2022 Budget Message

Introduction

The District was formed in November 2003 for the purpose of providing design, financing, acquisition, and construction of certain infrastructure including water improvements, street improvements, sanitary sewer, storm sewer, park and recreation improvements and landscaping improvements. These improvements have been dedicated to the City of Aurora, or such other entities as appropriate for the use and benefit of the District taxpayers and service users.

The 2022 budget was prepared in accordance with the Local Government Budget Law of Colorado. The budget reflects the projected spending plan for the 2022 fiscal year based on available revenues. This budget provides for the annual debt service on the District's outstanding debt as well as the general operation of the District and capital improvements.

The District's 2021 assessed value increased to \$25,165,100 from \$16,395,800 the prior year. The District's mill levy is 37.000 mills for taxes to be collected in the 2022 fiscal year, with 3.388 mills certified to the General Fund, 32.612 mills certified to the Debt Service Fund, and 1.000 mills certified to the Aurora Regional Improvements (ARI). The ARI mill levy is required pursuant to the First Amended and Restated Service Plan.

Budgetary Basis of Accounting

The District uses Funds to budget and report on the financial position and results of operations. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid financial management by segregating transactions related to certain governmental functions. The various funds determine the total District budget. All of the District's funds are considered Governmental Funds and are reported using the current financial resources and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when they are measurable and available. Revenues are considered available when they are collectible within the current period. For this purpose, the District considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures, other than the interest on long term obligations, are recorded when the liability is incurred or the long-term obligation paid.

Fund Summaries

General Fund is used to account for resources traditionally associated with government such as property taxes, specific ownership taxes and expenditures which include district administration, legal services, and other expenses related to statutory operations of a local government. The District's primary source of operating revenue for 2022 is from property taxes and specific ownership taxes.

Debt Service Fund is used to account for property taxes and other revenues dedicated to pay the fiscal year's debt expense which includes principal payments, interest payments, and administrative costs associated with debt issues. The primary source of revenue comes from property taxes, specific ownership taxes and ARI revenue.

In 2019, the District entered into a Loan Agreement to reimburse the developer for prior capital advances made to the District, and to fund additional capital projects. Below is a consolidated summary of the District's debt.

Series 2019A Loan										
December 1,	Principal	Interest	Total							
2022	40,000	236,284	276,284							
2023	50,000	244,989	294,989							
2024	60,000	253,901	313,901							
2025-2029	515,000	1,442,224	1,957,224							
2030-2034	765,000	1,593,633	2,358,633							
2035-2039	1,085,000	1,770,041	2,855,041							
2040-2044	1,510,000	1,993,711	3,503,711							
2045-2049	2,040,000	2,245,909	4,285,909							
Totals	\$ 6,065,000	\$ 9,780,692	\$ 15,845,692							

In 2021, the District began drawing against the Series 2019B Loan. The Series 2019B summary is as follows:

Series 2019B Loan										
December 1, Principal Interest Total										
2022	\$	-	\$	129,472	\$	129,472				
2023	\$	96,000	\$	199,440	\$	295,440				
9/26/2024	\$	8,904,000	\$	161,687	\$	9,065,687				
Totals	\$	9,000,000	\$	490,599	\$	9,490,599				

The District's 2022 budget does include full payment on the debt scheduled above.

Capital Projects Fund is used to account for revenues and expenditures to complete capital projects such as new improvements and upgrades to existing infrastructure.

Emergency Reserve

As required under Section 20 of Article X of the Colorado Constitution ("TABOR"), the District has provided for an Emergency Reserve in the amount of 3% of the total fiscal year revenues in the General Fund.

ACC METROPOLITAN DISTRICT Assessed Value, Property Tax and Mill Levy Information

	2020			2021	2022		
		Actual	Ac	dopted Budget	Α	dopted Budget	
Assessed Valuation	\$	9,591,570	\$	16,395,800	\$	25,165,100	
Mill Levy							
General Fund		5.734		3.388		3.388	
Debt Service Fund		30.266		32.612		32.612	
ARI Mill Levy		1.000		1.000		1.000	
Total Mill Levy		37.000		37.000		37.000	
Property Taxes							
General Fund	\$	54,998	\$	55,549	\$	85,259	
Debt Service Fund		290,298		534,700		820,684	
ARI Mill Levy		9,592		16,396		25,165	
Actual/Budgeted Property Taxes	\$	354,888	\$	606,645	\$	931,108	

GENERAL FUND 2022 Adopted Budget with 2020 Actual, 2021 Adopted Budget, and 2021 Estimated

	2020	01/21-09/21	2021	2021	2022	
	Actual	YTD Actual	Adopted Budget	Estimated	Adopted Budget	
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	\$ 3,345	\$ 18,879	\$ 2,806	\$ 18,879	\$ 24,295	
REVENUE						
Property Tax Revenue Misc. Revenue	54,998	55,549	55,549	55,549	85,259 -	
Specific Ownership Taxes	4,036	1,788	2,200	2,200	2,200	
Total Revenue	59,034	57,337	57,749	57,749	87,459	
Total Funds Available	62,379	76,216	60,555	76,628	111,754	
EXPENDITURES						
Accounting	8,536	4,693	11,000	11,000	11,000	
District Management	4,831	2,143	15,000	15,000	15,000	
Audit	10,258	5,000	4,750	5,000	7,000	
Election Insurance/SDA Dues	856	2 210	4 000	2 500	3,000	
	3,415 12,206	3,319 5,545	4,000	3,500	4,000 15,000	
Legal Statutory Compliance	12,206	5,545	15,000	15,000	15,000	
Miscellaneous		1,623	7,684	2 000	2,000	
Treasurer's Fees	2,539 825	833	833	2,000 833	2,000 1,279	
Developer Advance Reimb	-	-	-	-	-	
Total Expenditures	43,500	23,156	58,267	52,333	58,279	
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Transfers and Other Uses						
Transfer to Capital Projects Emergency Reserve	-	-	- 1,732	-	2,624	
Total Expenditures Requiring Appropriation	43,501	23,156	60,000	52,333	60,903	
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$ 18,879	\$ 53,060	\$ 555	\$ 24,295	\$ 50,851	

DEBT SERVICE FUND 2022 Adopted Budget with 2020 Actual, 2021 Adopted Budget and 2021 Estimated

	2020 Actual							2021 Estimated	2022 Adopted Budget	
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	\$	482,114	\$	480,796	\$	3,622,331	\$	480,796	\$	763,907
REVENUE	•	- ,	•	,	·	-,- ,	Ť		•	,
Property Tax Revenue		290,298		534,699		534,700		534,700		820,684
Specific ownership tax		22,008		17,743		32,000		22,000		25,000
ARI Revenue		9,592		16,396		16,396		16,396		25,165
Interest Income		129		11		2,000		15		25
Loan Proceeds		35,233	4,	757,617		-		-		-
Total Revenue		357,262	5,	326,466		585,096		573,111		870,874
Total Funds Available		839,376	5,	807,261		4,207,427		1,053,907		1,634,781
EXPENDITURES										
Note Principal		100,000		-		35,000		35,000		40,000
Note Interest		234,002		139,803		232,416		232,416		365,756
Issuance Costs		-		57,557		-		-		-
Miscellaneous		10		-		-		-		1,000
Paying Agent Fees		4,793		7,979		-		8,000		8,000
ARTA - 1 mill levy		15,419		246		-		246		-
Treasurer's Fees		4,354		8,020		-		8,020		12,310
Contingency		-		-		22,584		6,318		20,000
Transfer to Capital Projects		-	4,	700,060		-		-		-
Total Expenditures		358,578	4,	913,666		290,000		290,000		447,066
Total Expenditures Requiring										
Appropriation		358,578	4,	913,666		290,000		290,000		447,066
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$	480,796	\$	893,596	\$	3,917,427	\$	763,907	\$	1,187,714

CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND 2022 Adopted Budget with 2020 Actual, 2021 Adopted Budget and 2021 Estimated

	2020 Actual	01/21-09/21 YTD Actual	2021 Adopted Budget	2021 Estimated	2022 Adopted Budget
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	\$ 165,928	\$ 2,281,966	\$ 2,276,560	\$ 2,281,966	\$ 1,657,936
REVENUE					
Developer Advance Transfer From Other Funds	5,657,987	508,910	5,400,000	508,910	-
Interest Income	10	0	50	-	-
2019A Loan Proceeds 2021A Loan Proceeds	3,464,766	375,000	600,000	5,075,060	575,060 -
Total Revenue	 9,122,763	5,583,970	6,000,050	5,583,970	575,060
Total Funds Available	 9,288,691	7,865,936	8,276,610	7,865,936	2,232,996
EXPENDITURES					
Developer Advance Reimb	-	1,560,000	-	1,560,000	-
Management / Accounting	8,236	7,039	6,000	9,000	6,000
District Management	5,882	3,215	9,000	9,000	9,000
Legal Legal Fee - Condemnation	24,287 24,154	8,272	15,000	15,000	15,000
Engineering	707,032	269,614	600.000	600,000	600,000
Professional Services	11,966	2,574	15,000	15,000	15,000
Capital Outlay	6,672,924	3,388,332	7,455,000	4,000,000	1,487,996
Contingency	 (4)	-	100,000	-	100,000
Total Expenditures	 7,454,476	 5,239,045	8,200,000	6,208,000	 2,232,996
Transfers and Other Sources (Uses)					
City of Aurora Proj Cost Share	447,750	-	-	-	-
Total Expenditures Requiring					
Appropriation	7,454,476	5,239,045	8,200,000	6,208,000	2,232,996
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$ 2,281,966	\$ 2,626,891	\$ 76,610	\$ 1,657,936	\$ -