# **LEGATO METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 2**

# ANNUAL BUDGET

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2024

## LEGATO METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 2 SUMMARY 2024 BUDGET

# WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL 2022	ESTIMATED 2023	BUDGET 2024
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
REVENUES			
Property taxes	271	348	348
Specific ownership taxes	18	22	24
Interest income	6	17	10
Other revenue	-	-	218
Total revenues	295	387	600
Total funds available	295	387	600
EXPENDITURES			
General Fund	49	64	100
Debt Service Fund	246	323	500
Total expenditures	295	387	600
Total expenditures and transfers out requiring appropriation	295	387	600
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

## LEGATO METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 2 PROPERTY TAX SUMMARY INFORMATION 2024 BUDGET

# WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL				BUDGET	
	2022		2023		2024	
ASSESSED VALUATION						
Agricultural	\$	4,080	\$	4,770	\$	4,770
Certified Assessed Value	\$	4,080	\$	4,770	\$	4,770
MILL LEVY						
General		11.056		12.144		12.144
Debt Service		55.277		60.720		60.720
Total mill levy		66.333		72.864		72.864
PROPERTY TAXES						
General	\$	45	\$	58	\$	58
Debt Service		226		290		290
Levied property taxes		271		348		348
Adjustments to actual/rounding		-		-		-
Budgeted property taxes	\$	271	\$	348	\$	348
BUDGETED PROPERTY TAXES						
General	\$	45	\$	58	\$	58
Debt Service	•	226	•	290	*	290
	\$	271	\$	348	\$	348

# LEGATO METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 2 GENERAL FUND 2024 BUDGET

# WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL		ESTIMATED		BUDGET	
	2	022		2023	2024	
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
REVENUES						
Property taxes		45		58		58
Specific ownership taxes		3		4		4
Interest income		1		2		-
Other revenue		-		-		38
Total revenues		49		64		100
Total funds available		49		64		100
EXPENDITURES						
General and administrative						
County Treasurer's fee		1		1		1
Contingency		-		-		38
Transfer to Legato Community Authority		48		63		61
Total expenditures		49		64		100
Total expenditures and transfers out						
requiring appropriation		49		64		100
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$	-	\$	_	\$	-

# LEGATO METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 2 DEBT SERVICE FUND 2024 BUDGET

# WITH 2022 ACTUAL AND 2023 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL 2022				BUDGET 2024	
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
REVENUES						
Property taxes		226		290		290
Specific ownership taxes		15		18		20
Interest income		5		15		10
Other revenue		-		-		180
Total revenues		246		323		500
Total funds available		246		323		500
EXPENDITURES  General and administrative						
County Treasurer's fee		2		4		4
Contingency		-		-		180
Transfer to Legato Community Authority		244		319		316
Total expenditures		246		323		500
Total expenditures and transfers out						
requiring appropriation		246		323		500
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$	-	\$	-	\$	

# LEGATO METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 2 2024 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

#### **Services Provided**

Legato Metropolitan District No. 2 (the "District"), a quasi-municipal corporation, is governed pursuant to provisions of the Colorado Special District Act (Title 32, Article 1, Colorado Revised Statutes). The District's service area is located in Adams County, Colorado. Concurrently with the formation of the District, the City of Commerce City (the "City") approved the formation of Legato Metropolitan District Nos. 1; 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, (together with the District, the "Taxing Districts") (collectively, the "Legato Districts"). The District was established to provide public streets, traffic and safety, water, sewer, park and recreation, television relay and translation, and mosquito control facilities and improvements for the use and benefit of the inhabitants and taxpayers of the District.

On November 3, 2020, the District's voters authorized total general obligation indebtedness of \$8,200,000,000 for the above listed facilities and powers, but the District's service plan limits the total debt issuance to \$100,000,000, with a maximum debt mill levy of 55.277 mills, subject to adjustment from 2020.

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.

#### Revenues

#### **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 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.

# LEGATO METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 2 2024 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

#### **Revenues (Continued)**

#### **Property Taxes (Continued)**

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

Category	Rate
Single-Family	
Residential	6.70%
Multi-Family	
Residential	6.70%
Commercial	27.90%
Industrial	27.90%
Lodging	27.90%

Category	Rate
Agricultural Land	26.40%
Renewable	
Energy Land	26.40%
Vacant Land	27.90%
Personal	
Property	27.90%
State Assessed	27.90%
Oil & Gas	
Production	87.50%

Actual Value	Amount
Reduction	
Single-Family	\$55,000
Residential	
Multi-Family	\$55,000
Residential	
Commercial	\$30,000
Industrial	\$30,000
Lodging	\$30,000

#### **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.

#### **Net Investment Income**

Interest earned on the District's available funds has been estimated based on an average interest rate of approximately 5%.

#### **Expenditures**

### **Transfers to Legato Community Authority**

Pursuant to the, Agreement Establishing the Legato Community Authority, Legato Metropolitan District Nos. 1-7 (the Districts) have agreed that Legato Community Authority (the Authority) will provide the Services and incur the financial obligations on behalf of the Districts, and that the Districts will pay all costs related thereto through the imposition of ad valorem property taxes and transferring the net tax revenues to the Authority.

# LEGATO METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 2 2024 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

#### **Expenditures (Continued)**

#### **Operating Agreement**

The District has entered into an Operating Agreement with Legato Community Authority. Pursuant to the Operating Agreement, the District has covenanted to impose an ad valorem mill levy upon all taxable property of the District of 11.056 mills (subject to adjustment for changes in the method of calculating assessed valuation or any constitutionally mandated tax credit, cut or abatement after January 1, 2021).

#### **Capital Pledge Agreement**

The District has entered into a Capital Pledge Agreement (the "Pledge Agreement") with Legato Community Authority. Pursuant to the Pledge Agreement, the District has covenanted to impose an ad valorem mill levy upon all taxable property of the District of 55.277 mills (subject to adjustment for changes in the method of calculating assessed valuation or any constitutionally mandated tax credit, cut or abatement after January 1, 2021) or such lesser amount as may be needed to pay the Authority's Bonds and any Additional Obligations as they come due.

## **County Treasurer's Fees**

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

#### **Debt and Leases**

The District has no outstanding debt, nor operating or capital leases.

#### **Reserve Funds**

#### **Emergency Reserves**

TABOR required local governments to establish Emergency Reserves. These reserves must be at least 3% of fiscal year spending. The District has not provided for an emergency reserve equal to at least 3% of fiscal year spending for 2024, as defined under TABOR, because net tax revenue is transferred to the Authority, which provides for the required reserve amount.

This information is an integral part of the accompanying budget.