

SECURITY WATER DISTRICT

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
With Independent Auditors' Report

Years Ended December 31, 2025 and 2024

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Directors
Security Water District

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Security Water District, as of and for the years ended December 31, 2025 and 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Security Water District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Security Water District, as of December 31, 2025 and 2024, and the changes in financial position and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Security Water District and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for 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.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Security Water District's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 Security Water District's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Security Water District's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis as listed in the table of contents be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, 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. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Supplementary Information

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

Hoelting & Company Inc.

Colorado Springs, Colorado
June 15, 2026

SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025

As management of Security Water District (the District) we offer readers of the District's annual financial report this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the District for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2025. Readers are encouraged to consider the information presented here in conjunction with the annual financial report.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- The District's total assets of \$72,353,874 exceeded its liabilities and deferred inflows at the close of the most recent fiscal year by \$65,511,347 (*net position*). Of this amount, \$32,103,549 represents unrestricted net position, which may be used to meet the District's ongoing obligations.
- The District's total net position increased during the year by \$14,173,500.
- Capital assets net of depreciation increased by \$382,436 from the prior year.
- The District's total outstanding long-term debt decreased by \$553,974 during the current year due to payment of revenue bonds.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This discussion and analysis serves as an introduction to the District's basic financial statements. The District's basic financial statements consist of the following components: (1) Statement of Net Position, (2) Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position, (3) Statement of Cash Flows, and (4) Notes to the financial statements. This report also contains other supplemental information in addition to the basic financial statements.

Statement of Net Position - This statement reports all financial and capital resources (assets), obligations (liabilities), and deferred inflows and outflows. The difference between assets, liabilities, and deferred inflows and outflows, is net position. The statement also provides the basis for evaluating the capital structure and assessing liquidity and financial flexibility.

Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position - All revenues and expenses are accounted for in this statement. This statement measures the results from operations and can be used to determine whether the District's rates, fees and other charges are adequate to recover expenses.

Statement of Cash Flows - This statement reports all cash receipts and payments summarized by net changes in cash from operating, non-capital financing, capital and related financing, and investing activities.

OVERALL FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of the District's financial position. For the year ended December 31, 2025, the District's assets exceeded liabilities and deferred inflows by \$ \$65,511,347 resulting in a positive net position. The following reflects key financial information in a condensed format:

Condensed Statements of Net Position

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Current and other assets	\$ 34,566,081	\$ 20,818,718
Capital assets, net	<u>37,787,793</u>	<u>37,405,357</u>
Total assets	<u>72,353,874</u>	<u>58,224,075</u>
Current and other liabilities	1,435,698	940,233
Long-term liabilities	<u>4,183,090</u>	<u>4,737,773</u>
Total liabilities	<u>5,618,788</u>	<u>5,678,006</u>
Deferred inflow of resources	<u>1,223,739</u>	<u>1,208,222</u>
Net position:		
Net investment in capital assets	33,335,798	32,399,388
Restricted	72,000	72,000
Unrestricted	<u>32,103,549</u>	<u>18,866,459</u>
Total net position	<u>\$ 65,511,347</u>	<u>\$ 51,337,847</u>

Unrestricted net position of the District at the end of the year was \$32,103,549 an increase of \$13,237,090 from the prior year.

Condensed Statements of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Operating revenues	\$ 6,358,978	\$ 6,542,962
Operating expenses	<u>(8,160,295)</u>	<u>(7,738,623)</u>
Operating income (loss)	(1,801,317)	(1,195,661)
Non-operating revenues and expenses, net	<u>15,535,926</u>	<u>3,109,002</u>
Income (Loss) before contributions	13,734,609	1,913,341
Capital contributions – tap fees	<u>438,891</u>	<u>12,328</u>
Change in net position	14,173,500	1,925,669
Net position, beginning	<u>51,337,847</u>	<u>49,412,178</u>
Net position, ending	<u>\$ 65,511,347</u>	<u>\$ 51,337,847</u>

CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets

The District's investment in capital assets as of December 31, 2025 amounts to \$37,787,793. This investment in capital assets includes land, water rights, buildings and improvements, equipment, transmission lines, and elevated tanks.

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Capital assets, not being depreciated	\$ 14,438,214	\$ 13,598,339
Capital assets, being depreciated	44,693,309	43,540,423
Less accumulated depreciation	<u>(21,343,730)</u>	<u>(19,733,405)</u>
Total capital assets, net	<u>\$ 37,787,793</u>	<u>\$ 37,405,357</u>

Major capital assets acquired during the year included capital construction to improve the water distribution system, programmed water meter replacements and treatment improvements to mitigate PFAS source water contamination.

Long-Term Debt

Outstanding debt at December 31, 2025 was \$4,451,995 and consisted of general obligation bonds.

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
General obligation bonds, net	<u>\$ 4,451,995</u>	<u>\$ 5,005,969</u>
Total long-term debt	<u>\$ 4,451,995</u>	<u>\$ 5,005,969</u>

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND OUTLOOK

Budgetary Highlights – The District's water rates will remain very competitive, and the substantial rate increases of the past are expected to moderate. Although the District Board did not increase water rates for 2025 or 2026, it is possible that modest rate increases may be necessary in the future to cover increasing operating costs and to fund water projects. In 2011, District electors authorized the issuance of indebtedness of up to \$15,000,000 in order to finance the District's portion of a new water delivery system. \$9.72 million in General Obligation Bonds were sold in 2012. The new water delivery system came online in 2016, which helped the District to shift its water supplies entirely to surface water sources due to the discovery of per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) in groundwater supplies. The costs incurred to eliminate PFAS exposure had a significant impact on the District's finances and reserves in 2016 and 2017. In 2018, the Air Force began to help offset the costs of purchasing replacement water. In addition, in 2019 the Air Force began constructing a water mitigation facility, which removes PFOA and PFOS chemicals to levels below detectable levels. The mitigation facility became fully operational in 2022 and the District was therefore able to resume full utilization of its groundwater resources in 2022, allowing for the discontinuance of purchasing replacement water. Although Air Force payments for the operational costs of the mitigation facility are expected in the future, the PFAS contamination is also expected to have a budgetary impact for the foreseeable future. Consequently, it is likely that past and future costs incurred due to PFAS mitigation will have an impact on future water rates.

Economic and Environmental Factors – Development within the District increased slightly in 2025, and there are several projects within the District that may be initiated in the near-term. Water quality, drought

and climate change concerns have increased the need to acquire additional water supplies to augment the District's water portfolio. The District will continue to pursue additional water rights and develop additional water delivery systems in order to ensure a safe and reliable future water supply.

The general economy within the region remains strong. The District has felt the impacts of world and national economic issues, including inflation and supply chain disruptions. Certain economic factors may continue to create challenges into 2026, however the financial effects are not expected to be material.

REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

This financial report is designed to provide our customers, creditors and other financial users with a general overview of the District's finances. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, please contact the District's General Manager, Roy E. Heald, at 719-392-3475 or 231 Security Boulevard, Colorado Springs, CO 80911.

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
STATEMENTS OF NET POSITION
DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024**

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
ASSETS		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,081,555	\$ 840,857
Investments	30,244,673	16,627,023
Accounts receivable	652,358	565,813
Lease receivables	378,400	389,078
Other receivables	10,521	20,430
Due from County Treasurer	6,273	6,276
Interest receivable	274,234	142,281
Property taxes receivable	845,339	819,143
Inventory, at cost	1,059,853	1,395,149
Prepaid expenses	12,875	12,668
	<u>34,566,081</u>	<u>20,818,718</u>
Total current assets		
Noncurrent assets:		
Capital assets:		
Land	1,908,390	1,908,390
Water rights	11,564,351	11,564,351
Construction in progress	965,473	125,598
Buildings and land improvements	3,690,955	3,697,274
Equipment	13,497,828	12,895,657
Transmission lines	25,086,934	24,926,589
Elevated tank	2,417,592	2,020,903
Less accumulated depreciation	(21,343,730)	(19,733,405)
	<u>37,787,793</u>	<u>37,405,357</u>
Total noncurrent assets		
Total assets	<u>72,353,874</u>	<u>58,224,075</u>
LIABILITIES		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	730,771	261,452
Accrued liabilities	7,998	3,352
Deposits	86,087	91,087
Interest payable	12,524	14,099
Compensated absences payable	38,318	30,243
Bonds payable - current	560,000	540,000
	<u>\$ 1,435,698</u>	<u>\$ 940,233</u>
Total current liabilities		

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
STATEMENTS OF NET POSITION
DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024**

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Noncurrent liabilities:		
Compensated absences	\$ 291,095	\$ 271,804
Bonds payable	<u>3,891,995</u>	<u>4,465,969</u>
Total noncurrent liabilities	<u>4,183,090</u>	<u>4,737,773</u>
Total liabilities	<u>5,618,788</u>	<u>5,678,006</u>
DEFERRED INFLOW OF RESOURCES		
Unavailable revenue - property taxes	845,339	819,144
Unavailable revenue - leases	<u>378,400</u>	<u>389,078</u>
Total deferred inflow of resources	<u>1,223,739</u>	<u>1,208,222</u>
NET POSITION		
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SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Operating revenues:		
Water assessments	\$ 5,868,670	\$ 6,175,331
Late and reconnect charges	179,266	181,368
Other	311,042	186,263
Total operating revenues	<u>6,358,978</u>	<u>6,542,962</u>
Operating expenses:		
Transmission and distribution	3,626,416	3,438,541
Purchased water	618,035	672,846
Maintenance	549,146	451,251
Administration and general	1,524,386	1,564,978
Depreciation	1,842,312	1,611,007
Total operating expenses	<u>8,160,295</u>	<u>7,738,623</u>
Operating income (loss)	<u>(1,801,317)</u>	<u>(1,195,661)</u>
Nonoperating revenues (expenses):		
General and specific tax revenues	897,845	953,505
Investment income	1,053,907	836,956
Mitigation payments	211,909	1,406,196
Rental income	93,816	83,643
Sale of meters	10,710	1,505
Gain/(loss) on disposal of assets	(119)	(2,897)
Interest and fiscal charges	(167,867)	(183,880)
Amortization	13,974	13,974
Settlement payments	13,421,751	-
Total non-operating revenue (expenses)	<u>15,535,926</u>	<u>3,109,002</u>
Income (loss) before contributions	13,734,609	1,913,341
Capital contributions - tap fees	<u>438,891</u>	<u>12,328</u>
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**SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024**

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Receipts from customers and users	\$ 5,971,300	\$ 6,300,221
Payments to suppliers	(3,276,157)	(4,930,317)
Payments to employees for salaries and benefits	(2,210,405)	(2,121,640)
Receipts from rent	93,815	83,643
Other receipts	<u>533,661</u>	<u>1,593,964</u>
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	<u>1,112,214</u>	<u>925,871</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Cash received from general and specific ownership tax revenues	<u>897,847</u>	<u>953,496</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Capital contributions - tap fees	438,891	12,328
Proceeds from sale of capital assets	-	3,106
Interest paid on debt	(169,443)	(185,193)
Principal paid on debt	(540,000)	(525,000)
Acquisition and construction of capital assets	<u>(2,224,867)</u>	<u>(1,789,433)</u>
Net cash provided (used) by capital and related financing activities	<u>(2,495,419)</u>	<u>(2,484,192)</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchase of investments	(21,763,738)	(6,419,076)
Proceeds from sales and maturities of investments	8,400,000	6,965,000
Interest received	668,043	676,542
Settlement payments received	<u>13,421,751</u>	<u>-</u>
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities	<u>726,056</u>	<u>1,222,466</u>
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	240,698	617,641
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	<u>840,857</u>	<u>223,216</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at ending of year	<u><u>\$ 1,081,555</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 840,857</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents to the statement of net position:		
Cash and cash equivalents	<u>\$ 1,081,555</u>	<u>\$ 840,857</u>
Reconciliation of operating income (loss) to net cash provided (used) by operating activities:		
Operating income (loss)	<u>\$ (1,801,317)</u>	<u>\$ (1,195,661)</u>
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash used by operating activities:		
Depreciation expense	\$ 1,842,312	\$ 1,611,007
Miscellaneous nonoperating income (expense):		
Mitigation payments	211,909	1,406,196
Rental income	93,816	83,643
Sale of meters	10,710	1,505
 <i>(Increase) decrease in assets:</i>		
Accounts receivable	(86,545)	(114,324)
Accounts receivable - other	9,909	57,846
Inventory	335,296	(1,078,530)
Prepaid expenses	(207)	212,487
 <i>Increase (decrease) in liabilities:</i>		
Accounts payable	469,319	(107,147)
Accrued liabilities	4,646	-
Deposits	(5,000)	5,000
Compensated absences payable	<u>27,366</u>	<u>43,849</u>
 Total adjustments	<u>2,913,531</u>	<u>2,121,532</u>
 Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	<u><u>\$ 1,112,214</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 925,871</u></u>
Schedule of non-cash investing, capital and financing activities:		
Increase (decrease) in fair value of investments	\$ 122,061	\$ 18,311
Accretion (Amortization)	\$ (131,417)	\$ (152,171)

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024**

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles as applied to local governments and promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). A summary of the significant accounting policies used in the preparation of these financial statements follows.

A. REPORTING ENTITY

Security Water District is a special district governed by an elected five-member board. The accompanying financial statements present the government and its component units, entities for which the government is considered to be financially accountable. Blended component units, although legally separate entities, are, in substance, part of the government's operations. Each discretely presented component unit is reported in a separate column in the government-wide financial statements to emphasize that it is legally separate from the government.

The District has no component units for which either discrete or blended presentation is required.

B. BASIS OF PRESENTATION—FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The basic financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of revenues, expenses and changes in net position) report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the District.

The accounts of the District are organized and operated on the basis of funds. A fund is an independent fiscal accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. Fund accounting segregates funds according to their intended purpose and is used to aid management in demonstrating compliance with finance-related legal and contractual provisions. The minimum number of funds maintained is consistent with legal and managerial requirements.

The District accounts for all of its activities in a single proprietary – enterprise fund for its activities which are similar to those found in the private sector, where the determination of changes in net position is necessary or useful to sound financial administration. The business type activities of the District rely significantly upon service charges.

C. MEASUREMENT FOCUS AND BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The District's 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.

D. ASSETS, LIABILITIES, DEFERRED OUTFLOWS/INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND NET POSITION

Cash and cash equivalents

The District's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition.

**SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024**

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Investments

Investments with a maturity of less than one year when purchased, non-negotiable certificates of deposit, and other nonparticipating investments are stated at cost or amortized cost. Investments with a maturity greater than one year when purchased are stated at fair value. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an investment in an orderly transaction at year end.

Local government investment pools in Colorado must be organized under Colorado Revised Statutes, which allows certain types of governments within the state to pool their funds for investment purposes. Investments in such pools are valued at the pool's share price, the price at which the investment could be sold.

Accounts receivable

The accounts receivable are due from a large number of customers for the purchase of water. An allowance for doubtful accounts is not required as the District holds a lien on property for unpaid water assessments.

Inventories

Inventories are valued at cost, which approximates market, using the first-in/first-out (FIFO) method.

Prepaid expenses

Payments made to vendors for services that will benefit periods beyond December 31, 2025 and 2024, are recorded as prepaid items.

Capital assets

All purchased capital assets are valued at cost where historical records are available and at an estimated historical cost where no historical records exist. Donated capital assets are valued at their estimated fair market value on the date received. The District's capitalization threshold is \$5,000.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized. Improvements are capitalized and depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the related fixed assets, as applicable.

Water mains and other improvements installed upon formation of the District at the expense of developers and subdividers are not recorded in the balance sheet and depreciation thereon has not been charged against revenues as records are not available to establish valuation for such property.

**SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024**

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Depreciation of buildings, equipment, vehicles and the water system is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives as follows:

Building and improvements	7 - 40 years
Equipment	5 - 40 years
Transmission line	10 - 40 years
Elevated tank	7 - 40 years

When depreciable property is acquired, depreciation is included in expense for the year of acquisition for the number of months during the year the asset was in service. When depreciable property is retired or otherwise disposed of, depreciation is included in expense for the number of months in service during the year of retirement and the related costs and accumulated depreciation are removed from the accounts with any gain or loss reflected in the statement of revenue, expenses and changes in fund net position.

Deferred outflows/inflows of resources

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/ expenditure) until then.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time.

Net position flow assumption

The District may fund outlays for a particular purpose from both restricted and unrestricted resources. In order to calculate the amounts to report as restricted—net position and unrestricted—net position in the financial statements, a flow assumption must be made about the order in which the resources are considered to be applied. It is the District's policy to consider restricted—net position to have been depleted before unrestricted—net position is applied.

**SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024**

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Leases

Lessee: The District recognizes a lease liability and an intangible right-to-use lease assets in the financial statements. The District recognizes lease liabilities with an initial, individual value of \$50,000 or more.

At the commencement of a lease, the District initially measures the lease liability at the present value of payments expected to be made during the lease term. Subsequently, the lease liability is reduced by the principal portion of lease payments made. The lease asset is initially measured as the initial amount of the lease liability, adjusted for lease payments made at or before the lease commencement date, plus certain initial direct costs. Subsequently, the lease asset is amortized on a straight-line basis over its useful life.

Key estimates and judgments related to leases include how the District determines (1) the discount rate it uses to discount the expected lease payments to present value, (2) lease term, and (3) lease payments.

- The District uses the interest rate charged by the lessor as the discount rate. When the interest rate charged by the lessor is not provided, the District generally uses its estimated incremental borrowing rate as the discount rate for leases.
- The lease term includes the noncancellable period of the lease. Lease payments included in the measurement of the lease liability are composed of fixed payments and purchase option price that the District is reasonably certain to exercise.

The District monitors changes in circumstances that would require a remeasurement of its lease and will remeasure the lease asset and liability if certain changes occur that are expected to significantly affect the amount of the lease liability.

Lease assets are reported with other capital assets and lease liabilities are reported with long-term debt on the statement of net position.

Lessor: The District is a lessor for noncancellable leases. The District recognizes a lease receivable and a deferred inflow of resources in the financial statements.

At the commencement of a lease, the District initially measures the lease receivable at the present value of payments expected to be received during the lease term. Subsequently, the lease receivable is reduced by the principal portion of lease payments received. The deferred inflow of resources is initially measured as the initial amount of the lease receivable, adjusted for lease payments received at or before the lease commencement date. Subsequently, the deferred inflow of resources is recognized as revenue over the life of the lease term.

Key estimates and judgments include how the District determines (1) the discount rate it uses to discount the expected lease receipts to present value, (2) lease term, and (3) lease receipts.

- The District uses its estimated incremental borrowing rate as the discount rate for leases.
- The lease term includes the noncancellable period of the lease. Lease receipts included in the measurement of the lease receivable is composed of fixed payments from the lessee.

The District monitors changes in circumstances that would require a remeasurement of its lease, and will remeasure the lease receivable and deferred inflows of resources if certain changes occur that are expected to significantly affect the amount of the lease receivable.

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NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

E. REVENUES AND EXPENSES

Property taxes

Property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on real property and are levied as of January 1. The tax levy is payable in two installments due February 28 and June 15, or in one installment due April 30. The El Paso County Treasurer bills and collects the District's property tax. District property tax revenues are recognized when levied to the extent they result in current receivables. The tax rates for the years ended December 31, 2025 and 2024 were 3.731 mills and 3.736 mills, respectively. The District's assessed valuations for 2025 and 2024 were \$219,550,530 and \$218,169,570 respectively.

Compensated absences

The District recognizes a liability for compensated absences in accordance with the provisions of GASB Statement No. 101, *Compensated Absences*. Under this standard, a liability is reported for leave that is attributable to services already rendered, is to be used for time off, and is more likely than not to be used for time off or otherwise paid.

Vacation leave that meets these criteria is accrued when earned in the government-wide financial statements. Sick leave is accrued only to the extent that it is reasonably expected to be paid upon separation or used in future periods. The amount reported as a liability is based on the pay rates in effect at the end of the reporting period and includes applicable salary-related payments.

Proprietary funds operating and non-operating revenues and expenses

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services in connection with the fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the fund are water assessments, late and reconnect charges, and inspection fees. Operating expenses include all expenses incurred to provide water services. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

F. ESTIMATES

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

G. COMPARATIVE DATA AND RECLASSIFICATIONS

Comparative total data for the prior year have been presented in the financial statements in order to provide an understanding of the changes in the financial position and operations. Certain amounts presented in the prior year data have been reclassified in order to be consistent with the current year's presentation.

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NOTE 2 – STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY

BUDGETARY INFORMATION

Budgets are adopted on a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles. The primary differences are that bond and note proceeds are treated as a budget source and capital expenditures and bond and note principal payments are treated as a budget use. Depreciation expense is not considered a budget expense. An annual appropriated budget is adopted for the proprietary fund. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year-end.

Expenditures may not legally exceed budgeted appropriations.

The District follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements.

- 1) By October 15 of each year, the manager submits to the Board of Directors a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing the following January 1. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them.
- 2) A public hearing is conducted by the District to obtain taxpayer comments.
- 3) Prior to December 31, the budget is legally enacted by the Board.
- 4) The manager is authorized to transfer budgeted amounts between line items of the District; however, any revisions that alter the total expenditures of the District must be approved by the Board of Directors.

NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

Cash deposits with financial institutions

Custodial credit risk—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 regulations. Amounts on deposit in excess of federal insurance levels must be collateralized by eligible collateral as determined by the PDPA. PDPA allows the financial institution to create a single collateral pool for all public funds held. The pool is to be maintained by another institution or held in trust for all the uninsured public deposits as a group. The market value of the collateral must be at least equal to 102% of the uninsured deposits.

As of December 31, 2025 and 2024, the carrying amounts of the District's deposits were \$(221,538) and \$(265,780), respectively and the bank balances were \$32,977 and \$50,997, respectively.

Investments

The District is authorized by Colorado Statutes to invest in the following:

- Bonds and other interest-bearing obligations of the United States government.
- Bonds and other interest-bearing obligations which are guaranteed by the United States government.
- Bonds which are a direct obligation of the State of Colorado, or of any city, county or school district therein.
- Notes or bonds issued to the "National Housing Act".
- Repurchase agreements.
- Local government investment pools.

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NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

Interest Rate Risk: As a means of limiting its exposure to fair value losses arising from rising interest rates, the District's investment policy limits its investment portfolio to investment maturities not to exceed five years from the date of purchase.

Credit Risk: The District's investment policy limits investments as described above. As of December 31, 2025, the District's investments were rated AAA by Moody's Investor Services. Standard & Poor's rated U.S. Treasuries and Agencies held by the District AA+, and all other investments AAA.

As of December 31, 2025 the District had the following investments and maturities:

<u>Investment Type</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>	<u>Investment Maturities</u>			
		<u>Less Than 90 Days</u>	<u>90 Days to 1 Year</u>	<u>1 to 2 Years</u>	<u>2 to 5 Years</u>
Money Market Funds	\$ 1,109,102	\$ 1,109,102	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
COLOTRUST	193,917	193,917	-	-	-
Short Term Bills & Notes	597,699	597,699	-	-	-
U.S. Treasuries	19,244,131	1,100,261	2,563,205	4,070,971	11,509,694
U.S. Agencies	<u>10,402,843</u>	<u>1,031,316</u>	<u>2,125,108</u>	<u>2,507,360</u>	<u>4,739,059</u>
Total	<u>\$ 31,547,692</u>	<u>\$ 4,032,295</u>	<u>\$ 4,688,313</u>	<u>\$ 6,578,331</u>	<u>\$ 16,248,753</u>

Colorado Government Liquid Asset Trust (COLOTRUST) is an investment vehicle established for local government entities in Colorado pursuant to Part 7 of Article 75 of Title 24 of the Colorado Revised Statutes, to pool surplus funds for investment purposes. This investment vehicle operates similarly to money market funds and each share is equal in value to \$1.00. The fair value of the position in the pool is the same as the value of the pool shares.

The designated custodial bank provides safekeeping and depository services to COLOTRUST in connection with the direct investment and withdrawal function of COLOTRUST. Substantially all securities owned by COLOTRUST are held by the Federal Reserve Bank in the account maintained for the custodial bank. The custodian's internal records identify the investments owned by COLOTRUST. Investments of COLOTRUST consist of U.S. Treasury bills, notes and note strips, and repurchase agreements collateralized by U.S. Treasury Notes. However, the District does not categorize investments with COLOTRUST because they are not evidenced by securities that exist in physical or book entry form.

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NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

Reconciliation of Deposits and Investments to the Statements of Net Position

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Cash and cash equivalents:		
Cash on hand	\$ 74	\$ 74
Deposits	(221,538)	(265,800)
Money Market Funds	1,109,102	920,864
COLOTRUST	<u>193,917</u>	<u>185,719</u>
	<u>\$ 1,081,555</u>	<u>\$ 840,857</u>
Investments:		
U.S. Treasuries	\$ 19,244,131	\$ 10,388,038
U.S Agencies	10,402,843	6,238,985
Short Term Bills & Notes	<u>597,699</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>\$ 30,244,673</u>	<u>\$ 16,627,023</u>

NOTE 4 – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT

The District records assets and liabilities in accordance with GASB 72, which establishes general principles for measuring fair value, provides additional fair value application guidance and enhances disclosures about fair value measurements.

GASB 72 defines fair value as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. Fair value is a market-based measurement for a particular asset or liability based on assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. Such assumptions include observable and unobservable inputs of market data, as well as assumptions about risk and the risk inherent in the inputs to the valuation technique. As a basis for considering market participant assumptions in fair value measurements, GASB 72 establishes a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value into three broad levels.

- Level 1 inputs reflect prices quoted in active markets.
- Level 2 inputs reflect prices that are based on a similar observable asset either directly or indirectly, which may include inputs in markets that are not considered to be active.
- Level 3 inputs reflect prices based upon unobservable sources.

The categorization of investments within the hierarchy is based upon the pricing transparency of the instrument and should not be perceived as the particular investment's risk.

Investments classified in Level 1 of the fair value hierarchy are valued directly from a predetermined primary external pricing vendor. Investments classified in Level 2 are subject to pricing by an alternative pricing source due to lack of information available by the primary vendor.

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NOTE 4 – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT

	December 31, 2025			
	<u>Level 1</u>	<u>Level 2</u>	<u>Level 3</u>	<u>Total</u>
Investments - unrestricted				
U.S. Treasury Notes	\$ -	\$ 19,244,131	\$ -	\$ 19,244,131
Agency Notes	-	10,402,843	-	10,402,843
Short Term Bills & Notes	<u>597,699</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>597,699</u>
Total Investments - unrestricted	<u>\$ 597,699</u>	<u>\$ 29,646,974</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 30,244,673</u>

	December 31, 2024			
	<u>Level 1</u>	<u>Level 2</u>	<u>Level 3</u>	<u>Total</u>
Investments - unrestricted				
U.S. Treasury Notes	\$ -	\$ 10,388,038	\$ -	\$ 10,388,038
Agency Notes	<u>-</u>	<u>6,238,985</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>6,238,985</u>
Total Investments - unrestricted	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 16,627,023</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 16,627,023</u>

NOTE 5 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the year ended December 31, 2025 was as follows:

	<u>Beginning Balance</u>	<u>Increase</u>	<u>Decrease</u>	<u>Ending Balance</u>
Capital assets, not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 1,908,390	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,908,390
Water rights	11,564,351	-	-	11,564,351
Construction in progress	<u>125,598</u>	<u>839,875</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>965,473</u>
Total capital assets, not being depreciated	<u>13,598,339</u>	<u>839,875</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>14,438,214</u>
Capital assets, being depreciated:				
Buildings and improvements	3,697,274	-	(6,319)	3,690,955
Equipment	12,895,657	827,958	(225,787)	13,497,828
Transmission lines	24,926,589	160,345	-	25,086,934
Elevated tank	<u>2,020,903</u>	<u>396,689</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,417,592</u>
Total capital assets, being depreciated	43,540,423	1,384,992	(232,106)	44,693,309
Less accumulated depreciation	<u>(19,733,405)</u>	<u>(1,842,312)</u>	<u>231,987</u>	<u>(21,343,730)</u>
Total capital assets, being depreciated, net	<u>23,807,018</u>	<u>(457,320)</u>	<u>(119)</u>	<u>23,349,579</u>
Total capital assets, net	<u>\$ 37,405,357</u>	<u>\$ 382,555</u>	<u>\$ (119)</u>	<u>\$ 37,787,793</u>

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NOTE 6 – LEASES

District as lessor

The District, as a lessor, has entered into lease agreements with third parties involving land and cellphone towers. The lease terms range from for 5 to 25 years and the District will receive monthly payments of \$2,873. The total amount of inflows of resources, including lease revenue, interest revenue, and other lease-related inflows, recognized during the fiscal year was \$30,132. As of December 31, 2025, the District receivable for lease payments was \$378,400. Also, the District has a deferred inflow of resources associated with this lease that will be recognized as revenue over the lease term. As of December 31, 2025, the balance of the deferred inflow of resources was \$378,400.

NOTE 7 – LONG-TERM LIABILITIES

General Obligation Bonds

Principal
Balance

\$9,720,000 of General Obligation Bonds Series 2012 were issued on July 18, 2012 for the purpose of funding the District's share of the acquisition and construction of the Southern Delivery System. Principal payments are due annually through December 1, 2032. Interest payments are due semi-annually on June 1 and December 1 and accrue at an annual interest rate between 2.00% and 3.50%.

\$ 4,360,000

Annual debt service requirements to maturity for general obligation bonds are as follows:

<u>Fiscal Year Ending December 31</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>
2026	\$ 560,000	\$ 150,292
2027	580,000	130,692
2028	600,000	110,392
2029	620,000	89,393
2030	645,000	67,693
2031 – 2032	<u>1,355,000</u>	<u>69,912</u>
Total	<u>\$ 4,360,000</u>	<u>\$ 618,374</u>

Compensated Absences Payable

Compensated absences consisted of the following:

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Sick leave benefits	\$ 243,934	\$ 224,082
Vacation benefits	<u>85,479</u>	<u>77,965</u>
Total	<u>\$ 329,413</u>	<u>\$ 302,047</u>

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NOTE 7 – LONG-TERM LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

Changes In Long-Term Liabilities

The following is a summary of long-term debt transactions of the District for the year ended December 31, 2025:

	<u>Balance 12/31/24</u>	<u>Debt Issued And Additions</u>	<u>Reductions</u>	<u>Balance 12/31/25</u>	<u>Due Within One year</u>
General obligation bonds	\$ 4,900,000	\$ -	\$ 540,000	\$ 4,360,000	\$ 560,000
Unamortized premium	<u>105,969</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>13,974</u>	<u>91,995</u>	<u>-</u>
	5,005,969	-	553,974	4,451,995	560,000
Compensated absences	<u>302,047</u>	<u>188,655</u>	<u>161,289</u>	<u>329,413</u>	<u>38,318</u>
Total	<u>\$ 5,308,016</u>	<u>\$ 188,655</u>	<u>\$ 715,263</u>	<u>\$ 4,781,408</u>	<u>\$ 598,318</u>

NOTE 8 – NET POSITION

Net position is reported in three separate categories—net investment in capital assets; net position-restricted; and net position-unrestricted.

Net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets net of accumulated depreciation and capital-related deferred outflows of resources; reduced by borrowings and deferred inflows of resources that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets. As of December 31, 2025 and 2024, net investment in capital assets was as follows:

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Capital assets, net of depreciation	\$ 37,787,793	\$ 37,405,357
Related debt	<u>(4,451,995)</u>	<u>(5,005,969)</u>
	<u>\$ 33,335,798</u>	<u>\$ 32,399,388</u>

Net position-restricted is the difference between non-capital assets whose use is restricted for use either externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws and regulations of other governments; or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation, and related liabilities and deferred inflows of resources (excluding capital-related borrowings). The District has established an Emergency Reserve in the amount of \$72,000 for years ended December 31, 2025 and 2024, as per Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution. This Emergency Reserve balance represents at least 3% of the governmental fiscal year spending as required.

Any portion of net position not already classified as either net investment in capital assets or net position-restricted, is automatically classified as net position-unrestricted.

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NOTE 9 – DEFINED CONTRIBUTION PENSION PLAN

Plan Description

The District contributes to the Colorado Retirement Association Retirement Plan (Retirement Plan), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined contribution pension plan administered by the Colorado Retirement Association (CRA) formerly the Colorado County Officials and Employees Retirement Association (CCOERA). The CRA provides pension benefits and deferred compensation for members and beneficiaries. The plan was adopted by the District on November 17, 1969, with a start date of December 1969. All employees are required to participate upon eligibility as a condition of employment. Employees regularly employed for a minimum of 20 hours per week for 5 months a year and having completed 3 months of service, are eligible for the plan. The plan was established by the State Legislature under Title 24, Article 54 of the Colorado Revised Statutes (CRS), as amended. CRA issues a publicly available annual financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the Retirement Plan. That report may be obtained by writing to Colorado Retirement Association, 751 Southpark Drive, Littleton, Colorado 80120 or by calling CRA at 720-493-5000 in the Denver metro area, or 1-(800) 352-0313 from outside the metro area.

Funding Policy

Plan members and the District are required to contribute at a rate set by statute. The contribution requirements of plan members and the District are established under Title 24, Article 54, Part 101 of the CRS, as amended. The District is required to contribute a minimum of 3% of the participant's base salary or wage. The District's board approved rate is 4% of compensation. Participants are required to contribute an amount equal to the District's contribution. A participant may elect to make additional after tax contributions up to certain statutory limits. Employees are immediately vested in their own contributions and investment earnings. Employees vest in District contributions and in the earnings, losses, and changes in fair value of retirement plan assets at rates ranging from 10% per year to immediately. Any District contribution forfeited by a participant due to termination of employment before becoming fully vested is available to the District to offset against future contributions or to be allocated to remaining participants. Total required contributions made each by the District and participants for the years ending December 31, 2025, 2024 and 2023 were \$70,899, \$67,496, and \$47,969, respectively. Employees also made additional contributions for the years ending December 31, 2025, 2024 and 2023 of \$5,968, \$45,515 and \$44,132. No material liability exists as of the report date.

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NOTE 10 - JOINTLY GOVERNED ORGANIZATIONS

Fountain Valley Authority

The Fountain Valley Authority (the Authority) was established on July 10, 1979, by a contract entered into by the City of Colorado Springs, Colorado; the City of Fountain, Colorado; the Security Water District, Colorado; and the Stratmoor Hills Water District, Colorado. Each of these separate governmental entities owns and operates existing water systems. The Authority was established to affect the development of water resources for the benefit of the governments and inhabitants of the contracting parties.

The Authority is empowered to acquire, operate, manage, and maintain all facilities required to deliver treated potable water to its customers. The customers include the City of Colorado Springs, the City of Fountain, the Security Water District, the Stratmoor Hills Water District, and the Widefield Water and Sanitation District.

The United States Department of Interior, Bureau of Reclamation (Bureau), has agreed to supply to these five customers up to 20,100 acre-feet of water annually from the Frying Pan Arkansas Project. The Security Water District has been allocated 8.19% of this total.

In addition, the Bureau constructed a pipeline (the Fountain Valley Conduit) to transport this water from the Pueblo Reservoir to the site of each system.

The Bureau's pipeline is operated by the Authority which pays all operating expenses plus a conveyance charge. The conveyance charge, which was paid in full as of fiscal year ended December 31, 2022, was designed to amortize the cost of the pipeline over a forty-year period. At the end of this period, title to the pipeline may be transferred by Congress to the Authority. The conveyance charge was allocated among the governments, based on their participation percentage and scheduled water deliveries.

The Authority has constructed an 18,000,000 gallon-per-day water treatment plant located approximately 17 miles south of the City of Colorado Springs. The purpose of this treatment plant is to treat water obtained by the customers from the Frying Pan Arkansas Project. All water transmitted through the Fountain Valley Conduit is treated at this plant. All costs incurred by the Authority will be recovered through charges to be paid by the member governments.

The following payments were made by the District to the Authority during the years ended December 31, 2025 and 2024:

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Filter plant bond payment	\$ -	\$ 6,704
Variable costs	189,413	199,739
Conveyance charge	12,352	1,341
Fixed charges	<u>381,293</u>	<u>364,361</u>
Total	<u>\$ 583,058</u>	<u>\$ 572,146</u>

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NOTE 10 - JOINTLY GOVERNED ORGANIZATIONS (CONTINUED)

The joint venture summary financial information as of December 31, 2025 and 2024 is as follows:

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Assets and Deferred Outflows of Resources	<u>\$ 82,422,306</u>	<u>\$ 76,235,184</u>
Liabilities	548,629	1,140,770
Net Position (deficit)	<u>81,873,677</u>	<u>75,094,414</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Position	<u>\$ 82,422,306</u>	<u>\$ 76,235,184</u>
Revenues	\$ 15,273,859	\$ 14,735,330
Expenditures	<u>(8,494,596)</u>	<u>(9,917,747)</u>
Change in Net Position	<u>\$ 6,779,263</u>	<u>\$ 4,817,583</u>

Widefield Aquifer Recharge Association

The Widefield Aquifer Recharge Association (the Association) was established on May 21, 2003 and is a joint venture between the Widefield Water and Sanitation District, The City of Fountain, and Security Water District. Each of these separate governmental entities owns and operates existing water systems and owns a 33.33% interest in the association. The Widefield Aquifer Recharge Association was formed to recharge the Widefield aquifer. The District spent \$0 in 2025 and 2024 for operating expenses of the venture.

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NOTE 11 - RELATED PARTIES

The Security Sanitation District and Security Water District are separate accounting districts and have separate boards of directors. Historically Management and office expenses have been divided equitably between the two Districts. As of 2024 the Board passed resolution W-2024-01-2 effective January 1, 2024 to reallocate the common expenses shared between Security Sanitation District and Security Water District. The office space used by the Security Sanitation District is owned by the Security Water District. The Security Sanitation District paid \$960 for the rent of this space during 2025 and 2024.

The Security Sanitation District is in the process of completing substantial improvements to its Wastewater Treatment Plan (“WWTP”) in order to meet CDPHE water quality requirements for wastewater discharge to Fountain Creek. The WWTP was completed during 2025, but incurred cost overruns of approximately \$2,000,000. These cost overruns exceed the present financial capability of the Sanitation District for the timely completion of the WWTP improvements. To cover additional cost related to the WWTP project the Board approved Resolution W-2024-01-3 effective January 1, 2024 whereby Security Water District was able to commit \$1,500,000 of their reserves as a Temporary Reserve Commitment for the use by Security Sanitation District as needed to complete the WWTP improvements. As of December 31, 2025, it has not been necessary to transfer any funds under this arrangement.

NOTE 12 – COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Water Quality

In January 2016, the Security Water District became aware of the existence of Perfluorinated chemicals (“PFCs”) in its groundwater supplies through routine sampling conducted in compliance with the Environmental Protection Agency’s (EPA) Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Rule 3. Subsequently, on May 19, 2016, the EPA issued a non-regulatory and non-enforceable Lifetime Health Advisory for two of the chemicals. Although the chemicals are not regulated, the District’s Board of Directors took immediate action to reduce, ultimately to a level of non-detect, PFCs from all of the water that the District provides to its customers. In early September 2016, as a result of significant expenditures for new pipelines and additional surface water, the District was able to shift entirely to surface water sources that do not contain PFCs. The cost of ongoing capital expenditures and additional operating expenses to eliminate PFC exposure had a significant impact on the District’s financial performance since 2016 and is expected to impact the budget for the foreseeable future. The District is seeking reimbursement from several sources to help offset these costs. In addition, in 2019 the Air Force began constructing a water mitigation facility, which removes PFOA and PFOS chemicals to levels below detectable levels. The mitigation facility became fully operational in 2022 and the District was therefore able to resume full utilization of its groundwater resources in 2022, allowing for the discontinuance of purchasing replacement water. Although Air Force payments for the operational costs of the mitigation facility are expected in the future, the PFAS contamination is also expected to have a budgetary impact for the foreseeable future.

The District joined the Aqueous Film-Forming Foam (AFFF) Products Liability Litigation against multiple manufacturing defendants and the United States Government seeking recovery of costs associated with securing and delivering alternate sources of water. The lawsuit is consolidated in the US District Court of South Carolina with thousands of cases filed nationwide. The complaint alleges that the plaintiffs committed trespass and nuisance, and has acted in a negligent manner, by releasing fire-fighting foam that contains PFCs to the environment, causing contamination of the District’s water supply. Four manufacturer settlements were agreed to with 3M, DuPont, Tyco and BASF. The settlements provide for payment of a specified sum into a settlement fund. Each settlement is a class action settlement, resolving all claims of American public water supply entities relating to PFAS contamination of water supplies by each of the settling defendants.

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Under the terms of the settlement agreement, the District received \$13,421,751 in cash during 2025, which has been recognized as non-operating revenue in the accompanying financial statements. The settlement agreement provides for additional payments totaling \$5,855,753, which are scheduled to be received over the next eight years. As of December 31, 2025, claims still exist and are being prosecuted against other manufacturers and the United States.

NOTE 13 - RISK MANAGEMENT

The District is exposed to various risks of losses related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters.

The District carries commercial insurance for these risks of loss, including worker's compensation and employee health and accident insurance. Settled claims have not exceeded insurance coverage during any of the last three fiscal years.

NOTE 14 - AMENDMENT TO COLORADO CONSTITUTION

Colorado voters passed an amendment to the *State Constitution*, Article X, Section 20, which has several limitations, including revenue raising, spending abilities, and other specific requirements of state and local governments.

Fiscal year spending and revenue limits are determined based on the prior year's spending adjusted for inflation and local growth. Revenue in excess of the limit must be refunded unless the voters approve retention of such revenue.

The Amendment is complex and subject to judicial interpretation. The entity believes it is in compliance with the requirements of the amendment. However, the entity has made certain interpretations of the amendment's language in order to determine its compliance.

For the required Emergency Reserve balances as of December 31, 2025 and 2024, see Note 8 – Net Position.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
SCHEDULES OF OPERATING EXPENSES
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025 AND 2024

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Transmission and distribution:		
Production payroll	\$ 1,216,190	\$ 1,176,042
Production cost	460,207	502,553
Insurance expense	493,508	440,408
Professional fees	163,818	126,574
Trade service	40,692	51,386
Pipeline and storage projects	97,713	117,433
Joint ventures	1,154,288	1,024,145
	<u>3,626,416</u>	<u>3,438,541</u>
TOTAL TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION	<u>3,626,416</u>	<u>3,438,541</u>
PURCHASED WATER	<u>618,035</u>	<u>672,846</u>
Maintenance:		
Truck expenses	45,131	57,761
Equipment, maintenance and repair	504,015	393,490
	<u>549,146</u>	<u>451,251</u>
TOTAL MAINTENANCE	<u>549,146</u>	<u>451,251</u>
Administration and general:		
Office payroll	1,031,408	1,000,285
Office expense	104,599	105,383
Insurance expense	171,996	183,251
Professional fees	152,613	207,093
Trade service	20,527	22,883
Collection expense	43,243	46,083
	<u>1,524,386</u>	<u>1,564,978</u>
TOTAL ADMINISTRATION AND GENERAL	<u>1,524,386</u>	<u>1,564,978</u>
DEPRECIATION	<u>1,842,312</u>	<u>1,611,007</u>
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	<u><u>\$ 8,160,295</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 7,738,623</u></u>

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SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION
BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025
(With comparative actuals for the year ended December 31, 2024)

	2024	2025	Budget	Variance with Final Budget
REVENUES				
Beginning fund balance	\$ 17,724,188	\$ 18,938,459	\$ 17,093,874	\$ 1,844,585
Water assessments	6,175,331	5,868,670	6,200,000	(331,330)
Late and reconnect charges	181,368	179,266	178,000	1,266
Other	186,263	311,042	96,800	214,242
General property taxes	875,886	818,263	819,143	(880)
S.O.T. taxes	76,715	78,732	80,000	(1,268)
Delinquent taxes	904	850	1,000	(150)
Investment income	836,956	1,053,907	1,029,000	24,907
Mitigation payments	1,406,196	211,909	300,000	(88,091)
Grants	-	-	500,000	(500,000)
Sale of meters	1,505	10,710	10,000	710
Connection fees	12,328	438,891	498,000	(59,109)
Rental income	83,643	93,816	133,000	(39,184)
Proceeds from asset sales / insurance	3,106	-	-	-
Settlement income	-	13,421,751	14,000,000	(578,249)
TOTAL REVENUES	27,564,389	41,426,266	40,938,817	487,449
EXPENDITURES				
Water purchase:				
Southern Delivery System	110,104	106,864	250,000	143,136
Pinello Ranch lease	53,927	87,331	75,000	(12,331)
Frying Pan/Arkansas	-	-	10,000	10,000
CSU Contract	49,472	63,028	50,000	(13,028)
Other	459,343	360,812	505,000	144,188
TOTAL WATER PURCHASE	672,846	618,035	890,000	271,965
PRODUCTION PAYROLL	1,165,204	1,216,190	1,247,600	31,410
Production cost:				
Electricity	209,826	249,608	235,000	(14,608)
Natural gas	12,023	13,029	32,000	18,971
Water quality improvement	3,061	3,260	-	(3,260)
Telephone and radios	27,384	100,204	38,000	(62,204)
Supplies, tools, freight	186,692	34,057	100,000	65,943
Chlorine	41,473	41,338	50,000	8,662
Uniforms	21,543	18,378	20,000	1,622
Other Production Costs	551	333	800	467
TOTAL PRODUCTION COST	\$ 502,553	\$ 460,207	\$ 475,800	\$ 15,126

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SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION
BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025
(With comparative actuals for the year ended December 31, 2024)

	2024	2025	Budget	Variance with Final Budget
EXPENDITURES (continued)				
Truck expenses:				
Repairs and maintenance	\$ 37,601	\$ 27,108	\$ 32,000	\$ 4,892
Gas, oil and diesel	20,160	18,023	30,000	11,977
TOTAL TRUCK EXPENSES	57,761	45,131	62,000	16,869
Equipment, maintenance and repair:				
Inventory, equipment and supplies	45,267	35,629	35,000	(629)
Safety equipment & supplies	3,240	1,218	5,000	3,782
Repairs and maintenance	231,536	308,878	22,000	(286,878)
Asphalt & street repairs	29,792	-	-	-
Pump and well repairs	-	15,128	15,000	(128)
Well house maintenance	79,954	132,351	120,000	(12,351)
Water tank inspections & repairs	-	-	22,000	22,000
Office and garage maintenance	3,701	10,811	7,500	(3,311)
TOTAL EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR	393,490	504,015	226,500	(277,515)
OFFICE SALARIES	1,000,285	1,031,407	1,129,600	98,193
Office expense:				
Office supplies	21,540	24,510	11,000	(13,510)
Equipment maintenance contracts	14,450	17,554	15,000	(2,554)
Miscellaneous office expenses	32,149	23,305	26,000	2,695
Bank charges	37,244	39,230	40,500	1,270
TOTAL OFFICE EXPENSE	105,383	104,599	95,000	(9,599)
Insurance expense:				
Workman's compensation	17,507	21,352	20,000	(1,352)
Liability, errors and omissions	198,032	215,874	230,000	14,126
Health	413,496	422,399	437,000	14,601
Damages/Deductibles	-	-	2,000	2,000
Pebsco	3,000	3,575	5,000	1,425
Unum LTC	2,462	2,305	3,000	695
TOTAL INSURANCE EXPENSE	\$ 634,497	\$ 665,505	\$ 697,000	\$ 31,495

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SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION
BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025
(With comparative actuals for the year ended December 31, 2024)

	2024	2025	Budget	Variance with Final Budget
EXPENDITURES (continued)				
Professional fees:				
Audit	\$ 17,800	\$ 18,500	\$ 18,800	\$ 300
Legal	93,522	72,010	110,000	37,990
Engineering	126,574	163,818	140,000	(23,818)
Other professional services	95,771	62,103	90,000	27,897
TOTAL PROFESSIONAL FEES	333,667	316,431	358,800	42,369
Trade service:				
Dues and membership	22,883	20,526	30,000	9,474
Schools and seminars	51,386	40,692	36,000	(4,692)
TOTAL TRADE SERVICE	74,269	61,218	66,000	4,782
Collection expense:				
Billing forms	11,461	7,138	15,000	7,862
Advertising	3,043	2,691	1,500	(1,191)
Postage	18,426	21,115	22,000	885
Tax collection fees	13,153	12,300	16,000	3,700
TOTAL COLLECTION EXPENSE	46,083	43,244	54,500	11,256
PIPELINE AND STORAGE PROJECTS	117,433	97,713	145,500	47,787
Joint Ventures:				
Fountain Valley Authority	1,024,145	1,154,288	1,582,237	427,949
TOTAL JOINT VENTURES	1,024,145	1,154,288	1,592,237	437,949
CAPITAL OUTLAYS	1,789,434	2,224,867	5,461,000	3,236,133
INTEREST EXPENSE	183,880	167,867	169,193	1,326
DEBT PRINCIPAL PAYMENT	525,000	540,000	540,000	-
BOND COSTS	-	-	250	250
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 8,625,930	\$ 9,250,717	\$ 13,210,980	\$ 3,959,796

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SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION
BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025
(With comparative actuals for the year ended December 31, 2024)

	2024	2025	Budget	Variance with Final Budget
EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURES	\$ 18,938,459	\$ 32,175,549	<u>\$ 27,727,837</u>	<u>\$ 4,447,245</u>
Less:				
Gain/loss on disposal of assets	(6,003)	(119)		
Depreciation	(1,611,007)	(1,842,312)		
Beginning fund balance	(17,724,188)	(18,938,459)		
Add:				
Amortization	13,974	13,974		
Debt principal payment	525,000	540,000		
Capital outlay	<u>1,789,434</u>	<u>2,224,867</u>		
CHANGE IN NET POSITION	<u>\$ 1,925,669</u>	<u>\$ 14,173,500</u>		

Ending fund balance is calculated as follows:

Current assets	\$ 20,818,718	\$ 34,566,081
Current liabilities	(940,233)	(1,435,698)
Deferred inflows	(1,208,222)	(1,223,739)
Bonds payable - current	540,000	560,000
Compensated absences	<u>(271,804)</u>	<u>(291,095)</u>
	<u>\$ 18,938,459</u>	<u>\$ 32,175,549</u>

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SECURITY WATER DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF SOURCES AND USES (NON-GAAP)
GOVERNMENT & ENTERPRISE FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025

	Actual	General Fund	Enterprise Fund
Budget sources:			
Water assessments	\$ 5,868,670	\$ -	\$ 5,868,670
Late and reconnect charges	179,266	-	179,266
General and specific tax revenues	897,845	897,845	-
Investment income	1,053,907	-	1,053,907
Mitigation payments	211,909	-	211,909
Sale of meters	10,710	-	10,710
Connection fees	438,891	-	438,891
Rental income	93,816	-	93,816
Other	311,042	-	311,042
Settlement income	13,421,751	-	13,421,751
TOTAL BUDGET SOURCES	22,487,807	897,845	21,589,962
Budget uses:			
Water purchase	618,035	-	618,035
Production payroll	1,216,190	-	1,216,190
Production cost	460,207	2,812	457,395
Truck expenses	45,131	90	45,041
Equipment, maintenance and repair	504,015	5,406	498,609
Office payroll	1,031,407	515,704	515,703
Office expense	104,599	52,300	52,299
Insurance expense	665,505	184,494	481,011
Professional fees	316,431	48,504	267,927
Trade service	61,218	10,263	50,955
Collection expense	43,244	17,237	26,007
Pipeline and Storage projects	97,713	-	97,713
Capital outlay	2,224,867	-	2,224,867
Interest expense	167,867	167,867	-
Bond principal payment	540,000	540,000	-
Joint ventures	1,154,288	-	1,154,288
TOTAL BUDGET USES	9,250,717	1,544,677	7,706,040
Budget sources over uses before interest allocation	13,237,090	(646,832)	13,883,922
Interest allocation	-	(28,721)	28,721
Budget sources over uses after interest allocation	13,237,090	(675,553)	13,912,643
Transfer equal to 9% of Enterprise fund revenue	-	(1,945,682)	1,945,682
BUDGET SOURCES OVER USES	\$ 13,237,090	\$ (2,621,235)	\$ 15,858,325

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