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#### **APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM AUDIT** SHORT FORM The Aurora Highlands Metropolitan District No. 5 NAME OF GOVERNMENT For the Year Ended 8390 East Crescent Parkway **ADDRESS** 12/31/23 Suite 300 or fiscal year ended: Greenwood Village, CO 80111-2814 **CONTACT PERSON** Jason Carroll PHONE 303-779-5710 jason.carroll@claconnect.com **EMAIL PART 1 - CERTIFICATION OF PREPARER** I certify that I am skilled in governmental accounting and that the information in the application is complete and accurate, to the best of my knowledge. NAME: Jason Carroll TITLE Accountant for the District FIRM NAME (if applicable) CliftonLarsonAllen LLP 8390 East Crescent Parkway, Suite 300, Greenwood Village, CO 80111-2814 ADDRESS PHONE 303-779-5710 PREPARER (SIGNATURE REQUIRED) DATE PREPARED See Accountant's Compilation Report 2/22/2024 GOVERNMENTAL PROPRIETARY Please indicate whether the following financial information is recorded (CASH OR BUDGETARY BASIS) (MODIFIED ACCRUAL BASIS) using Governmental or Proprietary fund types 1

# **PART 2 - REVENUE**

REVENUE: All revenues for all funds must be reflected in this section, including proceeds from the sale of the government's land, building, and equipment, and proceeds from debt or lease transactions. Financial information will not include fund equity information.

| Line# |                       | De                | scription                              | Round to nearest Dollar | Please use this  |
|-------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| 2-1   | Taxes:                | Property          | (report mills levied in Question 10-6) | \$ -                    | space to provide |
| 2-2   |                       | Specific owner    | ship                                   | \$ -                    | any necessary    |
| 2-3   |                       | Sales and use     |                                        | \$ -                    | explanations     |
| 2-4   |                       | Other (specify)   |                                        | \$ -                    |                  |
| 2-5   | Licenses and permi    | ts                |                                        | \$ -                    |                  |
| 2-6   | Intergovernmental:    |                   | Grants                                 | \$ -                    |                  |
| 2-7   |                       |                   | Conservation Trust Funds (Lottery)     | \$ -                    |                  |
| 2-8   |                       |                   | Highway Users Tax Funds (HUTF)         | \$ -                    |                  |
| 2-9   |                       |                   | Other (specify):                       | \$ -                    |                  |
| 2-10  | Charges for services  | S                 |                                        | \$-                     |                  |
| 2-11  | Fines and forfeits    |                   |                                        | \$-                     |                  |
| 2-12  | Special assessment    | S                 |                                        | \$-                     |                  |
| 2-13  | Investment income     |                   |                                        | \$-                     |                  |
| 2-14  | Charges for utility s | ervices           |                                        | \$-                     |                  |
| 2-15  | Debt proceeds         |                   | (should agree with line 4-4, column 2) | \$-                     |                  |
| 2-16  | Lease proceeds        |                   |                                        | \$-                     |                  |
| 2-17  | Developer Advances    |                   | (should agree with line 4-4)           |                         |                  |
| 2-18  | Proceeds from sale    | of capital assets | 6                                      | \$-                     |                  |
| 2-19  | Fire and police pens  | sion              |                                        | \$-                     |                  |
| 2-20  | Donations             |                   |                                        | \$-                     |                  |
| 2-21  | Other (specify):      |                   |                                        | \$-                     |                  |
| 2-22  |                       |                   |                                        | \$-                     |                  |
| 2-23  |                       |                   |                                        | \$-                     |                  |
| 2-24  |                       | (add lin          | es 2-1 through 2-23) TOTAL REVENUE     | \$                      |                  |
|       |                       |                   |                                        |                         |                  |

# PART 3 - EXPENDITURES/EXPENSES

EXPENDITURES: All expenditures for all funds must be reflected in this section, including the purchase of capital assets and principal and interest payments on long-term debt. Financial information will not include fund equity information.

| Line#  | Description                                   |                             | Round to nearest Dollar | Please use this  |
|--------|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| 3-1    | Administrative                                | [                           | \$ -                    | space to provide |
| 3-2    | Salaries                                      |                             | \$ -                    | any necessary    |
| 3-3    | Payroll taxes                                 |                             | \$ -                    | explanations     |
| 3-4    | Contract services                             |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-5    | Employee benefits                             |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-6    | Insurance                                     |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-7    | Accounting and legal fees                     |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-8    | Repair and maintenance                        |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-9    | Supplies                                      |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-10   | Utilities and telephone                       |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-11   | Fire/Police                                   |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-12   | Streets and highways                          |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-13   | Public health                                 |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-14   | Capital outlay                                |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-15   | Utility operations                            |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-16   | Culture and recreation                        |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-17   | Debt service principal                        | (should agree with Part 4)  | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-18   | Debt service interest                         |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-19   | Repayment of Developer Advance Principal (see | should agree with line 4-4) | \$-                     |                  |
| 3-20   | Repayment of Developer Advance Interest       |                             | \$-                     |                  |
| 3-21   | Contribution to pension plan                  | (should agree to line 7-2)  | \$-                     |                  |
| 3-22   | Contribution to Fire & Police Pension Assoc.  | (should agree to line 7-2)  | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-23   | Other (specify):                              |                             |                         |                  |
| 3-24   |                                               |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-25   |                                               |                             | \$ -                    |                  |
| 3-26   | (add lines 3-1 through 3-24) TOTAL EXPEND     | ITURES/EXPENSES             | \$ -                    |                  |
| (TOTAL |                                               |                             | AAAA AAA STOD VALLER    |                  |

If TOTAL REVENUE (Line 2-24) or TOTAL EXPENDITURES (Line 3-26) are GREATER than \$100,000 - <u>STOP</u>. You may not use this form. Please use the "Application for Exemption from Audit -<u>LONG FORM</u>".

|            | PART 4 - DEBT OUTSTANDING                                                     | G.       | ISSUED                            | ).       | AND RI              | TIR      | ED              |          |                     |
|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|-----------------------------------|----------|---------------------|----------|-----------------|----------|---------------------|
|            | Please answer the following questions by marking the                          |          |                                   | , -      |                     |          | es              |          | No                  |
| 4-1        | Does the entity have outstanding debt?                                        |          |                                   |          |                     |          |                 | E        | 2                   |
|            | If Yes, please attach a copy of the entity's Debt Repayment S                 |          |                                   |          |                     |          |                 |          |                     |
| 4-2        | Is the debt repayment schedule attached? If no, MUST explain                  | in be    | elow:                             |          |                     |          |                 | 6        | 2                   |
|            | N/A                                                                           |          |                                   |          |                     |          |                 |          |                     |
| 4-3        | Is the entity current in its debt service payments? If no, MUS                | Тех      | plain below                       |          |                     |          |                 | 6        | 2                   |
|            | N/A                                                                           |          |                                   | -        |                     |          |                 |          |                     |
| 4-4        | Please complete the following debt schedule, if applicable:                   |          |                                   |          |                     | <b>.</b> |                 |          |                     |
|            | (please only include principal amounts)(enter all amount as positive numbers) |          | utstanding at<br>l of prior year* | IS       | sued during<br>year |          | l during<br>ear |          | anding at<br>ar-end |
|            | General obligation bonds                                                      | ¢        |                                   | ¢        |                     | ¢        |                 | ¢        |                     |
|            | Revenue bonds                                                                 | \$<br>\$ | -                                 | \$<br>\$ | -                   | \$<br>\$ | -               | \$<br>\$ | -                   |
|            | Notes/Loans                                                                   | \$       |                                   | \$       |                     | \$       |                 | \$       |                     |
|            | Lease & SBITA** Liabilities [GASB 87 & 96]                                    | \$       |                                   | \$       |                     | \$       |                 | \$       |                     |
|            | Developer Advances                                                            | \$       |                                   | \$       |                     | \$       |                 | \$       |                     |
|            | Other (specify):                                                              | \$       |                                   | \$       |                     | \$       |                 | \$       |                     |
|            | TOTAL                                                                         | \$       |                                   | \$       |                     | \$       |                 | \$       |                     |
| **Subscrip | ption Based Information Technology Arrangements                               | <u> </u> | ust agree to pric                 | - T      | ar-end balance      |          |                 | ψ        |                     |
|            | Please answer the following guestions by marking the appropriate boxes        |          |                                   | 1 900    |                     |          | es              |          | No                  |
| 4-5        | Does the entity have any authorized, but unissued, debt?                      |          |                                   |          |                     |          |                 |          |                     |
| If yes:    | How much?                                                                     | \$       | 5                                 | 2,00     | 00,000,000          |          |                 |          |                     |
|            | Date the debt was authorized:                                                 |          | 11/8/2                            | 2022     | 2                   |          |                 |          |                     |
| 4-6        | Does the entity intend to issue debt within the next calendar                 | yea      | r?                                |          |                     |          |                 |          |                     |
| If yes:    | How much?                                                                     | \$       |                                   |          | -                   |          |                 |          |                     |
| 4-7        | Does the entity have debt that has been refinanced that it is                 | still    | responsible                       | for      | ?                   |          |                 |          |                     |
| If yes:    | What is the amount outstanding?                                               | \$       |                                   |          | -                   |          |                 |          |                     |
| 4-8        | Does the entity have any lease agreements?                                    |          |                                   |          |                     |          |                 |          | $\checkmark$        |
| If yes:    | What is being leased?                                                         |          |                                   |          |                     |          |                 |          |                     |
|            | What is the original date of the lease?                                       |          |                                   |          |                     |          |                 |          |                     |
|            | Number of years of lease?                                                     |          |                                   |          |                     |          |                 |          |                     |
|            | Is the lease subject to annual appropriation?                                 | ¢        |                                   |          |                     | ם<br>ו   |                 |          |                     |
|            | What are the annual lease payments?                                           | \$       |                                   |          | -                   |          | 41 a 16         |          |                     |

| Part 4 - Please use this space to provide any explanations/com | ments or attach separate documentation, if needed |
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|          | PART 5 - CASH AND INVESTME                                                                                                        | ENTS |     |      |       |
|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|-----|------|-------|
|          | Please provide the entity's cash deposit and investment balances.                                                                 |      | Amo | ount | Total |
| 5-1      | YEAR-END Total of ALL Checking and Savings Accounts                                                                               |      | \$  | -    | ]     |
| 5-2      | Certificates of deposit                                                                                                           |      | \$  | -    |       |
|          | Total Cash Deposits                                                                                                               |      |     |      | \$-   |
|          | Investments (if investment is a mutual fund, please list underlying investments):                                                 |      |     |      |       |
|          |                                                                                                                                   |      | \$  | _    | 1     |
|          |                                                                                                                                   |      | \$  |      | -     |
| 5-3      |                                                                                                                                   |      | \$  | -    | -     |
|          |                                                                                                                                   |      | \$  | _    | -     |
|          | Total Investments                                                                                                                 |      | · · |      | \$ -  |
|          | Total Cash and Investments                                                                                                        |      |     |      | \$ -  |
|          | Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate boxes                                                         | Yes  | N   | 0    | N/A   |
| 5-4      | Are the entity's Investments legal in accordance with Section 24-75-601, et. seq., C.R.S.?                                        |      |     |      |       |
| 5-5      | Are the entity's deposits in an eligible (Public Deposit Protection Act) public depository (Section 11-10.5-101, et seq. C.R.S.)? |      |     |      |       |
| lf no, M | UST use this space to provide any explanations:                                                                                   |      |     |      |       |

|     | PART 6 - CAPITAL AND RIG                                                                                 | GHT-TO-                               | USE       | ASSE                             | T  | S         |                   |
|-----|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|----|-----------|-------------------|
|     | Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate box                                  | es.                                   |           |                                  |    | Yes       | Νο                |
| 6-1 | Does the entity have capital assets?                                                                     |                                       |           |                                  |    |           | 7                 |
| 6-2 | Has the entity performed an annual inventory of capital asset<br>29-1-506, C.R.S.,? If no, MUST explain: | s in accordan                         | e with    | Section                          |    |           | 7                 |
|     | N/A                                                                                                      |                                       |           |                                  |    |           |                   |
| 6-3 | Complete the following capital & right-to-use assets table:                                              | Balance -<br>beginning of th<br>year* | e 🛛 be in | ons (Must<br>cluded in<br>art 3) |    | Deletions | ear-End<br>alance |
|     | Land                                                                                                     | \$-                                   | \$        | -                                | \$ | -         | \$<br>-           |
|     | Buildings                                                                                                | \$-                                   | \$        | -                                | \$ | -         | \$<br>-           |
|     | Machinery and equipment                                                                                  | \$-                                   | \$        | -                                | \$ | -         | \$<br>-           |
|     | Furniture and fixtures                                                                                   | \$-                                   | \$        | -                                | \$ | -         | \$<br>-           |
|     | Infrastructure                                                                                           | \$-                                   | \$        | -                                | \$ | -         | \$<br>-           |
|     | Construction In Progress (CIP)                                                                           | \$-                                   | \$        | -                                | \$ | -         | \$<br>-           |
|     | Leased & SBITA Right-to-Use Assets                                                                       | \$-                                   | \$        | -                                | \$ | -         | \$<br>-           |
|     | Other (explain):                                                                                         | \$-                                   | \$        | -                                | \$ | -         | \$<br>-           |
|     | Accumulated Depreciation/Amortization<br>(Please enter a negative, or credit, balance)                   | \$-                                   | \$        | -                                | \$ | -         | \$<br>-           |

TOTAL

\*must tie to prior year ending balance

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Part 6 - Please use this space to provide any explanations/comments or attach documentation, if needed:

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|         | PART 7 - PENSION INFORMA                                                          | TIO | N |     |    |
|---------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|---|-----|----|
|         | Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate boxes.        |     |   | Yes | Νο |
| 7-1     | Does the entity have an "old hire" firefighters' pension plan?                    |     |   |     | ~  |
| 7-2     |                                                                                   |     |   |     | ~  |
| If yes: |                                                                                   |     |   |     |    |
|         | Indicate the contributions from:                                                  |     |   |     |    |
|         | Tax (property, SO, sales, etc.):                                                  | \$  | - |     |    |
|         | State contribution amount:                                                        | \$  | - |     |    |
|         | Other (gifts, donations, etc.):                                                   | \$  | - |     |    |
|         | TOTAL \$ -                                                                        |     |   |     |    |
|         | What is the monthly benefit paid for 20 years of service per retiree as of Jan 1? | \$  | - |     |    |

Part 7 - Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:

|         | PART 8 - BUDGET IN                                                         | FORMAT              | ION         |    |     |
|---------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------|----|-----|
|         |                                                                            |                     |             |    |     |
|         | Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate boxes. |                     | Yes         | Νο | N/A |
| 8-1     | Did the entity file a budget with the Department of Local Affairs for the  | e current year      | 7           |    |     |
|         | in accordance with Section 29-1-113 C.R.S.? If no, MUST explain:           |                     |             |    |     |
|         |                                                                            |                     |             |    |     |
| 8-2     | Did the entity pass an appropriations resolution, in accordance w          | with Section        | 7           |    |     |
|         | 29-1-108 C.R.S.? If no, MUST explain:                                      |                     |             |    |     |
|         |                                                                            |                     |             |    |     |
| If yes: | Please indicate the amount budgeted for each fund for the year r           | reported:           |             |    |     |
| -       |                                                                            | -                   |             |    |     |
|         | Governmental/Proprietary Fund Name                                         | Total Appropriation | ons By Fund |    |     |

| Governmental/Proprietary Fund Name | Total Appropriations By Fund |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| General Fund                       | \$ -                         |
|                                    |                              |
|                                    |                              |
|                                    |                              |

|           | PART 9 - TAXPAYER'S BILL OF RIGHTS (TAB                                                                                                                                                                                                     | OR)            |          |
|-----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------|
|           | Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box                                                                                                                                                                      | Yes            | No       |
| 9-1       | Is the entity in compliance with all the provisions of TABOR [State Constitution, Article X, Section 20(5)]?                                                                                                                                | 7              |          |
|           | Note: An election to exempt the government from the spending limitations of TABOR does not exempt the government from the 3 percent emergency reserve requirement. All governments should determine if they meet this requirement of TABOR. |                |          |
| lf no, Ml | JST explain:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                |          |
|           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                |          |
|           | PART 10 - GENERAL INFORMATION                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                |          |
|           | Please answer the following questions by marking in the appropriate boxes.                                                                                                                                                                  | Yes            | Νο       |
| 10-1      | Is this application for a newly formed governmental entity?                                                                                                                                                                                 |                | <b>_</b> |
| If yes:   | Date of formation:                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                |          |
| 10-2      | Has the entity changed its name in the past or current year?                                                                                                                                                                                |                | 7        |
|           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                |          |
| If you    | Diagon light the NEW name & DDIOD name                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                |          |
| If yes:   | Please list the NEW name & PRIOR name:                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                |          |
| 10-3      | Is the entity a metropolitan district?                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 7              |          |
| 10 0      | Please indicate what services the entity provides:                                                                                                                                                                                          |                |          |
|           | See Below                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                |          |
| 10-4      | Does the entity have an agreement with another government to provide services?                                                                                                                                                              | 7              |          |
| If yes:   | List the name of the other governmental entity and the services provided:                                                                                                                                                                   |                |          |
| ,         | See Below                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                |          |
| 10-5      | Has the district filed a Title 32, Article 1 Special District Notice of Inactive Status during                                                                                                                                              |                | 7        |
| If yes:   | Date Filed:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                |          |
| 10-6      | Does the entity have a certified Mill Levy?                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 7              |          |
| If yes:   | boes the entity have a certified with Levy:                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                |          |
| II yoo.   | Please provide the following <u>mills</u> levied for the year reported (do not report \$ amounts):                                                                                                                                          |                |          |
|           | Bond Redemption mills                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                | -        |
|           | General/Other mills                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                | -        |
|           | Total mills                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                | -        |
|           | Yes                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | No             | N/A      |
|           | NEW 2023! If the entity is a Title 32 Special District formed on or after 7/1/2000, has                                                                                                                                                     |                |          |
| 10-7      | the entity filed its preceding year annual report with the State Auditor as required under SB 21-262 [Section 32-1-207 C.R.S.]? If NO, please explain.                                                                                      |                |          |
|           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                |          |
|           | Please use this space to provide any additional explanations or comments not previo                                                                                                                                                         | usly included: |          |

10-3: Financing for the construction and installation of public improvements, including streets, traffic safety, water, sanitary sewer, park and recreation, public transportation, mosquito control, fire protection, and television relay improvements.

10-4: The Aurora Highlands Metropolitan District Nos. 1-3 (TAH Districts), together with the Aerotropolis Area Coordinating Metropolitan District and the ATEC Metropolitan District Nos. 1-2 formed The Aurora Highlands Community Authority Board (CAB) pursuant to an intergovernmental agreement to govern the relationships between and among the CAB Districts with respect to the financing, construction, and operation of public improvements within their combined service areas. On April 27, 2022, the CAB Districts approved the addition of the District and The Aurora Highlands Metropolitan District Nos. 4 and 6 to the CAB.

|      | PART 11 - GOVERNING BODY APPROVAL                                                          |     |    |
|------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|----|
|      | Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box                     | YES | NO |
| 12-1 | If you plan to submit this form electronically, have you read the new Electronic Signature | 7   |    |

# Office of the State Auditor — Local Government Division - Exemption Form Electronic Signatures Policy and Procedure

# **Policy - Requirements**

The Office of the State Auditor Local Government Audit Division may accept an electronic submission of an application for exemption from audit that includes governing board signatures obtained through a program such as Docusign or Echosign. Required elements and safeguards are as follows:

• The preparer of the application is responsible for obtaining board signatures that comply with the requirement in Section 29-1-604 (3), C.R.S., that states the application shall be personally reviewed, approved, and signed by a majority of the members of the governing body.

• The application must be accompanied by the signature history document created by the electronic signature software. The signature history document must show when the document was created and when the document was emailed to the various parties, and include the dates the individual board members signed the document. The signature history must also show the individuals' email addresses and IP address.

• Office of the State Auditor staff will not coordinate obtaining signatures.

The application for exemption from audit form created by our office includes a section for governing body approval. Local governing boards note their approval and submit the application through one of the following three methods:

1) Submit the application in hard copy via the US Mail including original signatures.

2) Submit the application electronically via email and either,

a. Include a copy of an adopted resolution that documents formal approval by the Board, or

b. Include electronic signatures obtained through a software program such as Docusign or Echosign in accordance with the requirements noted above.

| Print the            | names of ALL members of current governing body below. | A <u>MAJORITY</u> of the members of the governing body must sign below.                                                                                                                                               |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Board<br>Member<br>1 | Print Board Member's Name<br>Matthew Hopper           | I Matt Hopper, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.<br>Signed                                             |
| Board<br>Member<br>2 | Print Board Member's Name<br>Carla Ferreira           | I Carla Ferreira, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I<br>have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.<br>Signed<br>Date:<br>My term Expires: May 2025 |
| Board<br>Member<br>3 | Print Board Member's Name<br>Michael Sheldon          | I Michael Sheldon, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.<br>Signed                                         |
| Board<br>Member<br>4 | Print Board Member's Name<br>Cindy Shearon            | I Cindy Shearon, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.<br>Signed                                           |
| Board<br>Member<br>5 | Print Board Member's Name<br>Deanna Hopper            | I Deanna Hopper, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I<br>have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit.<br>Signed<br>Date:<br>My term Expires: May 2025  |
| Board<br>Member<br>6 | Print Board Member's Name                             | I, attest I am a duly elected or appointed board<br>member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for<br>exemption from audit.<br>Signed<br>Date:<br>My term Expires:                      |
| Board<br>Member<br>7 | Print Board Member's Name                             | I                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |



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## Accountant's Compilation Report

Board of Directors The Aurora Highlands Metropolitan District No. 5 Adams County, Colorado

Management is responsible for the accompanying Application for Exemption from Audit of The Aurora Highlands Metropolitan District No. 5 as of and for the year ended December 31, 2023, included in the accompanying prescribed form. We have performed a compilation engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. We did not audit or review the financial statements included in the accompanying prescribed form nor were we required to perform any procedures to verify the accuracy or completeness of the information provided by management. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion, a conclusion, nor provide any form of assurance on the financial statements included in the accompanying the accuracy form.

The Application for Exemption from Audit is presented in accordance with the requirements of the Colorado Office of the State Auditor, which differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Colorado Office of the State Auditor and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than this specified party.

We are not independent with respect to The Aurora Highlands Metropolitan District No. 5.

Clifton Larson allen LL

Greenwood Village, Colorado February 20, 2024

# DocuSign

#### **Certificate Of Completion**

Envelope Id: D92809C557CF43B5B0EB42054C1D67AB Subject: Complete with DocuSign: The Aurora Highlands MD No 5 - 2023 Audit Exemption.pdf Client Name: The Aurora Highlands MD No. 5 Client Number: A793591 Source Envelope: Document Pages: 8 Signatures: 3 Certificate Pages: 5 Initials: 0 AutoNav: Enabled EnvelopeId Stamping: Enabled Time Zone: (UTC-06:00) Central Time (US & Canada)

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#### Signer Events

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President

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Michael Sheldon

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