

**BEEBE DRAW FARMS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1**  
**Weld County, Colorado**

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**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**December 31, 2014**

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## **Independent Auditor's Report**

Board of Directors  
Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District No. 1

### **Report on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District No. 1 as of and for the year ended December 31, 2014, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements, as listed in the table of contents.

### **Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

### **Auditor's Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement. An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements. We believe the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### **Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and each major fund of the Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District No. 1 as of December 31, 2014, and the respective changes in financial position and the respective budgetary comparison for the general fund for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

## Other Matters

Management has omitted the management's discussion and analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require to be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such missing information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. Our opinions on the basic financial statements are not affected by this missing information.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's financial statements as a whole. The supplementary information as listed in the table of contents is presented for purposes of legal compliance and additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. The supplementary information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

*L. Paul Goedecke P.C.*

L. Paul Goedecke, P.C.  
June 9, 2015

**BEEBE DRAW FARMS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT NO. 1**

**Governmental Funds Balance Sheet/Statement of Net Position  
December 31, 2014**

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Debt Service Fund</u>	<u>Conservation Trust</u>
<b>ASSETS:</b>			
Cash and investments	\$ 53,606	\$ -	\$ -
Cash and investments - restricted	10,000	71,723	4,897
Receivable – County Treasurer	3,579	-	-
Property taxes receivable	310,456	219,195	-
<b>Total assets</b>	<u>\$ 377,641</u>	<u>\$ 290,918</u>	<u>\$ 4,897</u>
<b>LIABILITIES:</b>			
Accounts payable	\$ 2,995	\$ 250	\$ -
Due to Authority	64,190	-	-
Accrued interest on bonds	-	-	-
Long-term liabilities:			
Due within one year	-	-	-
Due in more than one year	-	-	-
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<u>67,185</u>	<u>250</u>	<u>-</u>
<b>DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES</b>			
Deferred property taxes	310,456	219,195	-
<b>Total deferred inflows of resources</b>	<u>310,456</u>	<u>219,195</u>	<u>-</u>
<b>FUND BALANCES/NET POSITION:</b>			
Fund Balances:			
Restricted			
Emergencies	10,000	-	-
Debt service	-	76,553	-
Conservation Trust	-	-	4,897
Unassigned	(10,000)	(5,080)	-
<b>Total fund balances</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>71,473</u>	<u>4,897</u>
<b>Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources and fund balances</b>	<u>\$ 377,641</u>	<u>\$ 290,918</u>	<u>\$ 4,897</u>
Net Position:			
Restricted for:			
Emergencies			
Debt service			
Conservation Trust projects			
Unrestricted			
Total net position			

<u>Total</u>	<u>Adjustments Note 9</u>	<u>Statement of Net Position</u>
\$ 53,606	\$ —	\$ 53,606
86,620	—	86,620
3,579	—	3,579
<u>529,651</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>529,651</u>
\$ 673,456	—	673,456
\$ 3,245	—	3,245
64,190	—	64,190
—	1,368	1,368
—	190,000	190,000
—	530,000	530,000
<u>67,435</u>	<u>721,368</u>	<u>788,803</u>
<u>529,651</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>529,651</u>
<u>529,651</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>529,651</u>
10,000	(10,000)	—
76,553	(76,553)	—
4,897	(4,897)	—
(15,080)	15,080	—
<u>76,370</u>	<u>(76,370)</u>	<u>—</u>
<u>\$ 673,456</u>		
	10,000	10,000
	75,185	75,185
	4,897	4,897
	(755,080)	(755,080)
	<u>\$ (644,998)</u>	<u>\$ (644,998)</u>

NOTE: The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

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**STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENTAL FUND REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND  
CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES/STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2014**

	Government Fund Types		
	General Fund	Debt Service Fund	Conservation Trust
<b>EXPENDITURES/EXPENSES</b>			
Audit and accounting	\$ 8,989	\$ -	\$ -
Election expense	4,337	-	-
Insurance	4,420	-	-
Legal	1,491	-	-
Management fees	3,644	-	-
Miscellaneous expenses	1,098	-	-
Director's fees	1,000	-	-
Treasurer's fees	4,302	3,058	-
Transfer to Authority – infrastructure	173,594	-	-
Transfer to Authority – amenities	43,398	-	-
Transfer to Authority – general funds	87,719	-	-
Debt Service			
Bond interest	-	20,634	-
Bond principal	-	185,000	-
Paying agent fees	-	250	-
<b>Total expenditures/expenses</b>	<u>333,992</u>	<u>208,942</u>	<u>-</u>
<b>REVENUES</b>			
General revenues – Property tax	286,823	203,845	-
– Specific ownership taxes	41,232	-	-
– Interest income	11	17	276
– Other income	-	-	-
<b>Total revenues</b>	<u>328,066</u>	<u>203,862</u>	<u>276</u>
<b>EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES</b>	<u>(5,926)</u>	<u>(5,080)</u>	<u>276</u>
<b>NET CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES</b>	(5,926)	(5,080)	276
<b>CHANGE IN NET POSITION</b>			
<b>FUND BALANCES/NET POSITION:</b>			
<b>BEGINNING OF YEAR</b>	5,926	76,553	4,621
<b>END OF YEAR</b>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 71,473</u>	<u>\$ 4,897</u>

<u>Total</u>	<u>Adjustments Note 9</u>	<u>Statement of Activities</u>
\$ 8,989	\$ —	\$ 8,989
4,337	—	4,337
4,420	—	4,420
1,491	—	1,491
3,644	—	3,644
1,098	—	1,098
1,000	—	1,000
7,360	—	7,360
173,594	—	173,594
43,398	—	43,398
87,719	—	87,719
20,634	(351)	20,283
185,000	(185,000)	—
250	—	250
<u>542,934</u>	<u>(185,351)</u>	<u>357,583</u>
490,668	—	490,668
41,232	—	41,232
28	—	28
276	—	276
<u>532,204</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>532,204</u>
<u>(10,730)</u>	<u>185,351</u>	<u>174,621</u>
(10,370)	10,730	—
—	174,621	174,621
87,100	(906,719)	(819,619)
<u>\$ 76,370</u>	<u>\$ (721,368)</u>	<u>\$ (644,998)</u>

*NOTE: The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.*

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**GENERAL FUND**

**STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND  
BALANCES – BUDGET AND ACTUAL  
Year Ended December 31, 2014**

	<b>Original Budget</b>	<b>Final Budget</b>	<b>Actual Amounts</b>	<b>Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)</b>
<b>REVENUES</b>				
Property taxes	\$ 286,823	\$ 286,823	\$ 286,823	\$ -
Specific ownership taxes	29,440	50,000	41,232	(8,768)
Interest income	25	25	11	(14)
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>316,288</b>	<b>336,848</b>	<b>328,066</b>	<b>(8,782)</b>
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>				
General government				
Accounting and audit	8,500	8,508	8,989	(481)
Election expense	10,000	4,149	4,337	(188)
Insurance	4,000	4,407	4,420	(13)
Legal	3,500	1,500	1,491	9
Management fees	2,500	1,843	3,644	(1,801)
Miscellaneous expense	1,577	1,917	1,098	819
Director's fees	1,000	1,000	1,000	-
Treasurer's fees	4,302	4,302	4,302	-
Transfer to Authority – Infrastructure	146,771	168,976	173,594	(4,618)
Transfer to Authority – Amenities	36,693	42,244	43,398	(1,154)
Transfer to Authority – General Fund	87,719	87,719	87,719	-
Emergency reserve	9,726	10,283	-	10,283
<b>Total expenditures</b>	<b>316,288</b>	<b>336,848</b>	<b>333,992</b>	<b>2,856</b>
<b>EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(5,926)</b>	<b>(5,926)</b>
<b>FUND BALANCE – BEGINNING OF YEAR</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5,926</b>	<b>5,926</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>FUND BALANCE – END OF YEAR</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 5,926</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ (5,926)</b>

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**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
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**NOTE 1 – DEFINITION OF REPORTING ENTITY**

**Definition of Reporting Entity**

Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District No. 1 (The District), a quasi-municipal corporation, is governed pursuant to provisions of the Colorado Special District Act. The District's service area is located in Weld County, Colorado. The District was established to provide water, parks and recreational facilities, street and drainage improvements, safety protection and related services.

During 1999, the District's service plan was amended. A new district, Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District No. 2 (District No. 2) was created (see Note 9) and the District's name was changed from Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District to Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District No. 1.

The District has no employees and all operation and administrative functions are contracted.

The District follows the Governmental Accounting Standards Boards (GASB) accounting pronouncements which provide guidance for determining which governmental activities, organizations and functions should be included within the financial reporting entity. GASB pronouncements set forth the financial accountability of a governmental organization's elected governing body as the basic criterion for including a possible component governmental organization in a primary government's legal entity. Financial accountability includes, but is not limited to, appointment of a voting majority of the organization's governing body, ability to impose its will on the organization, a potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits or burdens and fiscal dependency.

The District is not financially accountable for any other organization, nor is the District a component unit of any other primary governmental entity, including District No. 2.

**NOTE 2 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The more significant accounting policies of the District are described as follows:

**Basis of Presentation**

The accompanying financial statements are presented per GASB Statement No. 34 – Special Purpose Governments.

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**NOTE 2 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

**Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation**

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the *economic resources measurement focus* and the *accrual basis of accounting*. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the *current financial resources measurement focus* and the *modified accrual basis of accounting*. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be *available* when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of 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 period. The material sources of revenue subject to accrual are property taxes and interest. Expenditures, other than interest on long-term obligations, are recorded when the liability is incurred or the long-term obligation is paid.

The government reports the following major governmental funds:

**General Fund** – The General Fund is the general operating fund of the District. It is used to account for all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund.

**Debt Service Fund** – The Debt Service Fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources that are restricted, committed or assigned to expenditures for principal, interest and other debt related costs.

**Fund Balances**

Beginning with fiscal year 2011 the District implemented GASB Statement No. 54, “Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions.” This statement provides more clearly defined fund balance categories to make the nature and extent of the constraints placed on a government’s fund balances more transparent. In the fund financial statements the following classifications describe the relative strength of the spending constraints.

**Non-spendable fund balance** – The portion of fund balance that cannot be spent because it is either not in spendable form (such as inventory) or is legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

**Restricted fund balance** – The portion of fund balance constrained to being used for a specific purpose by external parties (such as grantors or bondholders), constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

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**NOTE 2 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

Committed fund balance – The portion of fund balance constrained for specific purposes according to limitations imposed by the District’s highest level of decision making authority, the Board of Directors prior to the end of the current fiscal year. The constraint may be removed or changed only through formal action of the Board of Directors.

Assigned fund balance – The portion of fund balance that is constrained by the government’s intent to be used for specific purposes, but is neither restricted nor committed. Intent is expressed by the Board of Directors to be used for a specific purpose. Constraints imposed on the use of assigned amounts are more easily removed or modified than those imposed on amounts that are classified as committed.

Unassigned fund balance – The residual portion of fund balance that does not meet any of the above criteria.

If more than one classification of fund balance is available for use when an expenditure is incurred, it is the District’s policy to use the most restrictive classification first.

**Budgets**

In accordance with the State Budget Law, the District’s Board of Directors holds public hearings in the fall of each year to approve the budget and appropriate the funds for the ensuing year. The appropriation is at the total fund expenditures level and lapses at year end. The District’s Board of Directors can modify the budget by line item within the total appropriation without notification. The appropriation can only be modified upon completion of notification and publication requirements. The budget includes each fund on its basis of accounting unless otherwise indicated.

During the year the District amended its General Fund budget from \$316,288 to \$336,848 and the Debt Service Fund from \$208,842 to \$209,092.

**Cash**

The District follows the practice of pooling cash of all funds to maximize investment earnings. Except when required by trust or other agreements, all cash is deposited to and disbursed from a single bank account. Cash in excess of immediate operating requirements is pooled for deposit and investment flexibility. Investment earnings are allocated periodically to the participating funds based upon each fund’s average equity balance in the total cash.

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**NOTE 2 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

**Property Taxes**

Property taxes are levied by the District 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 assess the property tax obligation of 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 at the taxpayers election, in equal installments in February and June. Delinquent taxpayers are notified in August and the sales of the resultant tax liens on delinquent properties are generally held in November or December. The County Treasurer remits the taxes collected monthly to the District.

Property taxes, net of estimated uncollectible taxes, are recorded initially as deferred revenue in the year they are levied and measurable. The deferred property tax revenues are recorded as revenue in the year they are available or collected.

**Reserved Fund Balance**

Emergency Reserves have been provided for as required by Article X, Section 20 of the Constitution of the State of Colorado. \$10,000 of the General Fund balance has been reserved in compliance with this requirement.

**NOTE 3 - CASH AND INVESTMENTS**

Cash and investments as of December 31, 2014 are classified in the accompanying financial statement as follows:

Statement of net assets:

Cash and investments	\$ 53,606
Restricted investments	86,620
	<u>\$ 140,226</u>

Cash and investments as of December 31, 2014 consist of the following:

Deposits with financial institutions	\$ 82,537
Investments	57,689
	<u>\$ 140,226</u>

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**NOTE 3 - CASH AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)**

**Cash Deposits**

The Colorado Public Deposit Protection Act (PDPA) requires that all units of local government deposit cash in eligible public depositories. Eligibility is determined by state regulators. Amounts on deposit in excess of federal insurance levels must be collateralized. The eligible collateral is determined by the PDPA. PDPA allows the institution to create a single collateral pool for all public funds. The pool for all the uninsured public deposits as a group is to be maintained by another institution or held in trust. The market value of the collateral must be at least 102% of the aggregate uninsured deposits.

The State Commissioners for banks and financial services are required by Statute to monitor the naming of eligible depositories and reporting of the uninsured deposits and assets maintained in the collateral pools.

**Custodial Credit Risks – Deposits**

For deposits, custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the District's deposits may not be returned to it. The District does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of December 31, 2014, none of the District's bank balance of \$82,537 was exposed to custodial credit risk.

**Credit Risk**

The District has not adopted a formal investment policy, however, the District follows state statutes regarding investments.

Colorado State statutes specify investment instruments meeting defined rating and risk criteria in which local governments may invest which include:

- \* Obligations of the United States and certain U.S. government agency securities
- Certain international agency securities
- General obligation and revenue bonds of U.S. local government entities
- Bankers' acceptances of certain banks
- Commercial paper
- Written repurchase agreements collateralized by certain authorized securities
- Certain money market mutual funds
- Guaranteed investment contracts
- \* Local government investment pools

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**NOTE 3 - CASH AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)**

The District generally limits its concentration of investments to those noted with an asterisk (\*) above, which are believed to have minimal credit risk; minimal interest rate risk and no foreign currency risk.

The local government investment pools include the Colorado Local Government Liquid Assets Trust (ColoTrust) rated AAAM by Standard & Poor's.

**Interest Rate Risk**

Colorado revised statutes limit investment maturities to five years or less unless formally approved by the Board of Directors, such actions are generally associated with a debt service or sinking fund requirements.

As of December 31, 2014 the District had the following investments:

<u>Investment</u>	<u>Maturity</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>
Colorado Liquid Asset Trust	Less than one year	\$ 57,689

**COLOTRUST**

As of December 31, 2014 the District had invested in the Colorado Local Government Liquid Asset Trust (ColoTrust), an investment vehicle established for local government entities in Colorado to pool surplus funds. The State Securities Commission administers and enforces all State statutes governing the Trust. The Trust operates similarly to a money market fund and each share is equal in value to \$1.00. The Trust offers shares in two portfolios, COLOTRUST PRIME and COLOTRUST PLUS+. Both portfolios may invest in U.S. Treasury securities and repurchase agreements collateralized by U.S. Treasury securities. COLOTRUST PLUS+ may also invest in certain obligations of U.S. government agencies, highest rated commercial paper and repurchase agreements collateralized by certain obligations of U.S. government agencies. A designated custodial bank serves as custodian for the Trust's portfolios pursuant to a custodian agreement. The custodian acts as safekeeping agent for the Trust's investment portfolios and provides services as the depository in connection with direct investments and withdrawals. The custodian's internal records segregate investments owned by the Trust. As of December 31, 2014, the District has \$57,689 invested in COLOTRUST PRIME.

**Concentration of Credit Risk**

The District does not have a policy that addresses limitations on the amount that can be invested in any one issuer, however, the District invests primarily in local government investment pools and/or U.S. securities, which are not subject to concentration of credit risk.

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**NOTE 4 – LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS**

The following is an analysis of changes in long-term obligations for the year ended December 31, 2014:

	<b>Balance at January 1, 2014</b>	<b>Additions</b>	<b>Reductions</b>	<b>Balance at December 31, 2014</b>
2012 Tax Free Loan	\$ 905,000	\$ -	\$ 185,000	\$ 720,000
Due in one year				190,000
Due after one year				<u>\$ 530,000</u>

The detail of the District's long-term obligations is as follows:

**\$1,090,000 Tax Free Loan, dated December 20, 2012.** In 2012 the District issued a Tax Free Loan in the amount of \$1,090,000, the proceeds of which were used to refund in its entirety the remaining balance of its 1998 General Obligation Bonds in the amount of \$990,000. The Loan accrues interest at 2.28% per year and matures on October 1, 2018. The District realized a net present value savings on the refunding in the amount of \$65,650. The following is the debt service schedule to maturity:

<b>Year</b>	<b>Principal</b>	<b>Interest</b>	<b>Total</b>
2015	\$ 190,000	\$ 16,416	\$ 206,416
2016	195,000	12,084	207,084
2017	195,000	7,638	202,638
2018	140,000	3,192	143,192
	<u>\$ 720,000</u>	<u>\$ 39,330</u>	<u>\$ 759,330</u>

On November 2, 2010 the voters of the District revoked all of its previous debt authorization and authorized the following:

	<b>Debt Authorization</b>	<b>Maximum Interest Rate</b>	<b>Maximum Annual Property Tax Increase</b>
Street improvements	\$ 1,500,000	15%	\$ 320,000
Park and recreation improvements	1,500,000	15%	\$ 320,000
Water improvements	1,500,000	15%	\$ 320,000
Total	<u>\$ 4,500,000</u>		

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### **NOTE 5 – RELATED PARTIES**

The primary developer of real property in the District is R.E.I. Limited Liability Company (Developer), successor in interest to Beebe Draw Farms, Ltd. All Directors are residents of the District.

### **NOTE 6 – RISK MANAGEMENT**

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to thefts of, damage to, or destruction of assets; errors or omissions; injuries to employees, or acts of God.

The District is a member of the Colorado Special Districts Property and Liability Pool (Pool) as of December 31, 2014. The Pool is an organization created by intergovernmental agreement to provide property, liability, public officials liability, boiler and machinery and workers compensation coverage to its members. Settled claims have not exceeded this coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

The District pays annual premiums to the Pool for liability, property and public officials liability coverage. In the event aggregated losses incurred by the Pool exceed amounts recoverable from reinsurance contracts and funds accumulated by the Pool, the Pool may require additional contributions from the Pool members. Any excess funds which the Pool determines are not needed for purposes of the Pool may be returned to the members pursuant to a distribution formula.

### **NOTE 7 – TAX, SPENDING AND DEBT LIMITATIONS**

Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution, commonly known as the Taxpayer's Bill of Rights (TABOR) contains tax, spending, revenue and debt limitations which apply to the State of Colorado and all local governments.

Spending and revenue limits are determined based on the prior year's Fiscal Year Spending adjusted for allowable increases based upon inflation and local growth. Fiscal Year Spending is generally defined as expenditures plus reserve increases with certain exceptions. Revenue in excess of the Fiscal Year Spending limit must be refunded unless the votes approve retention of such revenue.

TABOR requires local governments to establish Emergency Reserves. These reserves must be at least 3% of Fiscal Year Spending (excluding bonded debt service). Local governments are not allowed to use the emergency reserves to compensate for economic conditions, revenue shortfalls, or salary or benefit increases. The District has reserved \$10,000 in compliance with the emergency reserve.

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**NOTE 7 – TAX, SPENDING AND DEBT LIMITATIONS (CONTINUED)**

The District management believes, after consultation with legal counsel, that it is in compliance with the provisions of TABOR. However, TABOR is complex and subject to interpretation. Many of the provisions, including the interpretation of how to calculate Fiscal Year Spending limits will require judicial interpretation.

On November 3, 1998, the voters of the District approved the retention of all property taxes collected from a levy of 40 mills and all other District revenue in 1998 and annually thereafter without limitation under TABOR or other laws.

**NOTE 8 – INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENTS**

**Beebe Draw Farms Authority Establishment Agreement (AEA)**

Effective April 12, 2011 the District entered into an Establishment Agreement with the Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District No. 2 and the Beebe Draw Farms Authority (AEA), as amended December 11, 2012. The District, through the Authority, will provide for financing the operations and maintenance of the existing public improvements as well as providing for financing, constructing and operating and maintaining additional public improvements. In no case shall the mill levy imposed by the District for debt service and operations and maintenance exceed its' respective mill levy caps. Other than the existing 2012 Tax Free Loan and the Capital Pledge Agreement (see Note 10), the District will not issue any additional debt.

As a part of the Establishment Agreement, District No .1 has agreed to impose the District required mill levy until 2018 and to transfer such revenues to the Authority for deposit into either the infrastructure account or the amenity account. For tax collection year 2011 and thereafter the District shall transfer all revenues from the operations and maintenance mill levy less the Districts direct operations and maintenance costs to the Authority.

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**NOTE 9 – RECONCILIATION OF *GOVERNMENT-WIDE* AND FUND  
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**Explanation of differences between the governmental fund Balance Sheet and the  
government-wide Statement of Net Position**

The governmental fund Balance Sheet and the government-wide Statement of Net Position includes a reconciling column. Explanation of the adjustments included in the reconciling column is as follows:

Long term debt	\$ 720,000
Accrued interest payable	\$ 1,368

Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds.

**Explanation of differences between the governmental fund Statement of Revenue,  
Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance and the government-wide Statement of  
Activities**

The governmental fund Statement of Revenue, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance and the government-wide Statement of Activities include a reconciling column. Explanation of the adjustments included in the reconciling column is as follows:

Bond principal	\$ (185,000)
Interest expense	\$ (351)

Governmental funds report principal payments as expenditures. However in the Statement of Activities, the payment of principal is reflected as a reduction in long-term liabilities. Interest is expensed when paid in the government funds but net accrued interest (difference between the beginning and ending accrual) is reflected in the Statement of Activities.

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**NOTE 10 – CAPITAL PLEDGE AGREEMENT**

The District has an Amended and Restated Consolidated Service Plan for Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District No. 1 and Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District No. 2 approved by the Weld County Board of County Commissioners on March 16, 2011 (“Amended and Restated Service Plan”). Pursuant to the Amended and Restated Service Plan, and subject to the conditions of the Amended and Restated Service Plan, on June 14, 2011, District No. 1 entered into a Capital Pledge Agreement (the Original Capital Pledge Agreement) between Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District No. 1 and the Beebe Draw Farms Authority with a principal amount of \$1,500,000, plus interest at a rate of 15%. The mill levy for payment of this obligation is capped at 40 mills, minus the 1998 Bond Mill Levy for each year and less the Operating and Maintenance Mill Levy for each year, to be imposed for collection beginning in 2012 and ending in tax collection year 2018. The total debt repayment will be the lesser of the \$1,500,000, plus 15% interest accrued per annum or the total revenue that flows from the imposition of the 40 mills, minus the 1998 Bond Mill Levy and the Operating and Maintenance Mill Levy, over the 2012-2018 term of the mill levy imposition.

On December 20, 2012, with the support of Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District No. 2, Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District No. 1 and the Beebe Draw Farms Authority entered into that certain First Amendment to District No. 1 Capital Pledge Agreement (“First Amended Capital Pledge Agreement”), wherein Beebe Draw Farms Authority consented to the issuance of Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District No. 1’s 2012 Bonds and waived any limitations set forth in the Original Capital Pledge Agreement to the extent necessary for Beebe Draw Farms Metropolitan District No. 1 to issue its 2012 Bonds.

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION**

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**CONSERVATION TRUST  
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND  
BALANCES – BUDGET AND ACTUAL  
Year Ended December 31, 2014**

	<u>Original/ Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual Amounts</u>	<u>Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)</u>
<b>REVENUES</b>			
Lottery funds	\$ 500	\$ 276	\$ (224)
<b>Total revenues</b>	<u>500</u>	<u>276</u>	<u>(224)</u>
 <b>NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE</b>	500	276	(224)
 <b>FUND BALANCE – BEGINNING OF YEAR</b>	4,817	4,621	(196)
<b>FUND BALANCE – END OF YEAR</b>	<u>\$ 5,317</u>	<u>\$ 4,897</u>	<u>\$ (420)</u>

*NOTE: The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.*

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**DEBT SERVICE FUND  
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND  
BALANCES – BUDGET AND ACTUAL  
Year Ended December 31, 2014**

	<b>Original Budget</b>	<b>Final Budget</b>	<b>Actual Amounts</b>	<b>Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)</b>
<b>REVENUES</b>				
Property taxes	\$ 203,845	\$ 203,845	\$ 203,845	\$ –
Interest income	30	100	17	(83)
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>203,875</b>	<b>203,945</b>	<b>203,862</b>	<b>(83)</b>
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>				
Bond interest	20,634	20,634	20,634	–
Bond principal	185,000	185,000	185,000	–
Treasurer's fees	3,058	3,058	3,058	–
Contingency	–	250	–	250
Paying agent fees	150	150	250	(100)
<b>Total expenditures</b>	<b>208,842</b>	<b>209,092</b>	<b>208,942</b>	<b>150</b>
<b>EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>(4,967)</b>	<b>(5,147)</b>	<b>(5,080)</b>	<b>67</b>
<b>NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE</b>	<b>(4,967)</b>	<b>(5,147)</b>	<b>(5,080)</b>	<b>67</b>
<b>FUND BALANCE – BEGINNING OF YEAR</b>	<b>78,469</b>	<b>34,018</b>	<b>76,553</b>	<b>42,535</b>
<b>FUND BALANCE – END OF YEAR</b>	<b>\$ 73,502</b>	<b>\$ 28,871</b>	<b>\$ 71,473</b>	<b>\$ 42,602</b>

*NOTE: The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.*