

APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM AUDIT

LONG FORM

For the Year Ended
12/31/2018
or fiscal year ended:

NAME OF GOVERNMENT
ADDRESS

Deer Creek Metropolitan District
64775 US Highway 285
Bailey, CO 80421

CONTACT PERSON
PHONE
EMAIL
FAX

James C Dozier
303-838-5805
dukedozier424@gmail.com

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:
TITLE
FIRM NAME (if applicable)
ADDRESS
PHONE
DATE PREPARED
RELATIONSHIP TO ENTITY

Diana Grosvenor
Director
64775 US Highway 285, Bailey, CO 80421
720-273-4939
Director

PREPARER (SIGNATURE REQUIRED)

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 (3), C.R.S.]

	YES	NO	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	If Yes, date filed:

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
		Fund*	Fund*		Fund*	Fund*	
Assets				Assets			
1-1	Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$ -	\$ -	Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$ 35,504	\$ -	
1-2	Investments	\$ -	\$ -	Investments	\$ -	\$ -	
1-3	Receivables	\$ -	\$ -	Receivables	\$ 12,000	\$ -	
1-4	Due from Other Entities or Funds	\$ -	\$ -	Due from Other Entities or Funds	\$ -	\$ -	
	All Other Assets [specify...]	\$ -	\$ -	Other Current Assets	\$ -	\$ -	
1-5		\$ -	\$ -				
1-6		\$ -	\$ -	Total Current Assets	\$ 47,504	\$ -	
1-7		\$ -	\$ -	Capital Assets, net (from Part 6-4)	\$ -	\$ -	
1-8		\$ -	\$ -	Other Long Term Assets [specify...]	\$ -	\$ -	
1-9		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-10		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-11	(add lines 1-1 through 1-10) TOTAL ASSETS	\$ -	\$ -	(add lines 1-1 through 1-10) TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 47,504	\$ -	
1-12	TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	\$ -	\$ -	TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	\$ -	\$ -	
1-13	TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS	\$ -	\$ -	TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS	\$ 47,504	\$ -	
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 4-4)	\$ 434,896	\$ -	
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	\$ 434,896	\$ -	
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...]	\$ -	\$ -	Emergency Reserves	\$ -	\$ -	
1-33	Committed [specify...]	\$ -	\$ -	Other Designations/Reserves	\$ -	\$ -	
1-34	Assigned [specify...]	\$ -	\$ -	Restricted	\$ -	\$ -	
1-35	Unassigned:	\$ -	\$ -	Undesignated/Unreserved/Unrestricted	\$ (387,392)	\$ -	
1-36	Add lines 1-30 through 1-35 This total should be the same as line 3-33 TOTAL FUND BALANCE	\$ -	\$ -	Add lines 1-30 through 1-35 This total should be the same as line 3-33 TOTAL NET POSITION	\$ (387,392)	\$ -	
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	\$ -	\$ -	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	\$ 47,504	\$ -	

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
		Fund*	Fund*		Fund*	Fund*	
Tax Revenue				Tax Revenue			
2-1	Property [include mills levied in Question 10-6]	\$ -	\$ -	Property [include mills levied in Question 10-6]	\$ 43,689	\$ -	
2-2	Specific Ownership	\$ -	\$ -	Specific Ownership	\$ 6,528	\$ -	
2-3	Sales and Use Tax	\$ -	\$ -	Sales and Use Tax	\$ -	\$ -	
2-4	Other Tax Revenue [specify...]:	\$ -	\$ -	Other Tax Revenue [specify...]: Water Tap	\$ 96,000	\$ -	
2-5		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
2-6		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
2-7		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
2-8	Add lines 2-1 through 2-7 TOTAL TAX REVENUE	\$ -	\$ -	Add lines 2-1 through 2-7 TOTAL TAX REVENUE	\$ 146,216	\$ -	
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 (Lottery)	\$ -	\$ -	Conservation Trust Funds (Lottery)	\$ -	\$ -	
2-12	Community Development Block Grant	\$ -	\$ -	Community Development Block Grant	\$ -	\$ -	
2-13	Fire & Police Pension	\$ -	\$ -	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	\$ -	\$ -	Interest/Investment Income	\$ -	\$ -	
2-20	Tap Fees	\$ -	\$ -	Tap Fees	\$ -	\$ -	
2-21	Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assets	\$ -	\$ -	Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assets	\$ -	\$ -	
2-22	All Other [specify...]:	\$ -	\$ -	All Other [specify...]:	\$ -	\$ -	
2-23		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
2-24	Add lines 2-8 through 2-23 TOTAL REVENUES	\$ -	\$ -	Add lines 2-8 through 2-23 TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 146,216	\$ -	
Other Financing Sources				Other Financing Sources			
2-25	Debt Proceeds	\$ -	\$ -	Debt Proceeds	\$ -	\$ -	
2-26	Developer Advances	\$ -	\$ -	Developer Advances	\$ -	\$ -	
2-27	Other [specify...]:	\$ -	\$ -	Other [specify...]:	\$ -	\$ -	
2-28	Add lines 2-25 through 2-27 TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	\$ -	\$ -	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	\$ -	\$ -	Add lines 2-24 and 2-28 TOTAL REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	\$ 146,216	\$ -	\$ 146,216

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 4 - DEBT OUTSTANDING, ISSUED, AND RETIRED

Please answer the following questions by marking the appropriate boxes.

YES NO

Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:

- 4-1 Does the entity have outstanding debt? YES NO
- 4-2 Is the debt repayment schedule attached? If no, MUST explain: YES NO
- 4-3 Is the entity current in its debt service payments? If no, MUST explain: YES NO

Repayment agreement is based on funds available.

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	\$ 434,896	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 434,896
Leases	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Developer Advances	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Other (specify):	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ 434,896	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 434,896

*must agree to prior year ending balance

Please answer the following questions by marking the appropriate boxes.

YES NO

- 4-5 Does the entity have any authorized, but unissued, debt? YES NO
- If yes: How much? \$ -
- Date the debt was authorized: _____
- 4-6 Does the entity intend to issue debt within the next calendar year? YES NO
- If yes: How much? \$ -
- 4-7 Does the entity have debt that has been refinanced that it is still responsible for? YES NO
- If yes: What is the amount outstanding? \$ -
- 4-8 Does the entity have any lease agreements? YES NO
- 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? YES NO
- What are the annual lease payments? \$ -

PART 5 - CASH AND INVESTMENTS

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

AMOUNT TOTAL

Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:

5-1 YEAR-END Total of ALL Checking and Savings accounts	\$ 35,504		
5-2 Certificates of deposit	\$ -		
TOTAL CASH DEPOSITS		\$ 35,504	

Investments (if investment is a mutual fund, please list underlying investments):

	\$ -		
	\$ -		
	\$ -		
	\$ -		
TOTAL INVESTMENTS		\$ -	
TOTAL CASH AND INVESTMENTS		\$ 35,504	

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.? YES NO N/A
- 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: YES NO N/A

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 type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
6-2 Has the entity performed an annual inventory of capital assets in accordance with Section 29-1-506, 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	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Buildings	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Machinery and equipment	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Furniture and fixtures	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Infrastructure	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Construction In Progress (CIP)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Other (explain):	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Accumulated Depreciation (Enter a negative, or credit, balance)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

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):	\$ 68,813	\$ 134,216	\$ 167,526	\$ 35,504
Accumulated Depreciation (Enter a negative, or credit, balance)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ 68,813	\$ 134,216	\$ 167,526	\$ 35,504

*must agree to prior year ending balance

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 type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
If yes: Who administers the plan?			

Indicate the contributions from:

Tax (property, SO, sales, etc.):	\$ -
State contribution amount:	\$ -
Other (gifts, donations, etc.):	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ -

What is the monthly benefit paid for 20 years of service per retiree as of Jan 1?

	\$ -
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PART 8 - BUDGET INFORMATION

Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box				YES	NO	N/A	
8-1	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"/>	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments: Commercial Development area showed interest as Economic Growth of the area. Board agreed to start the infrastructure process in order to meet with recent sales in the development. The initial sale happened after the 2018 Budget was approved and submitted.		
8-2	Did the entity pass an appropriations resolution in accordance with Section 29-1-108 C.R.S.? If no, MUST explain:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
If yes: Please indicate the amount budgeted for each fund for the year reported							
Fund Name		Budgeted Expenditures					
General Fund 2018		\$	34,550				
		\$	-				
		\$	-				
		\$	-				

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	<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 style="width: 150px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:		
10-2	Has the entity changed its name in the past or current year? If Yes: NEW name <input style="width: 400px; height: 20px;" type="text"/> PRIOR name <input style="width: 400px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
10-3	Is the entity a metropolitan district?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
10-4	Please indicate what services the entity provides: <input style="width: 450px; height: 20px;" type="text" value="Water"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
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 style="width: 450px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
10-6	Does the entity have a certified mill levy? If yes: Please provide the number of <u>mills</u> levied for the year reported (do not enter \$ amounts):	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
		Bond Redemption mills	0.000			
		General/Other mills	35.000			
		Total mills	35.000			

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

PART 12 - GOVERNING BODY APPROVAL

Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box

YES NO

12-1 If you plan to submit this form electronically, have you read the new Electronic Signature Policy?

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

Policy - Requirements

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

- The preparer of the application is responsible for obtaining board signatures that comply with the requirement in Section 29-1-604 (3), C.R.S., that states the application shall be personally reviewed, approved, and signed by a majority of the members of the governing body.
- The application must be accompanied by the signature history document created by the electronic signature software. The signature history document must show when the document was created and when the document was emailed to the various parties, and include the dates the individual board members signed the document. The signature history must also show the individuals' email addresses and IP address.
- Office of the State Auditor staff will not coordinate obtaining signatures.

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

- 1) Submit the application in hard copy via the US Mail including original signatures.
- 2) Submit the application electronically via email and either,
 - a. Include a copy of an adopted resolution that documents formal approval by the Board, or
 - b. Include electronic signatures obtained through a software program such as DocuSign or Echosign in accordance with the requirements noted above.

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	A MAJORITY of the governing board members must complete and sign in the column below.
1	James C Dozier	I, <u>James C Dozier</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>2/23/2019</u> My term Expires: <u>May 2020</u>
2	Peggy A Dozier	I, <u>Peggy A Dozier</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>2-23-2019</u> My term Expires: <u>May 2022</u>
3	William Dozier	I, <u>William Dozier</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>2-23-19</u> My term Expires: <u>May 2020</u>
4	Lynn Thayer	I, <u>Lynn Thayer</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>2/23/19</u> My term Expires: <u>May 2022</u>
5	Diana Grosvenor	I, <u>Diana Grosvenor</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>2-23-19</u> My term Expires: <u>May 2020</u>
6	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: _____
7	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: _____

**RESOLUTION
EXEMPTION FROM AUDIT**

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of Deer Creek Metropolitan District wishes to claim exemption from the audit requirements of Sec. 29-1-603, C.R.S.; and

WHEREAS, Sec. 29-1-604 C.R.S. states that any local government where the annual revenues nor expenditures are more than one hundred thousand but not more than seven hundred five thousand dollars may, with the approval of the State Auditor, be exempt from the provisions of Section 29-1-603, C.R.S.; and

WHEREAS, revenues and expenditures exceeded one hundred thousand dollars but not more than seven hundred fifty thousand dollars for the fiscal year 2018; and

WHEREAS, an application for exemption from audit for Deer Creek Metropolitan District has been prepared by Diana Grosvenor, a person skilled in governmental accounting; and

WHEREAS, said application for exemption from audit has been completed in accordance with regulations issued by the State Auditor,

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of Directors for the Deer Creek Metropolitan District that the application for exemption from audit for said District for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2018 has been reviewed and is hereby approved by the majority of said Board and that those approving Directors have signified by signing in Part 11 of said District's application for exemption from audit for said fiscal year.

Adopted this 23rd day of February, 2019 by the Board of Directors of Deer Creek Metropolitan District.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
DEER CREEK METROPOLITAN DISTRICT



James C. Dozier, President

ATTEST



Peggy A. Dozier, Secretary