance/ SDA Dues	-	-	-	2,500
Legal	-	-	-	15,000
Management	-	-	-	1,500
Miscellaneous	-	-	-	2,000
Treasurer's Fees	-	-	-	-
Contingency	-	-	-	14,000
Emergency Reserve				1,500
Total expenditures				50,000
Ending fund balance	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	<u>\$</u> _
Assessed valuation				\$ -
Mill Levy				