## CERTIFIED COPY OF ANNUAL ADMINISTRATIVE RESOLUTION OF THE CROWFOOT VALLEY RANCH METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1 (2025)

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COUNTY OF DOUGLAS	)	

At a special meeting of the Board of Directors (the "**Board**") of the Crowfoot Valley Ranch Metropolitan District No. 1 (the "**District**"), Douglas County, Colorado, held virtually at 1:00 p.m., on December 2, 2024, there were present:

Chad Murphy Richard Cross Sean Logue Christopher Crawford

Also present were: Matt Ruhland of Cockrel Ela Glesne Greher & Ruhland, P.C.; Paul Wilson of CliftonLarsonAllen LLP; and Ann Finn of Public Alliance.

When the following proceedings were had and done, to wit:

It was moved by Director Murphy to adopt the following Resolution and ratify actions taken in connection herewith:

WHEREAS, the District was organized as a special district pursuant to an Order of the District Court in and for Douglas County (the "County"), Colorado, and is located entirely within said County; and

WHEREAS, the Board has a duty to perform certain obligations in order to assure the efficient operation of the District; and

WHEREAS, the Directors may receive compensation for their services subject to the limitations imposed by § 32-1-902(3)(a) (II), C.R.S.; and

WHEREAS, § 32-1-101, *et seq.* C.R.S., requires the Board to publish certain legal notices in a newspaper of general circulation in the District; and

WHEREAS, § 32-1-903(1), C.R.S., requires that the Board shall meet regularly at a time and in a place to be designated by the Board; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Colorado Governmental Immunity Act, the Board is given authority to obtain insurance against liability for injuries for which the District may be liable under the Governmental Immunity Act, pursuant to § 24-10-115, C.R.S.; and

WHEREAS, §§ 32-1-901(2) and 32-1-902(2), C.R.S., require the District to obtain an individual, schedule or blanket surety bond in an amount of no less than \$1,000 per director and \$5,000 for the Board Treasurer, and to file such bond with the District Court and the Division of Local Government (the "**Division**"); and

WHEREAS, in accordance with § 24-10-115, C.R.S., the Board is given the authority to obtain insurance to insure the District against all or any part of the District's liability; and

WHEREAS, § 32-1-306, C.R.S. requires the District to maintain a current, accurate map of its boundaries and shall provide for such map to be on file with the County Assessor, County Clerk and Recorder and the Division on or before January 1<sup>st</sup> of each year; and

WHEREAS, § 32-1-809, C.R.S., requires that the District, between November 16<sup>th</sup> and January 15<sup>th</sup> of the subsequent year, provide notice to the eligible electors of the District (the "**Transparency Notice**"), which notice shall contain the following information:

- The address and telephone number of the principal business office;
- The name and business telephone number of the manager or other primary contact person;
- The names of and contact information for members of the board, the name of the board chair, and the name of each member whose office will be on the ballot at the next regular special district election;
- The times and places designated for regularly scheduled meetings of the board during the year, and the place where notice of board meetings is posted pursuant to § 24-6-402(2)(c) C.R.S.;
- The current mill levy, and total ad valorem tax revenue received during the last year;
- The date of the next regular special district election of board members;
- The procedure and time to submit a self-nomination form for election to the board;
- Information on the procedures to request permanent absentee voter status; and
- The address of any website on which the special district's election results will be posted.

The Transparency Notice shall be filed with the Division, Board of County Commissioners, County Assessor, County Treasurer and County Clerk and Recorder of each county in which the special district is located, and with the governing body of any municipality in which the special district is located, and shall be provided to electors in one or more of the following ways:

- Mailing the notice separately to each household where one or more eligible electors of the special district resides;
- Including the notice as a prominent part of a newsletter, annual report, billing statement, letter, voter information card or other notice sent by the special district to the eligible electors;
- Posting the information on the official website of the special district if there is a link to the district's website on the official website of the Division;
- For any district that is a member of the Special District Association, by mailing or electronically transmitting the notice to the Special District Association, which shall post the notice on its website.

WHEREAS, § 29-1-205, C.R.S. requires that within 30 days after receiving a written request from the Division, the District shall provide the Division with a current list of all contracts in effect with other political subdivisions; and

WHEREAS, the Local Government Budget Law of Colorado, §§ 29-1-101, *et seq.*, C.R.S., requires the Board to hold a public hearing on proposed budgets and amendments thereto, to adopt budgets, and to file copies of the budgets and amendments thereto; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with § 39-5-128(1), C.R.S. the District shall certify its mill levy with the Board of County Commissioners on or before December 15<sup>th</sup>; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with § 32-1-207(3)(c), C.R.S., the District shall electronically file an annual report for the preceding calendar year with the County Clerk and Recorder, State Auditor and the Division of Local Government on or before October 1st; unless the requirement is otherwise requested by an earlier date by the County; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with § 32-1-903(6)(a), C.R.S., any metropolitan district that was organized after January 1, 2000, that has residential units within its boundaries, shall conduct an annual meeting in addition to any other Board meetings held, at which annual meeting the Board shall not take any official action and shall include (i) a presentation regarding the status of the public infrastructure projects within the District and outstanding bonds, if any; (ii) a review of unaudited financial statements; and (iii) an opportunity for members of the public to ask questions of the District; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Public Securities Information Reporting Act, §§ 11-58-101, *et seq.*, C.R.S., issuers of non-rated public securities issued to the public must file an annual report with the Department of Local Affairs; and

WHEREAS, § 32-1-104.8, C.R.S., requires the District to record a Special District Disclosure Document and a map of the boundaries of the District with the County Clerk and Recorder at the time of recording any decree or order organizing a special district or including additional property in a special district; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with § 29-1-604(1), C.R.S., if expenditures and revenues of the District are not in excess of \$100,000, the District may file an application for exemption from audit with the State Auditor; or, in accordance with § 29-1-604(2), C.R.S., if expenditures and revenues of the District are at least \$100,000 but not more than \$750,000 the District may file an application for exemption from audit with the State Auditor, or in accordance with § 29-1-603, C.R.S., the governing body of the District shall cause to be made an annual audit of the financial statements for each fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, the Unclaimed Property Act, §§ 38-13-101, *et seq.*, C.R.S., requires that governmental subdivisions, if applicable, file an annual report listing unclaimed property with the State Treasurer by November 1<sup>st</sup>; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with § 24-12-103, C.R.S., a person designated by the District shall have the power to administer all oaths or affirmations of office and other oaths or affirmations required to be taken by any person upon any lawful occasion; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with §§ 32-1-1101.5(1.5) and (2), C.R.S., either the Board of County Commissioners of each county in which the District is located, or the governing body of the municipality that has adopted a resolution of approval of the District, may require the District to file an application for quinquennial finding of reasonable diligence; and

WHEREAS, special district directors are governed by § 32-1-902(3), C.R.S., which requires such directors to disqualify himself/herself from voting on an issue in which he or she has a conflict of interest unless the director has properly disclosed such conflict in compliance with law; and

WHEREAS, § 32-1-902, C.R.S., requires the Board to elect officers, including a Chair of the Board and President of the District, a Treasurer of the Board and District, and a Secretary, who may be a member of the Board; and

WHEREAS, the Board desires to continue engagement of general counsel for the District to assist with providing legal services and to assist with the operation of the District; and

WHEREAS, the Board desires to continue engagement of an accountant for the District to assist with providing financial services and to assist with the financial operations and affairs of the District, and who shall also be designated as the budget officer required to prepare and submit to the Board a proposed District budget by October 15, pursuant to §§ 29-1-104 and 29-1-105(3)(d), C.R.S.; and

WHEREAS, the Board desires to continue engagement of management for the District to assist with the operations and to manage the affairs of the District; and

WHEREAS, concerning the public records of the District, § 24-72-202(2), C.R.S. defines "Official Custodian" to mean and include any officer or employee of any political subdivision of the state who is responsible for the maintenance, care, and keeping of public records, regardless of whether the records are in his or her actual personal custody and control. The maintenance, care and keeping of public records shall be in accordance with the Colorado Special District Records Management Manual; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE OVERLOOK AT KINGS POINT METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, DOUGLAS COUNTY, COLORADO AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. The Board determines that each director shall receive compensation for services as directors, in the amount of \$75 per meeting attended, subject to the limitations set forth in § 32-1-903(3)(a)(II), C.R.S.
- 2. The Board designates the *Douglas County News-Press* as the newspaper of general circulation within the boundaries of the District, or in the vicinity of the District if none is circulated within the District, and directs that all legal notices shall be published in accordance with applicable statutes.
- 3. The Board determines to hold regular meetings on the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of June and December at 1:00 p.m. Meeting notices shall be posted pursuant to statute.
- 4. The Board directs the District's management to obtain proposals and/or renewals for insurance, as applicable, to insure the Directors acting within the scope of employment by the Board against all or any part of such liability for an injury; to insure against the expense of defending a claim for injury against the District or its Board. Additionally, the Board directs the District's management to obtain bonds or equivalent insurance coverage as required by §§ 32-1-901(2) and 32-1-902(2), C.R.S., in an amount of no less than \$1,000 per director and \$5,000 for the Board Treasurer, and to file the bond or certificate of insurance with the District Court and the Division.
- 5. The Board directs the District's management to obtain proposals and/or renewals for insurance, as applicable, to insure the District against all or any part of the District's liability, in accordance with §§ 24-10-115, *et seq.*, C.R.S. The Board directs the District's management to cause to be paid the annual SDA membership dues, agency fees and insurance premiums, as applicable, in a timely manner.
- 6. The Board directs the District's management to maintain a current, accurate boundary map and shall provide for such map to be on file with the Division, with the County Assessor and with the County Clerk and Recorder on or before January 1<sup>st</sup>.
- 7. The Board directs the District's management to provide the Transparency Notice to the eligible electors of the District, the Board of County Commissioners of the

County, County Assessor, County Treasurer, County Clerk and Recorder, City and the Division, between November 16<sup>th</sup> and January 15<sup>th</sup> of the subsequent year.

- 8. The Board directs the District's management to prepare and file with the Division, within 30 days after receiving a written request from the Division, a current list of all contracts in effect with other political subdivisions.
- 9. The Board designates the District's accountant to serve as the budget officer, and to submit a proposed budget to the Board by October 15<sup>th</sup> for the following year, and, in cooperation with management, to schedule a public hearing on the proposed budget; to prepare a final budget, budget resolutions and amendments to the budget, if necessary; to certify the mill levies on or before December 15<sup>th</sup>; and to file the approved budgets and amendments thereto with the proper governmental entities in accordance with the Local Government Budget Law of Colorado.
- 10. The Board directs the District's management to prepare and electronically file the annual report with the County Clerk and Recorder, State Auditor and Division on or before October 1<sup>st</sup> or earlier if required by the County.
- 11. The Board directs the District's management to arrange for the conduct of the annual meeting to be held immediately prior to the meeting at which the annual budget hearing will be conducted, and to arrange for the posting of the agenda notice. If such meeting is not to be held virtually, but solely in person, such meeting shall be held at a physical location that does not exceed five (5) miles from the boundaries of the District.
- 12. The Board directs the District's general counsel to prepare and file the annual public securities report for nonrated public securities issued by the District, with the Department of Local Affairs on or before March 1<sup>st</sup>, if applicable.
- 13. The Board directs the District's management to provide the Special District Disclosure Document and a map of the District's boundaries to the County Clerk and Recorder, for recording, at the same time an inclusion order is recorded.
- 14. The Board directs the District's accountant to: (i) obtain proposals for auditors to be presented to the Board, (ii) to cause an audit of the annual financial statements of the District to be prepared and submitted to the Board on or before June 30; and (iii) to cause the audit to be filed with the State Auditor by July 31<sup>st</sup>, or by the filing deadline permitted under any extension thereof, all in accordance with §§ 29-1-603(1) and 29-1-606, C.R.S. Alternatively, if warranted by § 29-1-604, C.R.S., the Board directs the District's management to engage an accountant to apply for and obtain an audit exemption from the State Auditor on or before March 31<sup>st</sup> in accordance with § 29-1-604, C.R.S.

- 15. The Board directs the District's accountant to prepare the mill levy certification form and directs the District's accountant to file the mill levy certification form with the Board of County Commissioners on or before December 15<sup>th</sup>.
- 16. The Board directs the District's general counsel to prepare the Unclaimed Property Act report and forward the report to the State Treasurer by November 1<sup>st</sup>, if there is property presumed abandoned and subject to custody as unclaimed property, in accordance with §§ 38-13-110, C.R.S.
- 17. The Board directs the District's management to monitor and maintain the District's website, in accordance with § 32-1-104.5, C.R.S. and comply with website accessibility standards, in accordance with § 24-34-802, C.R.S.
- 18. The Board hereby designates, in addition to any officer of the District, Micki L. Mills as a person with the power to administer all oaths or affirmations of office and other oaths or affirmations required to be taken by any person upon any lawful occasion.
- 19. The Board directs the District's general counsel to prepare and file with the Board of County Commissioners, if requested, the quinquennial finding of reasonable diligence in accordance with §§ 32-1-1101.5(1.5) and (2), C.R.S.
  - 20. The District hereby elects the following officers for the District:

President/Chair of the Board – Chad Murphy Secretary – Ann Finn Treasurer – Richard Cross Assistant Secretary – Christopher Crawford Assistant Secretary – Sean Logue Assistant Secretary – Board vacancy

- 21. The Board directs the District's general counsel to file conflict of interest disclosure forms provided by Board members with the Secretary of State annually. At the discretion of general counsel, transactional conflict of interest disclosures shall be filed 72 hours prior to regular and special meetings of the Board, when applicable, or at a Board member's request. In addition, written disclosures required to be filed with the governing body in accordance with § 18-8-308, C.R.S., shall be deemed filed with the Board when filed with the Secretary of State.
- 22. The Board extends the current indemnification resolution to allow the resolution to continue in effect as written.
- 23. The Board continues the engagement of Cockrel Ela Glesne Greher & Ruhland, P.C., as general counsel for the District.

- 24. The Board determines to continue the engagement CliftonLarsonAllen LLP as accountant for the District.
- 25. The Board determines to continue the engagement Public Alliance as management for the District.
- 26. The Board designates Public Alliance to serve as the official custodian of public records and to follow the Colorado Special District Records Retention Schedule.
- 27. WHEREUPON, the motion was seconded by Director Logue and upon vote, unanimously carried. The Chair declared the motion carried and so ordered.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED THIS 2<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF DECEMBER, 2024.

CROWFOOT VALLEY RANCH METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1

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## **CERTIFICATION**

I, Ann Finn, Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Crowfoot Valley Ranch Metropolitan District No. 1, Douglas County, Colorado do hereby certify that the attached and foregoing Resolution is a true copy from the records of the proceedings of the Board of Directors of the Crowfoot Valley Ranch Metropolitan District No. 1.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the District, at Douglas County, Colorado, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2024.

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