

**APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM AUDIT
LONG FORM**

NAME OF GOVERNMENT
ADDRESS

Byers Fire Protection District
P.O. Box 85
Byers, Colorado 80103

For the Year Ended
12/31/2020
or fiscal year ended:

CONTACT PERSON
PHONE
EMAIL
FAX

303-822-5438
303-822-5551

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

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Owner
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21-Mar-21
Independent Certified Public Accountant

PREPARER (SIGNATURE REQUIRED)

Kent Beichle

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"/>	

PART 1 - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - BALANCE SHEET

* Indicate Name of Fund

NOTE: Attach additional sheets as necessary.

Please use this space to provide explanation of any items on this page

Line #	Description	Governmental Funds		Description	Proprietary/Fiduciary Funds	
		GENERAL	Fund*		PENSION	Fund*
Assets				Assets		
1-1	Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$ 1,178,851	\$ -	Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$ 275,142	\$ -
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		\$ -	\$ -	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	\$ 1,178,851	\$ -	(add lines 1-1 through 1-10) TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 275,142	\$ -
1-12	TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	\$ -	\$ -	TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	\$ -	\$ -
1-13	TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS	\$ 1,178,851	\$ -	TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS	\$ 275,142	\$ -
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)	\$ -	\$ -
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	Reserve Fund	\$ 438,659	\$ -	Emergency Reserves	\$ -	\$ -
1-33	Committed [specify...]	\$ -	\$ -	Other Designations/Reserves	\$ -	\$ -
1-34	Emergency Fund	\$ 14,541	\$ -	Restricted	\$ -	\$ -
1-35	Unassigned:	\$ 725,651	\$ -	Undesignated/Unreserved/Unrestricted	\$ 275,142	\$ -
1-36	Add lines 1-30 through 1-35 This total should be the same as line 3-33 TOTAL FUND BALANCE	\$ 1,178,851	\$ -	Add lines 1-30 through 1-35 This total should be the same as line 3-33 TOTAL NET POSITION	\$ 275,142	\$ -
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	\$ 1,178,851	\$ -	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	\$ 275,142	\$ -

PART 2 - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - OPERATING STATEMENT - REVENUES

Line #	Description	Governmental Funds		Description	Proprietary/Fiduciary Funds		
		GENERAL	Fund*		PENSION	Fund*	
Tax Revenue				Tax Revenue			
2-1	Property [Include mills levied in Question 10-6]	\$ 343,956	\$ -	Property [Include mills levied in Question 10-6]	\$ 26,773	\$ -	Please use this space to provide explanation of any items on this page
2-2	Specific Ownership	\$ 12,419	\$ -	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	\$ 356,375	\$ -	Add lines 2-1 through 2-7 TOTAL TAX REVENUE	\$ 26,773	\$ -	
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	\$ 20,820	\$ -	
2-14	Grants	\$ 3,617	\$ -	Grants	\$ -	\$ -	
2-15	Donations	\$ 8,340	\$ -	Donations	\$ -	\$ -	
2-16	Charges for Sales and Services	\$ 82,682	\$ -	Charges for Sales and Services	\$ -	\$ -	
2-17	Rental Income	\$ -	\$ -	Rental Income	\$ -	\$ -	
2-18	Fines and Forfeits	\$ -	\$ -	Fines and Forfeits	\$ -	\$ -	
2-19	Interest/Investment Income	\$ 6,084	\$ -	Interest/Investment Income	\$ 1,762	\$ -	
2-20	Tap Fees	\$ -	\$ -	Tap Fees	\$ -	\$ -	
2-21	Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assets	\$ -	\$ -	Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assets	\$ -	\$ -	
2-22	Communications	\$ 16,682	\$ -	All Other [specify...]:	\$ -	\$ -	
2-23	Miscellaneous	\$ 18,809	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
2-24	Add lines 2-8 through 2-23 TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 492,589	\$ -	Add lines 2-8 through 2-23 TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 49,355	\$ -	
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	\$ 492,589	\$ -	Add lines 2-24 and 2-28 TOTAL REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	\$ 49,355	\$ -	
							GRAND TOTALS
							\$ 541,944

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/EXPENSES

Line #	Description	Governmental Funds		Description	Proprietary/Fiduciary Funds		Please use this space to provide explanation of any items on this page
		GENERAL	Fund*		PENSION	Fund*	
Expenditures				Expenses			
3-1	General Government	\$ -	\$ -	General Operating & Administrative	\$ -	\$ -	
3-2	Judicial	\$ -	\$ -	Salaries	\$ -	\$ -	
3-3	Law Enforcement	\$ -	\$ -	Payroll Taxes	\$ -	\$ -	
3-4	Fire	\$ 389,118	\$ -	Contract Services	\$ -	\$ -	
3-5	Highways & Streets	\$ -	\$ -	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...]:	\$ -	\$ -	Contributions to Fire & Police Pension Assoc.	\$ -	\$ -	
3-12		\$ -	\$ -	Pension Payments	\$ 22,680	\$ -	
3-13		\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	
3-14	Capital Outlay	\$ 32,749	\$ -	Capital Outlay	\$ -	\$ -	
	Debt Service			Debt Service	\$ -	\$ -	
	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 TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 421,867	\$ -	Add lines 3-1 through 3-21 TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 22,680	\$ -	GRAND TOTAL
3-23	Interfund Transfers (In)	\$ -	\$ -	Net Interfund Transfers (In) Out	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 444,547
3-24	Interfund Transfers Out	\$ -	\$ -	Other [specify...][enter negative for expense]	\$ -	\$ -	
3-25	Other Expenditures (Revenues):	\$ -	\$ -	Depreciation	\$ -	\$ -	
3-26		\$ -	\$ -	Other Financing Sources (Uses) (from line 2-28)	\$ -	\$ -	
3-27		\$ -	\$ -	Capital Outlay (from line 3-14)	\$ -	\$ -	
3-28		\$ -	\$ -	Debt Principal (from line 3-15, 3-18)	\$ -	\$ -	
3-29	(Add lines 3-23 through 3-28) TOTAL TRANSFERS AND OTHER EXPENDITURES	\$ -	\$ -	(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	\$ 70,722	\$ -	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	\$ 26,675	\$ -	
3-31	Fund Balance, January 1 from December 31 prior year report	\$ 1,108,129	\$ -	Net Position, January 1 from December 31 prior year report	\$ 248,467	\$ -	
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.	\$ 1,178,851	\$ -	Net Position, December 31 Line 3-30 plus line 3-31 This total should be the same as line 1-36.	\$ 275,142	\$ -	

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.

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|--|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | 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: | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4-3 Is the entity current in its debt service payments? If no, MUST explain: | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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)

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

*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? | <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? | \$ - | |

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	\$ 876,690		Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:
5-2 Certificates of deposit	\$ 577,303		
TOTAL CASH DEPOSITS		\$ 1,453,993	

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

	\$ -		
	\$ -		
	\$ -		
	\$ -		
TOTAL INVESTMENTS		\$ -	
TOTAL CASH AND INVESTMENTS		\$ 1,453,993	

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 type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" 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"/> |

PART 6 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box

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

Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:

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	\$ 2,047,143	\$ 32,749	\$ -	\$ 2,079,892
Furniture and fixtures	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Infrastructure	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Construction In Progress (CIP)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Other (explain):	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Accumulated Depreciation (Enter a negative, or credit, balance)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ 2,047,143	\$ 32,749	\$ -	\$ 2,079,892

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

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.):

State contribution amount:

Other (gifts, donations, etc.):

TOTAL

\$	26,773
\$	20,820
\$	-
\$	47,593
\$	90

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

Please use this space to provide any explanations or comments:

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:
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/Expenses			
General		\$	433,900		
Pension		\$	35,000		
		\$	-		
		\$	-		

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: 30px;" 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: 300px; height: 25px;" type="text"/> PRIOR name <input style="width: 300px; height: 25px;" 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: 400px; height: 25px;" type="text" value="Fire and Ambulance Services"/>	<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: 400px; height: 25px;" type="text" value="Adams, Arapahoe and Morgan Counties Sheriff Dept. Bennett, Strasburg and Deer Trail Fire Dept."/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input 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	6.774	
		Total mills	6.774	

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	\$ 1,453,993	Unrestricted Fund Balan	\$ 740,192	Total Tax Revenue	\$ 356,375	
Current Liabilities	\$ -	Total Fund Balance	\$ 1,178,851	Revenue Paying Debt Service	\$ -	
Deferred Inflow	\$ -	PY Fund Balance	\$ 1,108,129	Total Revenue	\$ 492,589	
		Total Revenue	\$ 492,589	Total Debt Service Principal	\$ -	
		Total Expenditures	\$ 421,867	Total Debt Service Interest	\$ -	
		Interfund In	\$ -			
		Interfund Out	\$ -	Enterprise Funds		
Governmental		Proprietary		Net Position	\$ 275,142	
Total Cash & Investments	\$ 1,178,851	- Current Assets	\$ 275,142	PY Net Position	\$ 248,467	
Transfers In	\$ -	Deferred Outflow	\$ -	Government-Wide		
Transfers Out	\$ -	- Current Liabilities	\$ -	- Total Outstanding Debt	\$ -	
Property Tax	\$ 343,956	Deferred Inflow	\$ -	- Authorized but Unissued	\$ -	
Debt Service Principal	\$ -	- Cash & Investments	\$ 275,142	Year Authorized	\$ 1/0/1900	
Total Expenditures	\$ 421,867	- Principal Expense	\$ -			
Total Developer Advances	\$ -					
Total Developer Repayments	\$ -					

PART 12 - GOVERNING BODY APPROVAL

Please answer the following question by marking in the appropriate box

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

YES

NO

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 body. By signing, each individual member is certifying they are a duly elected or appointed officer of the local government. Governing members may be verified. Also by signing, the individual 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 members of the governing body below.

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

	Full Name	A MAJORITY of the members of the governing body must complete and sign in the column below.
1	Dale Wade Ness	I, <u>Dale Wade Ness</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>Dale Wade Ness</u> Date: <u>3-26-21</u> My term Expires: <u>5/28/23</u>
2	Michael Joseph Gierunatowski	I, <u>Michael Joseph Gierunatowski</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>Michael Joseph Gierunatowski</u> Date: <u>3/26-21</u> My term Expires: <u>May 2023</u>
3	Shawn Daniel Palmer	I, <u>Shawn Daniel Palmer</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>Shawn Daniel Palmer</u> Date: <u>3/27/2021</u> My term Expires: <u>May 2022</u>
4	Michael Timothy Nail	I, <u>Michael Timothy Nail</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>Michael Timothy Nail</u> Date: <u>3/28/2021</u> My term Expires: <u>May 2023</u>
5	Robert James Shelley	I, <u>Robert James Shelley</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>Robert James Shelley</u> Date: <u>3/29/2021</u> My term Expires: <u>May 2022</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: _____

BYERS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #9

RESOLUTION 2021 - 02

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPLICATION FOR AUDIT EXEMPTION FOR THE BYERS
FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, FOR FISCAL YEAR 2020.**

WHEREAS, the Byers Fire Protection District #9 ("District") is a quasi-municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of Colorado, operating and existing pursuant to Title 32 of the Colorado Revised Statutes, and, therefore, is subject to the Colorado Local Government Audit Law § 29-1-601 *et seq.*, C.R.S.; and

WHEREAS, the District wishes to claim an exemption to the audit requirements of § 29-1-603, C.R.S.; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to § 29-1-604, C.R.S., any local government with revenues or expenditures in excess of \$100,000, but less than \$750,000, may qualify for an audit exemption, with the approval of the state auditor; and

WHEREAS, neither revenue nor expenditures for the District exceeded \$750,000 in fiscal year 2020; and

WHEREAS, an application for audit exemption has been prepared by Kent Beichle, an accountant with knowledge in government accounting; and

WHEREAS, the application for audit exemption was prepared in accordance with regulations issued by the state auditor.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE BYERS
FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT:**

Section 1. The application for audit exemption for the District's 2020 fiscal year has been reviewed and approved by a majority of the Board, as confirmed by the signatures below.

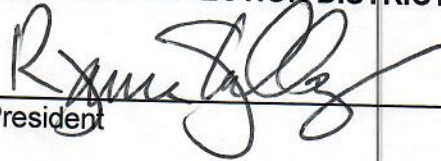
Section 2. This Resolution shall be attached to and incorporated in the application for audit exemption for the District's 2020 fiscal year.

Section 3. If any provision of this Resolution is deemed void or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, such provision shall be deemed severable, and shall be removed from this Resolution without affect to the remaining provisions.

[Signature Page Follows]

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 12th day of April, 2021.

BYERS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #9

By: 
President

ATTEST:


Secretary

<u>Board Member</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>	<u>Signature</u>
R. James Shelley	May 2022	<u></u>
Shawn Palmer	May 2022	<u></u>
Mike Gierwatoski	May 2022	<u></u>
Dale Ness	May 2023	<u></u>
Michael Nail	May 2023	<u></u>