

PLATEAU VALLEY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

GENERAL FUND BUDGET

2025

A LETTER OF BUDGET TRANSMITTAL

Plateau Valley Fire Protection District
P.O. Box 210
Mesa, CO 81643

December 12, 2024

Division of Local Government
1313 Sherman Street, Room 521
Denver, CO 80203

Attached is the 2025 budget for the Plateau Valley Fire Protection District in Mesa County, submitted pursuant to Section 29-1-113, C.R.S. This budget was adopted on December 12, 2024. If there are any questions regarding the budget, please contact Fire Chief, Kevin Henderson at 970-268-5283 and P.O. Box 210, Mesa, Colorado 81643.


The mill levy certified to the county Commissioners is 4.669 for all general operating purposes; .500 mills for pension fund purposes (voter approved pension levy exempted from Tabor and 5.5% limitations.) Based on an assessed valuation of \$164,270,470 the property tax revenue subject to statutory limitation is \$766,979 for general operating purposes and \$82,135 for pension purposes. A copy of the certification of mill levies sent to the County Commissioners is enclosed.

I hereby certify that the enclosed is a true and accurate copy of the budget and certification of tax levies to the Board of County Commissioners.

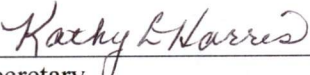
Signatures of Officers & Titles:



President



Vice-President



Secretary



Board Member



Board Member

**PLATEAU VALLEY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND BUDGET
January 1 to December 31, 2025**

	ACTUAL		ESTIMATED	
	2023	BUDGET 2024	ACTUAL 2024	BUDGET 2025
ESTIMATED REVENUES				
Property Taxes - General Levy	\$ 932,962	\$ 972,471	\$ 972,471	\$ 766,979
Property Taxes - Pension Levy	\$ 99,875	\$ 104,141	\$ 104,141	\$ 82,135
Property Tax Backfill	\$ -	\$ 56,362	\$ 47,656	\$ 40,000
Specific Ownership Taxes	\$ 130,549	\$ 135,000	\$ 127,000	\$ 97,900
Public Safety Tax	\$ 13,943	\$ 14,500	\$ 14,200	\$ 15,000
Investment Income	\$ 49,426	\$ 89,500	\$ 64,600	\$ 60,000
Ambulance Fees Net of Adjustments	\$ 315,403	\$ 271,500	\$ 375,000	\$ 385,000
Grants/Miscellaneous	\$ 27,963	\$ 292,500	\$ 138,103	\$ 290,000
Total Available Revenues	\$ 1,570,121	\$ 1,935,974	\$ 1,843,171	\$ 1,737,014

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES

General & Administrative

Accounting & Legal Fees	\$ 47,914	\$ 57,900	\$ 56,800	\$ 59,800
Advertising	\$ -	\$ 1,100	\$ 300	\$ 500
Audit Fees	\$ 4,700	\$ 5,000	\$ 6,300	\$ 6,500
Billing Service Fees	\$ 20,538	\$ 25,000	\$ 14,992	\$ 15,750
Director Fees	\$ 7,900	\$ 8,300	\$ 12,800	\$ 12,800
Dues & Donations	\$ 2,787	\$ 4,400	\$ 5,022	\$ 5,200
Election Costs	\$ 1,501	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 20,000
Employee Recognition	\$ -	\$ 2,900	\$ 2,940	\$ 3,100
Human Resource Expense	\$ 765	\$ 1,750	\$ 841	\$ 1,750
Insurance	\$ 151,195	\$ 224,445	\$ 185,000	\$ 233,775
IT & Maintenance Contracts	\$ 23,098	\$ 27,050	\$ 65,120	\$ 34,125
Medical Service - Personnel	\$ 4,131	\$ 5,250	\$ 2,141	\$ 5,000
License Fee - Transport Fee	\$ 3,140	\$ 2,100	\$ 2,270	\$ 2,350
Office Supplies	\$ 1,148	\$ 1,650	\$ 2,018	\$ 2,100
Office Equipment	\$ 363	\$ 1,100	\$ 1,100	\$ 2,500
Retention & Recognition - Volunteers	\$ 6,245	\$ 9,820	\$ 9,820	\$ 10,000
Treasurers Fees - General Levy	\$ 18,651	\$ 19,449	\$ 19,449	\$ 15,340
Treasurers Fees - Pension Levy	\$ 1,997	\$ 2,083	\$ 2,083	\$ 1,643
Tax Abatement Expense	\$ 779	\$ 1,000	\$ 756	\$ 1,000
Utilities	\$ 34,325	\$ 45,000	\$ 34,812	\$ 37,300
Volunteer Pension Contribution	\$ 97,879	\$ 104,070	\$ 104,070	\$ 80,439
Wages & Payroll Expenses	\$ 567,681	\$ 809,750	\$ 677,807	\$ 930,000
Total General & Administrative Expenditures	\$ 996,737	\$ 1,359,117	\$ 1,206,441	\$ 1,480,972

**PLATEAU VALLEY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND BUDGET
January 1 to December 31, 2025**

	ACTUAL	BUDGET	ESTIMATED	BUDGET
	<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>2025</u>
<u>Operating</u>				
Bad Debt	\$ 169,759	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000
Building Repairs & Maintenance	\$ 17,709	\$ 25,000	\$ 23,151	\$ 25,000
Chemicals	\$ 416	\$ 1,100	\$ 746	\$ 1,100
Communications	\$ 13,383	\$ 15,250	\$ 13,791	\$ 15,000
Crew Quarters Supplies, Equipment	\$ 957	\$ 3,850	\$ 3,638	\$ 3,850
EMS Equipment	\$ 6,564	\$ 6,750	\$ 6,257	\$ 6,750
EMS Supplies/Drugs	\$ 11,763	\$ 19,000	\$ 12,834	\$ 13,300
Fire Fighting Equipment	\$ 16,844	\$ 19,500	\$ 7,965	\$ 8,300
Fire Support	\$ 538	\$ 10,000	\$ 1,487	\$ 10,000
Community Relations and Education	\$ 1,921	\$ 3,000	\$ 2,389	\$ 3,000
Fuel	\$ 20,562	\$ 25,300	\$ 17,715	\$ 25,300
Janitorial Supplies	\$ 1,011	\$ 2,750	\$ 1,297	\$ 1,400
Meals	\$ 8,479	\$ 12,500	\$ 8,132	\$ 12,500
Miscellaneous Expense	\$ -	\$ 2,000	\$ -	\$ 2,000
Motor Vehicle Parts & Service	\$ 12,209	\$ 25,250	\$ 33,661	\$ 34,700
Operating Supplies	\$ 1,421	\$ 2,750	\$ 2,750	\$ 2,900
Other Equipment Parts & Service	\$ 6,982	\$ 6,950	\$ 8,293	\$ 8,550
Postage & Freight	\$ 8	\$ 550	\$ 324	\$ 550
Radio Repairs & Supplies	\$ 428	\$ 4,400	\$ 1,489	\$ 2,500
Small Tools	\$ 1,679	\$ 5,465	\$ 2,011	\$ 5,000
Training Expenses	\$ 17,444	\$ 30,000	\$ 9,623	\$ 30,000
Travel Expenses	\$ 454	\$ 4,400	\$ 2,687	\$ 4,000
Uniforms/Cold Weather Gear	\$ 8,810	\$ 16,000	\$ 12,832	\$ 16,000
Total Operating Expenditures	<u>\$ 319,341</u>	<u>\$ 316,765</u>	<u>\$ 248,072</u>	<u>\$ 306,700</u>
Capital Expenditures	<u>\$ 185,773</u>	<u>\$ 371,000</u>	<u>\$ 55,000</u>	<u>\$ 511,000</u>
Total Expenditures	<u>\$ 1,501,851</u>	<u>\$ 2,046,882</u>	<u>\$ 1,509,513</u>	<u>\$ 2,298,672</u>
Increase (Decrease) in Reserves	\$ 68,270	\$ (110,908)	\$ 333,658	\$ (561,658)
Fund Balance, Beginning	<u>\$ 1,093,556</u>	<u>\$ 1,266,860</u>	<u>\$ 1,161,826</u>	<u>\$ 1,495,484</u>
Fund Balance, Ending	<u>\$ 1,161,826</u>	<u>\$ 1,155,952</u>	<u>\$ 1,495,484</u>	<u>\$ 933,826</u>
Restricted for TABOR	\$ 47,100	\$ 44,000	\$ 55,500	\$ 69,000
Unrestricted	<u>\$ 1,114,726</u>	<u>\$ 1,111,952</u>	<u>\$ 1,439,984</u>	<u>\$ 864,826</u>
Fund Balance, Ending	<u>\$ 1,161,826</u>	<u>\$ 1,155,952</u>	<u>\$ 1,495,484</u>	<u>\$ 933,826</u>

BUDGET MESSAGE

PLATEAU VALLEY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

The attached 2025 Budget for Plateau Valley Fire Protection District includes these important features:

1. The budgetary basis of accounting used in the budget is the modified accrual basis. Revenues are recognized when they become available and measurable. Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related fund liability is incurred.
2. Estimated Fund Revenues include property taxes collected by Mesa County Treasurer. Ambulance fees are charges for emergency medical services. Interest Income is earned revenue on cash investments. The Grant Fund/Miscellaneous Revenues includes grant funds to assist with purchasing equipment.
3. Estimated Expenditures consist of general, administrative, and operating expenditures anticipated for the next calendar year. No significant changes are expected to arise in the 2025 budget year.
4. The major capital expenditure for 2024 was the purchase of a cab and chassis for a brush truck. During 2025 the District is planning to install a station vehicle exhaust ventilation system primarily with grant funds that were awarded during 2024. The District is also planning the purchase of a replacement chief vehicle and battery powered extrication equipment.
5. The Pension Fund is the result of approval by the District's voters on November 7, 2000 of a .500 mill levy increase to fund a retirement fund for the volunteer fire and emergency personnel. The retirement fund is administered by FPPA.
6. Reserves consist of funds set aside for the future needs of the District including funds for capital improvements.

The budgetary basis of accounting is:

- Cash basis
- Modified accrual basis
- Encumbrance basis
- Accrual basis

The District's major operation is to provide fire protection and emergency medical services to the Plateau Valley area. The District does not exercise oversight control over any other known entities.

RESOLUTION TO ADOPT BUDGET

A RESOLUTION SUMMARIZING EXPENDITURES AND REVENUES FOR EACH FUND AND ADOPTING A BUDGET FOR THE PLATEAU VALLEY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, MESA, COLORADO, FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR BEGINNING ON THE FIRST DAY OF JANUARY 2025 AND ENDING ON THE LAST DAY OF DECEMBER 2025.

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of Plateau Valley Fire Protection District has appointed Shannon L. Currier, Certified Public Accountant, to prepare and submit a proposed budget to said governing body at the proper time, and;

WHEREAS, Shannon L. Currier, Certified Public Accountant, has submitted a proposed budget to this governing body on October 10, 2024, for its consideration, and;

WHEREAS, upon due and proper notice, published in accordance with the law, said proposed budget was open for inspection by the public at a designated place, public hearing was held on November 14, 2024, and interested taxpayers were given the opportunity to file or register any objections to said proposed budget, and;

WHEREAS, whatever increases may have been made in the expenditures, like increases were added to the revenues or planned to be expended from reserves/fund balances so that the budget remains in balance, as required by law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE PLATEAU VALLEY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, MESA, COLORADO:

Section 1. That the budget as submitted, amended, and summarized by fund, hereby is approved and adopted as the budget of the Plateau Valley Fire Protection District for the year stated above.

Section 2. That the budget hereby approved and adopted shall be signed by the President and Vice President and made a part of the public records of the County.

ADOPTED, this Twelfth day of December 2024.

Attest: 

President



Vice President

CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVIES for NON-SCHOOL Governments

TO: County Commissioners¹ of Mesa County, Colorado.

On behalf of the Plateau Valley Fire Protection District,

(taxing entity)^A

the Board of Directors

(governing body)^B

of the Plateau Valley Fire Protection District

(local government)^C

Hereby officially certifies the following mills to be levied against the taxing entity's GROSS \$ 164,270,470 assessed valuation of: (GROSS^D assessed valuation, Line 2 of the Certification of Valuation Form DLG 57^E)

Note: If the assessor certified a NET assessed valuation (AV) different than the GROSS AV due to a Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Area^F the tax levies must be calculated using the NET AV. The taxing entity's total property tax revenue will be derived from the mill levy multiplied against the NET assessed valuation of: \$ 164,270,470 (NET^G assessed valuation, Line 4 of the Certification of Valuation Form DLG 57) USE VALUE FROM FINAL CERTIFICATION OF VALUATION PROVIDED BY ASSESSOR NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 10

Submitted: 12/12/2024 for budget/fiscal year 2025
(no later than Dec. 15) (mm/dd/yyyy) (yyyy)

PURPOSE (see end notes for definitions and examples)	LEVY ²	REVENUE ²
1. General Operating Expenses ^H	<u>4.669</u> mills	\$ <u>766,979</u>
2. <Minus> Temporary General Property Tax Credit/ Temporary Mill Levy Rate Reduction ^I	< <u> </u> > mills	\$ < <u> </u> >
SUBTOTAL FOR GENERAL OPERATING:	<u>4.669</u> mills	<u>\$ 766,979</u>
3. General Obligation Bonds and Interest ^J	<u> </u> mills	\$ <u> </u>
4. Contractual Obligations ^K	<u> </u> mills	\$ <u> </u>
5. Capital Expenditures ^L	<u> </u> mills	\$ <u> </u>
6. Refunds/Abatements ^M	<u> </u> mills	\$ <u> </u>
7. Other ^N (specify): <u>Voter approved Pension Levy</u>	<u>0.500</u> mills	\$ <u>82,135</u>
<u>exempt from Tabor & 5.5% Limits</u>	<u> </u> mills	\$ <u> </u>
TOTAL: [Sum of General Operating Subtotal and Lines 3 to 7]	<u>5.169</u> mills	<u>\$ 849,114</u>

Contact person: (print) Shannon L Currier Daytime phone: () 970-487-3428
Signed: Shannon L Currier Title: Certified Public Accountant

Include one copy of this tax entity's completed form when filing the local government's budget by January 31st, per 29-1-113 C.R.S., with the Division of Local Government (DLG), Room 521, 1313 Sherman Street, Denver, CO 80203. Questions? Call DLG at (303) 864-7720.

¹ If the taxing entity's boundaries include more than one county, you must certify the levies to each county. Use a separate form for each county and certify the same levies uniformly to each county per Article X, Section 3 of the Colorado Constitution.
² Levies must be rounded to three decimal places and revenue must be calculated from the total NET assessed valuation (Line 4 of Form DLG57 on the County Assessor's FINAL certification of valuation).

CERTIFICATION OF TAX LEVIES, continued

THIS SECTION APPLIES TO TITLE 32, ARTICLE 1 SPECIAL DISTRICTS THAT LEVY TAXES FOR PAYMENT OF GENERAL OBLIGATION DEBT (32-1-1603 C.R.S.). Taxing entities that are Special Districts or Subdistricts of Special Districts must certify separate mill levies and revenues to the Board of County Commissioners, one each for the funding requirements of each debt (32-1-1603, C.R.S.) Use additional pages as necessary. The Special District's or Subdistrict's total levies for general obligation bonds and total levies for contractual obligations should be recorded on Page 1, Lines 3 and 4 respectively.

CERTIFY A SEPARATE MILL LEVY FOR EACH BOND OR CONTRACT:

BONDS^J:

1. Purpose of Issue: _____
Series: _____
Date of Issue: _____
Coupon Rate: _____
Maturity Date: _____
Levy: _____
Revenue: _____

2. Purpose of Issue: _____
Series: _____
Date of Issue: _____
Coupon Rate: _____
Maturity Date: _____
Levy: _____
Revenue: _____

CONTRACTS^K:

3. Purpose of Contract: _____
Title: _____
Date: _____
Principal Amount: _____
Maturity Date: _____
Levy: _____
Revenue: _____

4. Purpose of Contract: _____
Title: _____
Date: _____
Principal Amount: _____
Maturity Date: _____
Levy: _____
Revenue: _____

Use multiple copies of this page as necessary to separately report all bond and contractual obligations per 32-1-1603, C.R.S.

Notes:

^A **Taxing Entity**—A jurisdiction authorized by law to impose ad valorem property taxes on taxable property located within its territorial limits (please see notes B, C, and H below). For purposes of the DLG 70 only, a *taxing entity* is also a geographic area formerly located within a *taxing entity*'s boundaries for which the county assessor certifies a valuation for assessment and which is responsible for payment of its share until retirement of financial obligations incurred by the *taxing entity* when the area was part of the *taxing entity*. For example: an area of excluded property formerly within a special district with outstanding general obligation debt at the time of the exclusion or the area located within the former boundaries of a dissolved district whose outstanding general obligation debt service is administered by another local government^C.

^B **Governing Body**—The board of county commissioners, the city council, the board of trustees, the board of directors, or the board of any other entity that is responsible for the certification of the *taxing entity*'s mill levy. For example: the board of county commissioners is the governing board ex officio of a county public improvement district (PID); the board of a water and sanitation district constitutes ex officio the board of directors of the water subdistrict.

^C **Local Government** - For purposes of this line on Page 1 of the DLG 70, the *local government* is the political subdivision under whose authority and within whose boundaries the *taxing entity* was created. The *local government* is authorized to levy property taxes on behalf of the *taxing entity*. For example, for the purposes of this form:

1. a municipality is both the *local government* and the *taxing entity* when levying its own levy for its entire jurisdiction;
2. a city is the *local government* when levying a tax on behalf of a business improvement district (BID) *taxing entity* which it created and whose city council is the BID board;
3. a fire district is the *local government* if it created a subdistrict, the *taxing entity*, on whose behalf the fire district levies property taxes.
4. a town is the *local government* when it provides the service for a dissolved water district and the town board serves as the board of a dissolved water district, the *taxing entity*, for the purpose of certifying a levy for the annual debt service on outstanding obligations.

^D **GROSS Assessed Value** - There will be a difference between gross assessed valuation and net assessed valuation reported by the county assessor only if there is a "tax increment financing" entity (see below), such as a downtown development authority or an urban renewal authority, within the boundaries of the *taxing entity*. The board of county commissioners certifies each *taxing entity*'s total mills upon the *taxing entity*'s *Gross Assessed Value* found on Line 2 of Form DLG 57.

^E **Certification of Valuation by County Assessor, Form DLG 57** - The county assessor(s) uses this form (or one similar) to provide valuation for assessment information to a *taxing entity*. The county assessor must provide this certification no later than August 25th each year and may amend it, one time, prior to December 10th. Each entity must use the **FINAL** valuation provided by assessor when certifying a tax levy.

^F **TIF Area**—A downtown development authority (DDA) or urban renewal authority (URA), may form plan areas that use "tax increment financing" to derive revenue from increases in assessed valuation (gross minus net, Form DLG 57 Line 3) attributed to the activities/improvements within the plan area. The DDA or URA receives the differential revenue of each overlapping *taxing entity*'s mill levy applied against the *taxing entity*'s gross assessed value after subtracting the *taxing entity*'s revenues derived from its mill levy applied against the net assessed value.

^G **NET Assessed Value**—The total taxable assessed valuation from which the *taxing entity* will derive revenues for its uses. It is found on Line 4 of Form DLG 57. **Please Note:** A downtown development authority (DDA) may be both a *taxing entity* and have also created its own *TIF area* and/or have a URA *TIF Area* within the DDA's boundaries. As a result DDAs may both receive operating revenue from their levy applied to their certified *NET assessed value* and also receive TIF revenue generated by any *tax entity* levies overlapping the DDA's *TIF Area*, including the DDA's own operating levy.

^H General Operating Expenses (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 1)—The levy and accompanying revenue reported on Line 1 is for general operations and includes, in aggregate, all levies for and revenues raised by a *taxing entity* for purposes not lawfully exempted and detailed in Lines 3 through 7 on Page 1 of the DLG 70. For example: a fire pension levy is included in general operating expenses, unless the pension is voter-approved, if voter-approved, use Line 7 (Other).

^I Temporary Tax Credit for Operations (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 2)—The Temporary General Property Tax Credit/ Temporary Mill Levy Rate Reduction of 39-1-111.5, C.R.S. may be applied to the *taxing entity*'s levy for general operations to effect refunds. Temporary Tax Credits (TTCs) are not applicable to other types of levies (non-general operations) certified on this form because these levies are adjusted from year to year as specified by the provisions of any contract or schedule of payments established for the payment of any obligation incurred by the *taxing entity* per 29-1-301(1.7), C.R.S., or they are certified as authorized at election per 29-1-302(2)(b), C.R.S.

^J General Obligation Bonds and Interest (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 3)—Enter on this line the total levy required to pay the annual debt service of all general obligation bonds. Per 29-1-301(1.7) C.R.S., the amount of revenue levied for this purpose cannot be greater than the amount of revenue required for such purpose as specified by the provisions of any contract or schedule of payments. Title 32, Article 1 Special districts and subdistricts must complete Page 2 of the DLG 70.

^K Contractual Obligation (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 4)—If repayment of a contractual obligation with property tax has been approved at election and it is not a general obligation bond (shown on Line 3), the mill levy is entered on this line. Per 29-1-301(1.7) C.R.S., the amount of revenue levied for this purpose cannot be greater than the amount of revenue required for such purpose as specified by the provisions of any contract or schedule of payments.

^L Capital Expenditures (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 5)—These revenues are not subject to the statutory property tax revenue limit if they are approved by counties and municipalities through public hearings pursuant to 29-1-301(1.2) C.R.S. and for special districts through approval from the Division of Local Government pursuant to 29-1-302(1.5) C.R.S. or for any *taxing entity* if approved at election. Only levies approved by these methods should be entered on Line 5.

^M Refunds/Abatements (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 6)—The county assessor reports on the *Certification of Valuation* (DLG 57 Line 11) the amount of revenue from property tax that the local government did not receive in the prior year because taxpayers were given refunds for taxes they had paid or they were given abatements for taxes originally charged to them due to errors made in their property valuation. The local government was due the tax revenue and would have collected it through an adjusted mill levy if the valuation errors had not occurred. Since the government was due the revenue, it may levy, in the subsequent year, a mill to collect the refund/abatement revenue. An abatement/refund mill levy may generate revenues up to, but not exceeding, the refund/abatement amount from Form DLG 57 Line 11.

1. Please Note: Pursuant to Article X, Section 3 of the Colorado Constitution, if the *taxing entity* is in more than one county, as with all levies, the abatement levy must be uniform throughout the entity's boundaries and certified the same to each county. To calculate the abatement/refund levy for a *taxing entity* that is located in more than one county, first total the abatement/refund amounts reported by each county assessor, then divide by the *taxing entity*'s total net assessed value, then multiply by 1,000 and round down to the nearest three decimals to prevent levying for more revenue than was abated/refunded. This results in an abatement/refund mill levy that will be uniformly certified to all of the counties in which the *taxing entity* is located even though the abatement/refund did not occur in all the counties.

^N Other (DLG 70 Page 1 Line 7)—Report other levies and revenue not subject to 29-1-301 C.R.S. that were not reported above. For example: a levy for the purposes of television relay or translator facilities as specified in sections 29-7-101, 29-7-102, and 29-7-105 and 32-1-1005 (1) (a), C.R.S.; a voter-approved fire pension levy; a levy for special purposes such as developmental disabilities, open space, etc.

RESOLUTION TO SET MILL LEVIES

A RESOLUTION LEVYING PROPERTY TAXES FOR THE YEAR 2024, TO HELP DEFRAY THE COSTS OF GOVERNMENT FOR THE PLATEAU VALLEY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, MESA, COLORADO, FOR THE 2025 BUDGET YEAR.

WHEREAS, the Board of directors of the Plateau Valley Fire Protection District, has adopted the annual budget in accordance with the Local Government Budget Law, on December 12, 2024, and:

WHEREAS, the amount of money necessary to balance the budget for **general operating** purposes from property tax revenue is \$766,979 and;

WHEREAS, the amount of money necessary to balance the budget for the voter approved **pension fund** is \$82,135 and;

WHEREAS, the 2024 valuation for assessment for the Plateau Valley Fire Protection District as certified by the County Assessor is \$164,270,470.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE PLATEAU VALLEY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, MESA, COLORADO:


Section 1. That for the purpose of meeting all general operating expenditures of the Plateau Valley Fire Protection District during the 2025 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of 4.669 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation for assessment of all taxable property within the District for the year 2024.

Section 2. That for the purpose of meeting all payments for the voter approved pension fund of the Plateau Valley Fire Protection District during the 2025 budget year, there is hereby levied a tax of .500 mills upon each dollar of the total valuation for assessment of all taxable property within the District for the year 2024.

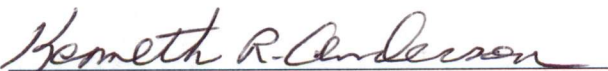
Section 3. That the District's Accountant is hereby authorized and directed to immediately certify to the County Commissioners of Mesa County, Colorado, the mill levies for the Plateau Valley Fire Protection District as herein above determined and set based upon final (December) certification of valuation from the county Assessor.

ADOPTED, this Twelfth day of December 2024.

Attest:



President



Vice President

RESOLUTION TO APPROPRIATE SUMS OF MONEY

A RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING SUMS OF MONEY TO THE VARIOUS FUNDS AND SPENDING AGENCIES, IN THE AMOUNT AND FOR THE PURPOSE AS SET FORTH BELOW, FOR THE PLATEAU VALLEY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, MESA, COLORADO, FOR THE 2025 BUDGET YEAR.

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors has adopted the annual budget in accordance with the Local Government Budget Law, on December 12, 2024, and;

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors has made provisions therein for revenues in an amount equal to or greater than the total proposed expenditures as set forth in said budget, and;

WHEREAS, it is not only required by law, but also necessary to appropriate the revenues and reserves or fund balances provided in the budget to and for the purposes described below, thereby establishing a limitation on expenditures for the operations of the District.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE PLATEAU VALLEY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, MESA, COLORADO:

Section 1. That the following sums are hereby appropriated from the revenue of each fund, to each fund, for the purposes stated:


General Fund Current Operating Expenditures	<u>\$2,298,672</u>
Total General Fund	<u>\$2,298,672</u>

Section 2. Designation of Ending Fund Balances as Reserves. Pursuant to Const. Colo. Article X, Section 20, if the same is applicable to the District, the December 31, 2024 ending fund balance of the General Fund, the exact amount to be determined as part of the audit of the December 31, 2024 financial statements, is designated as a general reserve for future contingencies

ADOPTED, this Twelfth day of December 2024.



President



Vice President

Attest: 

Secretary

Plateau Valley Fire Protection District
P.O. Box 210
Mesa, CO 81643

December 12, 2024

Mesa County
544 Rood Avenue
Grand Junction, CO 81501

Subject: Budget Year 2025 Mill Levy Information Submission in accordance with HB 24-1302 and C.R.S. 39-1-125

Taxing Entity Information

- **Taxing Entity:** Plateau Valley Fire Protection District
- **County:** Mesa County
- **DOLA Local Government ID Number:** 390398/1
- **Budget Year:** 2025

Mill Levy Information

- **Mill Levy Name or Purpose:** General Mill Levy
- **Mill Levy Rate (Mills):** 4.669
- **Previous Year Mill Levy Rate (Mills):** 4.669
- **Previous Year Mill Levy Revenue Collected:** Budgeted Amount \$972,471
- **Mill Levy Maximum Without Further Voter Approval:** 4.669
- **Allowable Annual Growth in Mill Levy Revenue:**
- **Actual Growth in Mill Levy Revenue Over the Prior Year:** \$0
- **Voter-Approved Revenue Change (TABOR):** No
- **Subject to Statutory Property Tax Limit (5.5%):** No
- **Subject to Other Limits on Annual Revenue Growth:** No
- **Need for Mill Levy Adjustment or Reduction:** No
 - **Adjustment Amount (if applicable):** \$0
- **Other or Additional Information:** The 5.5% Limit and Tabor Limit were waived at election on November 7, 2006.

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Sincerely,



Brandon Bruton
Board President

Plateau Valley Fire Protection District
P.O. Box 210
Mesa, CO 81643

December 12, 2024

Mesa County
544 Rood Avenue
Grand Junction, CO 81501

Subject: Budget Year 2025 Mill Levy Information Submission in accordance with HB 24-1302 and C.R.S. 39-1-125

Taxing Entity Information

- **Taxing Entity:** Plateau Valley Fire Protection District
- **County:** Mesa County
- **DOLA Local Government ID Number:** 390398/1
- **Budget Year:** 2025

Mill Levy Information

- **Mill Levy Name or Purpose:** Pension Mill Levy
- **Mill Levy Rate (Mills):** 0.500
- **Previous Year Mill Levy Rate (Mills):** 0.500
- **Previous Year Mill Levy Revenue Collected:** Budgeted Amount \$104,141
- **Mill Levy Maximum Without Further Voter Approval:** 0.500
- **Allowable Annual Growth in Mill Levy Revenue:**
- **Actual Growth in Mill Levy Revenue Over the Prior Year:** \$0
- **Voter-Approved Revenue Change (TABOR):** No
- **Subject to Statutory Property Tax Limit (5.5%):** No
- **Subject to Other Limits on Annual Revenue Growth:** No
- **Need for Mill Levy Adjustment or Reduction:** No
 - **Adjustment Amount (if applicable):** \$0
- **Other or Additional Information:** The Pension Levy was approved by the District's voters on November 7, 2000 with no restrictions related to the 5.5% Limit or the Tabor Limit.

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