

**APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM AUDIT
LONG FORM**

NAME OF GOVERNMENT	Dove Creek Fire Protection District	1761.00	For the Year Ended 12/31/2016 or fiscal year ended:
ADDRESS	PO Box 474 Dove Creek, Colorado 81321		
CONTACT PERSON	Cindy Gersch		
PHONE	970-677-2370		
EMAIL			
FAX	970-565-9441		

CERTIFICATION OF PREPARER

I certify that I am an independent accountant with knowledge of governmental accounting and that the information in the Application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I am aware that the Audit Law requires that a person independent of the entity complete the application if revenues or expenditure are at least \$100,000 but not more than \$750,000, and that independent means someone who is separate from the entity.

NAME	Lori H Haley CPA
TITLE	CPA
FIRM NAME (if applicable)	Majors and Haley PC
ADDRESS	PO Box 1478
PHONE	970-565-9521
DATE PREPARED <small>(Must be Completed prior to Board approval)</small>	2/28/2017
RELATIONSHIP TO ENTITY	CPA

PREPARER (SIGNATURE REQUIRED)

Lori H Haley CPA

Has the entity filed for, or has the district filed, a Title 32, Article 1 Special District Notice of Inactive Status during the year? [Applicable to Title 32 special districts only, pursuant to Sections 32-1-103 (9.3) and 32-1-104 (9), C.R.S.]	YES	NO	If Yes, date filed.
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	



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PART 1 - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - BALANCE SHEET

* Indicate Name of Fund

NOTE: Attach additional sheets as necessary

Line #	Description	Governmental Funds		Description	Proprietary/Fiduciary Funds		Please use this space to provide explanation of any items on this page
		General Fund*	Fund*		Fund*	Fund*	
Assets				Assets			
1-1	Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$ 871,869	\$ -	Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$ -	\$ -	
1-2	Investments	\$ -	\$ -	Investments	\$ -	\$ -	
1-3	Receivables	\$ -	\$ -	Receivables	\$ -	\$ -	
1-4	Due from Other Entities or Funds	\$ 1,421	\$ -	Due from Other Entities or Funds	\$ -	\$ -	
	All Other Assets (specify)			Other Current Assets	\$ -	\$ -	
1-5		\$ -	\$ -	Total Current Assets	\$ -	\$ -	
1-6		\$ -	\$ -	Capital Assets, net (from Part 1)	\$ -	\$ -	
1-7		\$ -	\$ -	Other Long Term Assets (specify)	\$ -	\$ -	
1-8		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-9		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-10		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-11	(add lines 1-1 through 1-10) TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 873,290	\$ -	(add lines 1-1 through 1-10) TOTAL ASSETS	\$ -	\$ -	
1-12	TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	\$ -	\$ -	TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	\$ -	\$ -	
1-13	TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS	\$ 873,290	\$ -	TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS	\$ -	\$ -	
Liabilities				Liabilities			
1-14	Accounts Payable	\$ -	\$ -	Accounts Payable	\$ -	\$ -	
1-15	Accrued Payroll and Related Liabilities	\$ -	\$ -	Accrued Payroll and Related Liabilities	\$ -	\$ -	
1-16	Accrued Interest Payable	\$ -	\$ -	Accrued Interest Payable	\$ -	\$ -	
1-17	Due to Other Entities or Funds	\$ -	\$ -	Due to Other Entities or Funds	\$ -	\$ -	
1-18	All Other Current Liabilities	\$ -	\$ -	All Other Current Liabilities	\$ -	\$ -	
1-19	TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	\$ -	\$ -	TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	\$ -	\$ -	
1-20	All Other Liabilities (specify)	\$ -	\$ -	Proprietary Debt Outstanding (from Part 1-4)	\$ -	\$ -	
1-21		\$ -	\$ -	Other Liabilities (specify)	\$ -	\$ -	
1-22		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-23		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-24		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-25		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-26		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-27		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-28	(add lines 1-19 through 1-27) TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ -	\$ -	(add lines 1-19 through 1-27) TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ -	\$ -	
1-29	TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	\$ -	\$ -	TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	\$ -	\$ -	
Fund Balance				Net Position			
1-30	Nonspendable Prepaid	\$ -	\$ -	Net Investment in Capital Assets	\$ -	\$ -	
1-31	Nonspendable Inventory	\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-32	Restricted (specify): TABOR	\$ 20,000	\$ -	Emergency Reserves	\$ -	\$ -	
1-33	Committed (specify)	\$ -	\$ -	Other Designations/Reserves	\$ -	\$ -	
1-34	Assigned (specify) 2017 Expenditures	\$ 816,439	\$ -	Restricted	\$ -	\$ -	
1-35	Unassigned	\$ 36,851	\$ -	Undesignated/Unreserved/Unrestricted	\$ -	\$ -	
1-36	Add lines 1-30 through 1-35 This total should be the same as line 1-33 TOTAL FUND BALANCE	\$ 873,290	\$ -	Add lines 1-30 through 1-35 This total should be the same as line 1-33 TOTAL NET POSITION	\$ -	\$ -	
1-37	Add lines 1-28, 1-29 and 1-36 This total should be the same as line 1-13 TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS, AND FUND BALANCE	\$ 873,290	\$ -	Add lines 1-28, 1-29 and 1-36 This total should be the same as line 1-13 TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS, AND NET POSITION	\$ -	\$ -	

PART 2 - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - OPERATING STATEMENT - REVENUES

Line #	Description	Governmental Funds		Description	Proprietary/Fiduciary Funds		Please use this space to provide explanation of any items on this page
		General Fund*	Fund*		Fund*	Fund*	
Tax Revenue				Tax Revenue			
2-1	Property	\$ 559,303	\$ -	Property	\$ -	\$ -	
2-2	Specific Ownership	\$ 20,662	\$ -	Specific Ownership	\$ -	\$ -	
2-3	Sales and Use Tax	\$ -	\$ -	Sales and Use Tax	\$ -	\$ -	
2-4	Other Tax Revenue (specify):	\$ -	\$ -	Other Tax Revenue (specify):	\$ -	\$ -	
2-5		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
2-6		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
2-7		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
2-8	Add lines 2-1 through 2-7 TOTAL TAX REVENUE	\$ 579,965	\$ -	Add lines 2-1 through 2-7 TOTAL TAX REVENUE	\$ -	\$ -	
2-9	Licenses and Permits	\$ -	\$ -	Licenses and Permits	\$ -	\$ -	
2-10	Highway Users Tax Funds (HUTF)	\$ -	\$ -	Highway Users Tax Funds (HUTF)	\$ -	\$ -	
2-11	Conservation Trust Funds (Lobby)	\$ -	\$ -	Conservation Trust Funds (Lobby)	\$ -	\$ -	
2-12	Community Development Block Grant	\$ -	\$ -	Community Development Block Grant	\$ -	\$ -	
2-13	Fire & Police Pension	\$ 48,028	\$ -	Fire & Police Pension	\$ -	\$ -	
2-14	Grants	\$ -	\$ -	Grants	\$ -	\$ -	
2-15	Donations	\$ -	\$ -	Donations	\$ -	\$ -	
2-16	Charges for Sales and Services	\$ -	\$ -	Charges for Sales and Services	\$ -	\$ -	
2-17	Rental Income	\$ -	\$ -	Rental Income	\$ -	\$ -	
2-18	Fines and Forfeits	\$ -	\$ -	Fines and Forfeits	\$ -	\$ -	
2-19	Interest/Investment Income	\$ 4,576	\$ -	Interest/Investment Income	\$ -	\$ -	
2-20	Tap Fees	\$ -	\$ -	Tap Fees	\$ -	\$ -	
2-21	Developer Advances	\$ -	\$ -	Developer Advances	\$ -	\$ -	
2-22	All Other (specify) Miscellaneous Reimbursements	\$ 11,068	\$ -	All Other (specify)	\$ -	\$ -	
2-23		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
2-24	Add lines 2-8 through 2-23 TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 643,637	\$ -	Add lines 2-8 through 2-23 TOTAL REVENUES	\$ -	\$ -	
Other Financing Sources				Other Financing Sources			
2-25	Debt Proceeds	\$ -	\$ -	Debt Proceeds	\$ -	\$ -	
2-26	Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assets	\$ 30,000	\$ -	Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assets	\$ -	\$ -	
2-27	Other (specify)	\$ -	\$ -	Other (specify)	\$ -	\$ -	
2-28	Add lines 2-25 through 2-27 TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	\$ 30,000	\$ -	Add lines 2-25 through 2-27 TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	\$ -	\$ -	GRAND TOTALS
2-29	Add lines 2-24 and 2-28 TOTAL REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	\$ 673,637	\$ -	Add lines 2-24 and 2-28 TOTAL REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 673,637

IF GRAND TOTAL REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES for all funds (Line 2-29) are GREATER than \$750,000 - **STOP**. You may not use this form. An audit may be required. See Section 29-1-604, C.R.S., or contact the OSA Local Government Division at (303) 869-3000 for assistance.

PART 3 - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - OPERATING STATEMENT - EXPENDITURES

Line #	Description	Governmental Funds		Description	Proprietary/Fiduciary Funds		Please use this space to provide explanation of any items on this page
		General Fund	Fund		Fund	Fund	
	Expenditures			Expenditures			
3-1	General Government	\$ 64,682	\$ -	General Operating & Administrative	\$ -	\$ -	
3-2	Judicial	\$ -	\$ -	Salaries	\$ -	\$ -	
3-3	Law Enforcement	\$ -	\$ -	Payroll Taxes	\$ -	\$ -	
3-4	Fire	\$ 63,791	\$ -	Contract Services	\$ -	\$ -	
3-5	Highways & Streets	\$ -	\$ -	Employed Benefits	\$ -	\$ -	
3-6	Solid Waste	\$ -	\$ -	Insurance	\$ -	\$ -	
3-7	Contributions to Fire & Police Pension Assoc.	\$ 115,059	\$ -	Accounting and Legal Fees	\$ -	\$ -	
3-8	Health	\$ -	\$ -	Repair and Maintenance	\$ -	\$ -	
3-9	Culture and Recreation	\$ -	\$ -	Supplies	\$ -	\$ -	
3-10	Other (specify)	\$ -	\$ -	Utilities	\$ -	\$ -	
3-11		\$ -	\$ -	Contributions to Fire & Police Pension Assoc.	\$ -	\$ -	
3-12		\$ -	\$ -	Other (specify)	\$ -	\$ -	
3-13		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
3-14	Capital Outlay	\$ 11,726	\$ -	Capital Outlay	\$ -	\$ -	
	Debt Service			Debt Service			
3-15	Principal	\$ -	\$ -	Principal	\$ -	\$ -	
3-16	Interest	\$ -	\$ -	Interest	\$ -	\$ -	
3-17	Bond Issuance Costs	\$ -	\$ -	Bond Issuance Costs	\$ -	\$ -	
3-18	Developer Principal Repayments	\$ -	\$ -	Developer Principal Repayments	\$ -	\$ -	
3-19	Developer Interest Repayments	\$ -	\$ -	Developer Interest Repayments	\$ -	\$ -	
3-20	All Other (specify)	\$ -	\$ -	All Other (specify)	\$ -	\$ -	
3-21		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
3-22	Add lines 3-1 through 3-21	\$ 255,258	\$ -	Add lines 3-1 through 3-21	\$ -	\$ -	
	TOTAL EXPENDITURES			TOTAL EXPENDITURES			GRAND TOTAL
3-23	Interfund Transfers (in)	\$ -	\$ -	Net Interfund Transfers (in)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 255,258
3-24	Interfund Transfers out	\$ -	\$ -	Net Interfund Transfers out	\$ -	\$ -	
3-25	Other Expenditures (Revenues)	\$ -	\$ -	Depreciation	\$ -	\$ -	
3-26		\$ -	\$ -	Other Financing Sources (Net) (from line 2-25)	\$ -	\$ -	
3-27		\$ -	\$ -	Capital Outlay (from line 3-14)	\$ -	\$ -	
3-28		\$ -	\$ -	Debt Principal (from line 3-15)	\$ -	\$ -	
3-29	(Add lines 3-23 through 3-28)	\$ -	\$ -	(Line 3-25, plus line 3-27, less line 3-24, less line 3-25)	\$ -	\$ -	
	TOTAL TRANSFERS AND OTHER EXPENDITURES			TOTAL GAAP RECONCILING ITEMS			
3-30	Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over (Under) Expenditures Line 3-29, less line 3-22, plus line 3-29	\$ 416,379	\$ -	Net Increase (Decrease) in Net Position Line 3-29, less line 3-22, plus line 3-29, plus line 3-23, less line 3-23	\$ -	\$ -	
3-31	Fund Balance, January 1 from December 31 prior year report	\$ 454,911	\$ -	Net Position, January 1 from December 31 prior year report	\$ -	\$ -	
3-32	Prior Period Adjustment (MUST explain)	\$ -	\$ -	Prior Period Adjustment (MUST explain)	\$ -	\$ -	
3-33	Fund Balance, December 31 Sum of Line 3-30, 3-31, and 3-32 This total should be the same as line 1-36.	\$ 873,290	\$ -	Net Position, December 31 Line 3-30 plus line 3-31 This total should be the same as line 1-36.	\$ -	\$ -	

IF GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURES for all funds (Line 3-22) are GREATER than \$750,000 - STOP. You may not use this form. An audit may be required. See Section 29-1-604, C.R.S., or contact the OSA Local Government Division at (303) 869-3000 for assistance.

PART 4 - DEBT OUTSTANDING, ISSUED, AND RETIRED

Please answer the following questions by marking the appropriate boxes.

	YES	NO		
4-1 Does the entity have outstanding debt?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
4-2 Is the debt repayment schedule attached? If no, MUST explain: N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
4-3 Is the entity current in its debt service payments? If no, MUST explain: N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
4-4 Please complete the following debt schedule. If applicable, (please only include principal amounts)	Outstanding at beginning of year	Issued during year	Retired during year	Outstanding at year-end
General obligation bonds	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Revenue bonds	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Notes/Loans	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Leases	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Developer Advances	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Other (specify)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

Please answer the following questions by marking the appropriate boxes.

	YES	NO
4-5 Does the entity have any authorized, but unissued, debt?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If yes: How much? \$ -		
Date the debt was authorized:		
4-6 Does the entity intend to issue debt within the next calendar year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If yes: How much? \$ -		
4-7 Does the entity have debt that has been refinanced that it is still responsible for?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If yes: What is the amount outstanding? \$ -		
4-8 Does the entity have any lease agreements?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
What are the annual lease payments? \$ -		
4-9 Does the entity have a certified mill levy?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If yes: Please provide the following mills levied for the year reported:		
Bond Redemption	0.0000	
General/Other	4.1700	
TOTAL	4.1700	

Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:

PART 5 - CASH AND INVESTMENTS

Please provide the entity's cash deposit and investment balances.

	AMOUNT	TOTAL
5-1 YEAR END Total of ALL Checking and Savings accounts	\$ 182,616	
5-2 Certificates of deposit	\$ 202,972	
TOTAL CASH DEPOSITS		\$ 385,588
Investments (if investment is a mutual fund, please list underlying investments)		
5-3 Colorado Trust	\$ 486,281	
	\$ -	
	\$ -	
	\$ -	
TOTAL INVESTMENTS		\$ 486,281
TOTAL CASH AND INVESTMENTS		\$ 871,869

Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box

	YES	NO	N/A
5-4 Are the entity's investments legal in accordance with Section 24-75-601, et seq. C.R.S.?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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.)? If no, MUST explain.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:

PART 6 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box		YES	NO	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:
6-1	Does the entity have capitalized assets?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
6-2	Has the entity performed an annual inventory of capital assets in accordance with Section 20-1-505, C.R.S.? If no, MUST explain:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

6-3	Complete the following Capital Assets table for GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS.	Balance - beginning of the year	Additions	Deletions	Year-End Balance
	Land	\$ 49,079	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 49,079
	Buildings	\$ 302,130	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 302,130
	Machinery and equipment	\$ 881,421	\$ 11,726	\$ 62,000	\$ 831,147
	Furniture and fixtures	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	Infrastructure	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	Construction in Progress (CIP)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	Other (explain)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	Accumulated Depreciation (Enter a negative, or credit, balance)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	TOTAL	\$ 1,232,630	\$ 11,726	\$ 62,000	\$ 1,182,356

6-4	Complete the following Capital Assets table for PROPRIETARY FUNDS	Balance - beginning of the year	Additions	Deletions	Year-End Balance
	Land	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	Buildings	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	Machinery and equipment	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	Furniture and fixtures	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	Infrastructure	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	Construction in Progress (CIP)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	Other (explain)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	Accumulated Depreciation (Enter a negative, or credit, balance)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	TOTAL	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

PART 7 - PENSION INFORMATION

Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box		YES	NO	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:
7-1	Does the entity have an "old hire" firemen's pension plan?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
7-2	Does the entity have a volunteer firemen's pension plan?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

If yes:	Who administers the plan?	
	Indicate the contributions from:	
	Tax (property, SS, sales, etc.)	\$ 67,031
	State contribution amount:	\$ 48,028
	Other (gifts, donations, etc.)	\$ -
	TOTAL	\$ 115,059
	What is the monthly benefit paid for 20 years of service per retiree as of Jan. 1?	\$ 300

PART 8 - BUDGET INFORMATION

Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box		YES	NO	N/A
B-1	Did the entity file a current year budget with the Department of Local Affairs, in accordance with Section 29-1-113 C.R.S.? If no, MUST explain:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B-2	Did the entity pass an appropriations resolution in accordance with Section 29-1-103 C.R.S.? If no, MUST explain:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If yes: Please indicate the amount appropriated for each fund for the year reported:				
	Fund Name	Budgeted Expenditures		
	General Fund	\$	752,000	
		\$	-	
		\$	-	
		\$	-	

Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments.

PART 9 - TAX PAYER'S BILL OF RIGHTS (TABOR)

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))? 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.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments.

PART 10 - GENERAL INFORMATION

Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box		YES	NO
10-1	Is this application for a newly formed governmental entity? If yes: Date of formation:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
10-2	Has the entity changed its name in the past or current year? If Yes: NEW name: _____ PRIOR name: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
10-3	Is the entity a metropolitan district?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
10-4	Please indicate what services the entity provides:		
10-5	Does the entity have an agreement with another government to provide services? If yes: List the name of the other governmental entity and the services provided:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments.

Please use this space to provide any additional explanations or comments not previously included.

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Entity Wide:		General Fund		Governmental Funds		Notes
Unrestricted Cash & Investments	\$ 871,869	Unrestricted Fund Balan	\$ 853,290	Total Tax Revenue	\$ 579,965	
Current Liabilities	-	Total Fund Balance	\$ 873,290	Revenue Paying Debt Service	\$ -	
Deferred Inflow	-	PY Fund Balance	\$ 454,911	Total Revenue	\$ 673,637	
		Total Revenue	\$ 673,637	Total Debt Service Principal	\$ -	
		Total Expenditures	\$ 255,258	Total Debt Service Interest	\$ -	
		Interfund In	\$ -			
Governmental		Interfund Out	\$ -	Enterprise Funds		
Total Cash & Investments	\$ 871,869	Proprietary	-	Net Position	\$ -	
Transfers In	\$ -	Current Assets	\$ -	PY Net Position	\$ -	
Transfers Out	\$ -	Deferred Outflow	\$ 559,303	Government-Wide		
Property Tax	\$ -	Current Liabilities	\$ -	Total Outstanding Debt	\$ -	
Debt Service Principal	\$ -	Deferred Inflow	\$ 255,258	Authorized but Unissued	\$ -	
Total Expenditures	\$ -	Cash & Investments	\$ -	Year Authorized	\$ -	
Total Developer Advances	\$ -	Principal Expense	\$ -			
Total Developer Repayments	\$ -					

PART 12 - GOVERNING BODY APPROVAL

Below is the certification and approval of the governing board. By signing the board member is certifying they are a duly elected or appointed officer of the local government. Governing board members may be verified. Also by signing, the board member certifies that this Application for Exemption from Audit has been prepared consistent with Section 29-1-604, C.R.S., which states that a governmental agency with revenue and expenditures of \$750,000 or less must have an application prepared by an independent accountant with knowledge of governmental accounting, completed to the best of their knowledge and is accurate and true. Use additional pages if needed.

Print the names of all current governing board members below.

A MAJORITY of the governing board members must complete and sign in the column below.

Board Member	Print Board Member's Name	I, _____, attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit. Signed _____ Date: _____ My term Expires: _____
1	DAN JOHNSON	I, <u>DAN JOHNSON</u> , attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit. Signed <u>[Signature]</u> Date: <u>3-2-17</u> My term Expires: <u>2018</u>
2	DWAYNE GARCHAR	I, <u>DWAYNE GARCHAR</u> , attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit. Signed <u>[Signature]</u> Date: <u>03-02-17</u> My term Expires: <u>2018</u>
3	BRUCE RIDDELL	I, <u>BRUCE RIDDELL</u> , attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit. Signed <u>[Signature]</u> Date: <u>3-2-17</u> My term Expires: <u>2018</u>
4	RICK ERNST	I, <u>RICK ERNST</u> , attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit. Signed <u>[Signature]</u> Date: <u>03-05-17</u> My term Expires: <u>2020</u>
5	LARRY CRAWFORD	I, <u>LARRY CRAWFORD</u> , attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit. Signed <u>[Signature]</u> Date: <u>3-2-17</u> My term Expires: <u>20-20</u>
6		I, _____, attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit. Signed _____ Date: _____ My term Expires: _____
7		I, _____, attest that I am a duly elected or appointed board member, and that I have personally reviewed and approve this application for exemption from audit. Signed _____ Date: _____ My term Expires: _____

**Original Signatures
Verified by**

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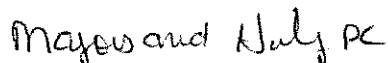
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Management is responsible for the accompanying application for exemption from audit for the Dove Creek Fire Protection District for the calendar year 2016, included in the accompanying prescribed form. We have performed a compilation engagement in accordance with Statements of Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the AICPA. We did not audit or review the financial statements included in the accompanying prescribed form or 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 these financial statements.

These financial statements (including related disclosures) are presented in accordance with the requirements of the Colorado State Auditor, which differ from generally accepted principles. Accordingly, these financial statements are not designed for those who are not informed about such differences.

Sincerely,



Majors and Haley, P.C.

February 28, 2017