## **GREEN GABLES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1**

## **ANNUAL REPORT**

## FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2023

Pursuant to § 32-1-207(3)(c), C.R.S., any special district created after July 1, 2000, shall file a special district annual report for the proceeding calendar year by October 1 of each year. For the year ending December 31, 2023, the District makes the following report:

(A) **Boundary changes made:** 

No boundary changes were made or proposed in 2023 for the District.

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

The District did not enter into any new or terminate any existing intergovernmental agreements during 2023.

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

As of December 31, 2023, the District had not yet adopted rules and regulations.

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

To our knowledge, there was no litigation involving the District's public improvements during the year ending December 31, 2023.

- (E) **The status of the construction of public improvements by the special district:** The District did not construct any public improvements during the year ending December 31, 2023.
- (F) A list of facilities or improvements constructed by the special district that were conveyed or dedicated to the county or municipality: As of December 31, 2023, the District has had no facilities or improvements dedicated to or accepted by the County.
- (G) The final assessed valuation of the special district as of December 31 of the reporting year:

The District received certifications of valuation from the Jefferson County Assessor that reported a taxable assessed valuation for 2023 of \$17,483,305.

(H) A copy of the current year's budget: A copy of the District's 2024 Budget is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

- (I) A copy of the audited financial statements, if required by the "Colorado Local Government Audit Law," part 6 of article 1 of title 29, or the application for exemption from audit, as applicable: The 2023 Audit is in process and will be forwarded when available.
- (J) Notice of any uncured defaults existing for more than ninety days under any debt instrument of the special district: There are no uncured events of default by the District that continue beyond a ninety (90) day period under any debt instrument.
- (K) Any inability of the special district to pay its obligations as they come due under any obligation which continues beyond a ninety-day period: None.

# EXHIBIT A 2024 Budget

# **GREEN GABLES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1**

## ANNUAL BUDGET

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2024

## GREEN GABLES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1 SUMMARY 2024 BUDGET WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

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	ACTUAL		ESTIMATED			BUDGET
	2	2022		2023		2024
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$ 1	,236,729	\$	1,405,493	\$	1,619,750
REVENUES						
Property taxes		930,012		930,538		951,704
Specific ownership taxes		63,844		101,328		66,620
Interest income		15,601		87,106		67,000
Water - Revenue from HOA		141,856		54,000		125,300
Water - Revenue from Lennar		17,020		-		-
Water - Revenue from Lennar GGMD NO. 2		40,055		26,000		32,707
Miscellaneous Revenue		28,512		39,000		-
Total revenues	1	,236,900		1,237,972		1,243,331
Total funds available	2	,473,629		2,643,465		2,863,081
EXPENDITURES						
General Fund		369,517		323,365		450,000
Debt Service Fund		698,619		700,350		680,000
Capital Projects Fund		-		-		70,030
Total expenditures	1	,068,136		1,023,715		1,200,030
Total expenditures and transfers out						
requiring appropriation	1	,068,136		1,023,715		1,200,030
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$ 1	,405,493	\$	1,619,750	\$	1,663,051
EMERGENCY RESERVE	\$	10,300	\$	10,200	\$	10,700
RESERVE FUND	Ŧ	823,393	Ŧ	823,393	Ŧ	823,393
TOTAL RESERVE	\$	833,693	\$	833,593	\$	834,093

## GREEN GABLES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1 PROPERTY TAX SUMMARY INFORMATION 2024 BUDGET WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

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	A	ACTUAL		TIMATED	E	UDGET
		2022		2023		2024
ASSESSED VALUATION						
Residential	\$1	4,166,816	\$ 13	3,835,345	\$1	6,716,304
Natural resources		6		6		6
State assessed		1,446		2,632		2,624
Vacant land		659,611		508,751		491,946
Personal property		172,491		264,155		272,425
		5,000,370		1,610,889	1	7,483,305
Certified Assessed Value	\$1	5,000,370	\$ 14	1,610,889	\$1	7,483,305
MILL LEVY						
General		16.000		16.435		16.435
Debt Service		46.000		47.253		38.000
Total mill levy		62.000		63.688		54.435
PROPERTY TAXES						
General	\$	240,006	\$	240,130	\$	287,338
Debt Service		690,017		690,408		664,366
Levied property taxes		930,023		930,538		951,704
Adjustments to actual/rounding		(11)		-		-
Budgeted property taxes	\$	930,012	\$	930,538	\$	951,704
BUDGETED PROPERTY TAXES						
General	\$	240,003	\$	240,130	\$	287,338
Debt Service	Ŧ	690,009	Ŧ	690,408	Ŧ	664,366
	\$	930,012	\$	930,538	\$	951,704

No assurance provided. See summary of significant assumptions.

#### GREEN GABLES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1 GENERAL FUND 2024 BUDGET WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL		ESTIMATED		E	BUDGET
		2022	2023			2024
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$	153,104	\$	268,678	\$	337,483
REVENUES						
Property taxes		240,003		240,130		287,338
Specific ownership taxes		16,476		26,148		20,114
Interest income		1,169		6,892		16,000
Water - Revenue from HOA		141,856		54,000		125,300
Water - Revenue from Lennar		17,020		-		-
Water - Revenue from Lennar GGMD NO. 2		40,055		26,000		32,707
Miscellaneous Revenue		28,512		39,000		-
Total revenues		485,091		392,170		481,459
Total funds available		638,195		660,848		818,942
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EXPENDITURES						
General and administrative						
Accounting		38,330		38,000		42,000
Auditing		5,600		6,000		6,600
County Treasurer's fee		3,602		3,610		4,310
Dues and membership		620		667		700
Insurance		5,022		4,888		12,100
District management		33,000		37,000		41,000
Legal		39,104		54,018		59,000
Miscellaneous		26		970		1,200
Election		1,140		2,331		-
Contingency		-		-		6,690
Operations and maintenance						
Repairs and maintenance		664		-		10,000
Landscaping		46,047		46,881		49,500
Landscaping - Irrigation		-		-		10,000
Snow removal		2,847		5,000		5,500
Water - Acquisition Cost		164,561		80,000		155,000
Water Facility O&M		28,954		34,000		36,400
Storm drainage				10,000		10,000
Total expenditures		369,517		323,365		450,000
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Total expenditures and transfers out						
requiring appropriation		369,517		323,365		450,000
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$	268,678	\$	337,483	\$	368,942
EMERGENCY RESERVE	\$	10,300	\$	10,200	\$	10,700
TOTAL RESERVE	\$	10,300	\$	10,200	\$	10,700
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## GREEN GABLES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1 DEBT SERVICE FUND 2024 BUDGET WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

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	ACTUAL 2022		ESTIMATED 2023		BUDGET 2024
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$	1,013,595	\$	1,066,785	\$ 1,212,237
REVENUES					
Property taxes		690,009		690,408	664,366
Specific ownership taxes		47,368		75,180	46,506
Interest income		14,432		80,214	51,000
Total revenues		751,809		845,802	761,872
Total funds available		1,765,404		1,912,587	1,974,109
EXPENDITURES					
General and administrative					
County Treasurer's fee		10,357		10,356	9,965
Contingency		-		-	2,514
Debt Service		440.000		400.004	400 504
Bond interest Bond principal		418,262 270,000		409,994 280,000	402,521 265,000
Total expenditures		698,619		700,350	680,000
Total expenditures and transfers out					
requiring appropriation		698,619		700,350	680,000
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$	1,066,785	\$	1,212,237	\$ 1,294,109
RESERVE FUND	\$	823,393	\$	823,393	\$ 823,393
TOTAL RESERVE	\$	823,393	\$	823,393	\$ 823,393

#### GREEN GABLES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1 CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND 2024 BUDGET WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

1/25/24

	ACTUAL 2022		ESTIMATED 2023		BUDGET 2024
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$	70,030	\$	70,030	\$ 70,030
REVENUES					
Total revenues		-		-	-
Total funds available		70,030		70,030	70,030
EXPENDITURES General and Administrative Capital Projects					
Capital outlay		-		-	70,030
Total expenditures		-		-	70,030
Total expenditures and transfers out requiring appropriation		-		-	70,030
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$	70,030	\$	70,030	\$ 

## Services Provided

Green Gables Metropolitan District No. 1 (District), a quasi-municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of Colorado, was organized by Order and Decree of the District Court for Jefferson County recorded on January 10, 2013, and is governed pursuant to provisions of the Colorado Special District Act (Title 32, Article 1, Colorado Revised Statutes). The District was organized in conjunction with Green Gables Metropolitan District No. 2 (District No. 2). Services are provided to the Green Gables mixed use redevelopment (Project) by the District and District No. 2. The District serves the single-family residential portion of the Project and District No. 2 serves the commercial portions of the Project.

The District was organized to provide financing for the design, acquisition, installation and construction of water, sanitation, streets, safety protection, parks and recreation improvements, and operation and maintenance of the District. The District's service area is located in Jefferson County, Colorado.

On November 6, 2012, the District's voters authorized total indebtedness of an amount not to exceed \$245,000,000 for the above listed facilities. The election also approved an annual increase in property taxes of \$2,000,000 without limitation of rate, to pay the District's operation and maintenance costs.

Pursuant to the Service Plan, the District and District No.2 are permitted to issue combined bond indebtedness of up to \$49,000,000. 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.

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.

## Revenue

## **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 District's Service Plan sets a mill levy cap of 50.000 mills (subject to adjustment) to pay that portion of debt that equals or exceeds 50.000% of the District's assessed valuation.

As of December 31, 2023, the adjusted maximum mill levy for debt service is 58.550.

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.

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

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

## Specific Ownership Taxes

Specific ownership taxes are set by the State and collected by the County Treasurer, primarily on vehicle licensing within the County as a whole. The specific ownership taxes are allocated by the County Treasurer to all taxing entities within the County. The budget assumes that the District's share will be equal to approximately 7% of the property taxes collected by the General Fund.

## Interest Income

Interest earned on the District's available funds has been estimated based upon an average interest rate of approximately 4%.

## **Revenue (continued)**

## Water Services

The District entered into agreements with Green Gables Development Company, Inc. ("GGDC"), subsequently assigned to Save Ward Lake, LLC (SWL), Green Gables Owners Association, Inc. ("Association"), and Green Gables Metropolitan District No. 2 (District No. 2) whereby the District would purchase water from SWL and sell it to the Association and District No. 2. The Association and District No. 2 would pay all associated costs of the water as well as the associated water facility operations and maintenance costs. The associated budget line items are: Water – Revenue from HOA, Water – acquisition cost.

## Expenditures

## Administrative and Operating Expenditures

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

## County Treasurer's Fees

County Treasurer's fees have been computed at 1.5% of property tax collections.

## Capital Outlay

The District anticipates infrastructure improvements as noted in the Capital Projects fund.

## **Debt Service**

The principal and interest payments are provided based on the debt amortization schedule for the 2019 Taxable (Convertible to Tax-Exempt) Limited Tax (Convertible to Unlimited Tax) General Obligation Refunding and Improvement Loan.

## Reserves

## **Emergency Reserve**

The District has provided for an emergency reserve fund equal to at least 3% of fiscal year spending, as defined under Tabor.

## **Debt Service Reserve**

The District has required \$823,393 in Debt Service reserve fund, which is fully funded.

## Debt and Leases

## Series 2019 General Obligation Loan

On November 14, 2019, the District entered into a Loan Agreement ("Loan Agreement") with BBVA Mortgage Corporation ("Lender") pertaining to a Taxable (Convertible to Tax-Exempt) Limited Tax (Convertible to Unlimited Tax) General Obligation Refunding and Improvement Loan in the amount of \$13,910,000 (the "Loan"). The proceeds of the Loan were used to: (a) refund the outstanding Series 2016A and Series 2016B Bonds; (b) pay or reimburse project costs of the District; (c) fund the Reserve Fund (as defined in the Loan Agreement); and (d) pay the costs of issuing the Loan.

The Loan is secured by and payable from the Pledged Revenue consisting of moneys derived from the following sources, after payment of any costs of collection: (a) the Required Mill Levy (as defined in the Loan Agreement); (b) the portion of the Specific Ownership Taxes (as defined in the Loan Agreement) allocable to the amount of the Required Mill Levy; and (c) any other legally available moneys which the District determines, in its absolute discretion, to apply as Pledged Revenue. The Loan is also secured by a Reserve Fund in the amount of \$823,393.

Interest payments are due June 1 and December 1 of each year, commencing on June 1, 2020, and principal payments are due December 1 of each year, beginning December 1, 2020. The Loan is assumed to bear taxable interest at 3.82% through the Conversion Date (as defined in the Loan Agreement) and assumed to bear a tax-exempt interest rate at 3.02% after the Conversion Date on September 16, 2021. The Loan matures on December 1, 2034. Interest not paid when due will be subject to a default rate calculated as the base rate plus 4% until the default is cured. In the case of a post-maturity default, the Loan will bear interest at the Wall Street Prime Rate plus 2%.

Principal payments on the Loan are due and payable in the amounts set forth in the schedule attached. Pursuant to the Loan Agreement, if the District provides the Refinancing Certificate (as defined in the Loan Agreement) to the Lender in accordance with the provisions of the Loan Agreement, such Refinancing Certificate certifying that the District reasonably expects to refinance the Loan on or before the maturity date, the amount due and payable on the Loan for fiscal year 2034 will be assumed to equal \$530,000.

This information is an integral part of the accompanying budget.

## GREEN GABLES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1 PRINCIPAL PAYMENT SCHEDULE

## \$13,910,000 Taxable (Convertible to Tax-Exempt) Limited Tax (Convertible to Unlimited Tax) General Obligation Refunding and Improvement Loan

Bonds and Interest Maturing in the Year Ending December 31,	F	Interest Pa	Series 2019 ated November 14, 2019 Payable June 1 and December 1 cipal Payable December 1 Interest Total						
2024	\$	265,000	\$	402,521	\$	667,521			
2025		275,000		393,307		668,307			
2026		295,000		384,886		679,886			
2027		305,000		375,854		680,854			
2028		330,000		367,519		697,519			
2029		340,000		356,410		696,410			
2030 2031		365,000		346,000		711,000			
2031		375,000 415,000		334,824 324,227		709,824			
2032		415,000 430,000		324,227 310,634		739,227 740,634			
2033		430,000 530,000		297,468		827,468			
2034		320,000		297,400		597,387			
2035		350,000		267,723		617,723			
2037		370,000		257,153		627,153			
2038		410,000		245,979		655,979			
2039		430,000		233,597		663,597			
2040		470,000		220,611		690,611			
2041		500,000		206,417		706,417			
2042		545,000		191,317		736,317			
2043		570,000		174,858		744,858			
2044		620,000		157,644		777,644			
2045		655,000		138,920		793,920			
2046		710,000		119,139		829,139			
2047		750,000		97,697		847,697			
2048		810,000		75,047		885,047			
2049		1,675,000		50,585		1,725,585			
20.0	\$	13,110,000	\$	6,607,724	\$	19,717,724			

No assurance provided. See summary of significant assumptions.

## EXHIBIT B

2023 Audit (In Process)