

**APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM AUDIT
LONG FORM**

NAME OF GOVERNMENT
ADDRESS

Gold Hill Fire Protection Distlct
1011 Main Street - Gold Hill
Boulder, CO 80302
Chris Flinn
303-444-8003
ghfpdchief@gmail.com

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

CONTACT PERSON
PHONE
EMAIL
FAX

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

Dan D Griffin
Certified Public Accountant
Griffin & Associates, P.C., CPAs
5387 Manhattan Circle, Ste 101, Boulder, CO 80303
303-543-8868
3/10/2018
None

PREPARER (SIGNATURE REQUIRED)

Dan D Griffin

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	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*	Pension Fund*	
Assets							
1-1	Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$ 232,229	\$ -	Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$ -	\$ 5,797	
1-2	Investments	\$ -	\$ -	Investments	\$ -	\$ -	
1-3	Receivables	\$ -	\$ -	Receivables	\$ -	\$ -	
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		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-7		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-8		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-9		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-10		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-11	(add lines 1-1 through 1-10) TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 232,229	\$ -	(add lines 1-1 through 1-10) TOTAL ASSETS	\$ -	\$ 5,797	
1-12	TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	\$ -	\$ -	TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	\$ -	\$ -	
1-13	TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS	\$ 232,229	\$ -	TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS	\$ -	\$ 5,797	
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)	\$ -	\$ -	
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							
1-30	Nonspendable Prepaid	\$ -	\$ -	Net Investment in Capital Assets	\$ -	\$ -	
1-31	Nonspendable Inventory	\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
1-32	Restricted [specify...] Tabor Emergency Reserve	\$ 55,813	\$ -	Emergency Reserves	\$ -	\$ -	
1-33	Committed [specify...]	\$ -	\$ -	Other Designations/Reserves	\$ -	\$ -	
1-34	Assigned [specify...]	\$ -	\$ -	Restricted	\$ -	\$ -	
1-35	Unassigned:	\$ 170,619	\$ -	Undesignated/Unreserved/Unrestricted	\$ -	\$ 5,797	
1-36	Add lines 1-30 through 1-35 This total should be the same as line 3-33 TOTAL FUND BALANCE	\$ 226,432	\$ -	Add lines 1-30 through 1-35 This total should be the same as line 3-33 TOTAL NET POSITION	\$ -	\$ 5,797	
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	\$ 226,432	\$ -	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	\$ -	\$ 5,797	

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	Pension Fund	
Tax Revenue				Tax Revenue			
2-1	Property (include mills levied in Question 10-6)	\$ 40,204	\$ -	Property (include mills levied in Question 10-6)	\$ -	\$ -	
2-2	Specific Ownership	\$ 2,184	\$ -	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	\$ 42,388	\$ -	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 (Lottery)	\$ -	\$ -	Conservation Trust Funds (Lottery)	\$ -	\$ -	
2-12	Community Development Block Grant	\$ -	\$ -	Community Development Block Grant	\$ -	\$ -	
2-13	Fire & Police Pension	\$ -	\$ -	Fire & Police Pension	\$ -	\$ 1,800	
2-14	Grants	\$ -	\$ -	Grants	\$ -	\$ -	
2-15	Donations	\$ 10,200	\$ -	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	\$ 292	\$ -	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...]: Miscellaneous	\$ 5,274	\$ -	All Other [specify...]:	\$ -	\$ -	
2-23		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
2-24	Add lines 2-8 through 2-23 TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 58,154	\$ -	Add lines 2-8 through 2-23 TOTAL REVENUES	\$ -	\$ 1,800	
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	\$ -	\$ -	
2-29	Add lines 2-24 and 2-28 TOTAL REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	\$ 58,154	\$ -	Add lines 2-24 and 2-28 TOTAL REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	\$ -	\$ 1,800	GRAND TOTALS
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.						\$ 59,954	

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	Pension Fund	
Expenditures				Expenditures			
3-1	General Government	\$ -	\$ -	General Operating & Administrative	\$ -	\$ -	
3-2	Judicial	\$ -	\$ -	Salaries	\$ -	\$ -	
3-3	Law Enforcement	\$ -	\$ -	Payroll Taxes	\$ -	\$ -	
3-4	Fire	\$ -	\$ -	Contract Services	\$ -	\$ -	
3-5	Highways & Streets	\$ 41,706	\$ -	Employee Benefits	\$ -	\$ -	
3-6	Solid Waste	\$ -	\$ -	Insurance	\$ -	\$ -	
3-7	Contributions to Fire & Police Pension Assoc.	\$ -	\$ -	Accounting and Legal Fees	\$ -	\$ -	
3-8	Health	\$ -	\$ -	Repair and Maintenance	\$ -	\$ -	
3-9	Culture and Recreation	\$ -	\$ -	Supplies	\$ -	\$ -	
3-10	Transfers to other districts	\$ -	\$ -	Utilities	\$ -	\$ -	
3-11	Other [specify...]: Bank Fees	\$ -	\$ -	Contributions to Fire & Police Pension Assoc.	\$ -	\$ -	
3-12		\$ -	\$ -	Other [specify...]: Bank charges	\$ -	\$ 3	
3-13		\$ -	\$ -	Capital Outlay	\$ -	\$ -	
3-14	Capital Outlay	\$ 124,229	\$ -	Debt Service	\$ -	\$ -	
	Debt Service			Principal	\$ -	\$ -	
3-15	Principal	\$ -	\$ -	Interest	\$ -	\$ -	
3-16	Interest	\$ -	\$ -	Bond Issuance Costs	\$ -	\$ -	
3-17	Bond Issuance Costs	\$ -	\$ -	Developer Principal Repayments	\$ -	\$ -	
3-18	Developer Principal Repayments	\$ -	\$ -	Developer Interest Repayments	\$ -	\$ -	
3-19	Developer Interest Repayments	\$ -	\$ -	All Other [specify...]:	\$ -	\$ -	
3-20	All Other [specify...]:	\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
3-21		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
3-22	Add lines 3-1 through 3-21 TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 165,935	\$ -	Add lines 3-1 through 3-21 TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ -	\$ 3	GRAND TOTAL
3-23	Interfund Transfers (in)	\$ -	\$ -	Net Interfund Transfers (in) Out	\$ -	\$ (2,000)	\$ 165,938
3-24	Interfund Transfers out	\$ 2,000	\$ -	Other [specify...][enter negative for expense]	\$ -	\$ -	
3-25	Other Expenditures (Revenues):	\$ -	\$ -	Depreciation	\$ -	\$ -	
3-26		\$ -	\$ -	Other Financing Sources (Uses) (from line 2-26)	\$ -	\$ -	
3-27		\$ -	\$ -	Capital Outlay (from line 3-14)	\$ -	\$ -	
3-28		\$ -	\$ -	Debt Principal (from line 3-15, 3-16)	\$ -	\$ -	
3-29	(Add lines 3-23 through 3-28) TOTAL TRANSFERS AND OTHER EXPENDITURES	\$ 2,000	\$ -	(Line 3-26, plus line 3-27, less line 3-24, less line 3-25) TOTAL GAAP RECONCILING ITEMS	\$ -	\$ -	
3-30	Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over (Under) Expenditures Line 2-29, less line 3-22, plus line 3-29	\$ (109,781)	\$ -	Net Increase (Decrease) in Net Position Line 2-29, less line 3-22, plus line 3-29, plus line 3-23, less line 3-24	\$ -	\$ 3,797	
3-31	Fund Balance, January 1 from December 31 prior year report	\$ 336,213	\$ -	Net Position, January 1 from December 31 prior year report	\$ -	\$ 2,000	
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.	\$ 226,432	\$ -	Net Position, December 31 Line 3-30 plus line 3-31 This total should be the same as line 1-36.	\$ -	\$ 5,797	

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.

- 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

Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:

4-4 Please complete the following debt schedule, if applicable: (please only include principal amounts)

General obligation bonds
 Revenue bonds
 Notes/Loans
 Leases
 Developer Advances
 Other (specify):

Outstanding at beginning of year	Issued during year	Retired during year	Outstanding at year-end
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

*must agree to prior year ending balance

Please answer the following questions by marking the appropriate boxes.

- 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
5-1 YEAR-END Total of ALL Checking and Savings accounts	\$ 232,229	
5-2 Certificates of deposit	\$ -	
TOTAL CASH DEPOSITS		\$ 232,229

Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:

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

5-3	\$ -	
	\$ -	
	\$ -	
	\$ -	
TOTAL INVESTMENTS		\$ -
TOTAL CASH AND INVESTMENTS		\$ 232,229

Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box

- 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? YES NO
- 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: YES NO

6-3 Complete the following Capital Assets table for GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS:

	Balance - beginning of the year*	Additions	Deletions	Year-End Balance
Land	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Buildings	\$ 62,736	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 62,736
Machinery and equipment	\$ 451,333	\$ 124,229	\$ -	\$ 575,562
Furniture and fixtures	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Infrastructure	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Construction In Progress (CIP)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Other (explain):	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Accumulated Depreciation (Enter a negative, or credit, balance)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ 514,069	\$ 124,229	\$ -	\$ 638,298

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	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

*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? YES NO
- 7-2 Does the entity have a volunteer firemen's pension plan? YES NO
- If yes: Who administers the plan? The District

Indicate the contributions from:

Tax (property, SO, sales, etc.):	\$ 2,000
State contribution amount:	\$ 1,797
Other (gifts, donations, etc.):	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ 3,797

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

PART 8 - BUDGET INFORMATION

Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box

	YES	NO	N/A	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:
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"/>	
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	\$ 186,404
	\$ -
	\$ -
	\$ -

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

Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box

	YES	NO	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:
9-1 Is the entity in compliance with all the provisions of TABOR [State Constitution, Article X, Section 20(6)]? Note: An election to exempt the government from the spending limitations of TABOR does not exempt the	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

PART 10 - GENERAL INFORMATION

Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box

	YES	NO	Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:
10-1 Is this application for a newly formed governmental entity? If yes: Date of formation: <input type="text"/>	<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 <input type="text"/> PRIOR name <input 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 type="text"/>			
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="text"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
10-6 Does the entity have a certified mill levy? If yes: Please provide the number of mills levied for the year reported (do not enter \$ amounts):	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

Bond Redemption mills	0.000
General/Other mills	6.705
Total mills	6.705

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	\$ 232,229	Unrestricted Fund Balan	\$ 170,619	Total Tax Revenue	\$ 42,388	
Current Liabilities	\$ -	Total Fund Balance	\$ 226,432	Revenue Paying Debt Service	\$ -	
Deferred Inflow	\$ -	PY Fund Balance	\$ 338,213	Total Revenue	\$ 58,154	
		Total Revenue	\$ 58,154	Total Debt Service Principal	\$ -	
		Total Expenditures	\$ 165,935	Total Debt Service Interest	\$ -	
Governmental		Interfund In	\$ -			
Total Cash & Investments	\$ 232,229	Interfund Out	\$ 2,000	Enterprise Funds		
Transfers In	\$ -	Proprietary	\$ -	Net Position	\$ 5,797	
Transfers Out	\$ 2,000	Current Assets	\$ 5,797	PY Net Position	\$ 2,000	
Property Tax	\$ 40,204	Deferred Outflow	\$ -	Government-Wide		
Debt Service Principal	\$ -	Current Liabilities	\$ -	Total Outstanding Debt	\$ -	
Total Expenditures	\$ 165,935	Deferred Inflow	\$ -	Authorized but Unissued	\$ -	
Total Developer Advances	\$ -	Cash & Investments	\$ 5,797	Year Authorized	\$ -	
Total Developer Repayments	\$ -	Principal Expense	\$ -			

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	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	Bobby Vrba	I, Bobby Vrba, 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 <i>[Signature]</i> Date: 3-18-19 My term Expires: 2020
2	Rick Geesaman	I, Rick Geesaman, 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 <i>[Signature]</i> Date: 3/19/2019 My term Expires: 2022
3	Boyd Brown	I, Boyd Brown, 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 <i>[Signature]</i> Date: 3/19/19 My term Expires: 2020
4	Jessica Brookhart	I, Jessica Brookhart, 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 <i>[Signature]</i> Date: 3/19/19 My term Expires: 2020
5	Rich Lopez	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: 2022
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: _____

GRIFFIN & ASSOCIATES, P.C.
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

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Prescribed Form Report - Governmental Entity Financial Statements

To the Board of Directors
Gold Hill Fire Protection District
Boulder, CO 80402

The Board of Directors are responsible for the accompanying financial statements of Gold Hill Fire Protection District, which comprise the balance sheet as of December 31, 2018, and the related operating statement - revenues, and operating statement - expenditures, for the year then ended, included in the accompanying prescribed form in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have performed a compilation engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review services Committee of the AICPA. We did not audit or review the financial statements included in the accompanying prescribe form nor were we required to perform any procedures to verify the accuracy or completeness of the information provided by the Board. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion, a conclusion, nor provide any form of assurance on the financial statements included in the accompanying prescribed form.

The financial statements included in the accompanying prescribed form are presented in accordance with the Colorado Office of the State Auditor prescribed Application for Exemption From Audit forms, and are not intended to be a presentation in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of Gold Hill Fire Protection District and Colorado Office of State Auditor, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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March 10, 2019