

RESOLUTION 82-2024

WHEREAS, pursuant to C.R.S. 39-5-128, special districts within Washington County must certify to the Board of County Commissioners the levy of said special districts for the ensuing fiscal year (2025); and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners has received said certifications from the hereinafter described special districts; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to C.R.S. 39-1-111, the Board of County Commissioners must levy taxes for special districts as provided by law no later than December 16, 2024, and;

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners is desirous of levying said taxes at this time.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Washington County that there shall be and there is hereby levied against all taxable property, real, personal and mixed, tangible and intangible, not exempt by law within the corporate limits of each of the following special districts, the following taxes, to wit:

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| COPE RURAL FIRE DISTRICT | 3.410 | \$27,985.00 |
| AKRON RURAL FIRE DISTRICT | 2.311 | \$66,586.00 |
| OTIS RURAL FIRE DISTRICT | 2.125 | \$82,767.00 |
| YUMA RURAL FIRE DISTRICT | 2.098 | \$35,561.00 |
| BRUSH RURAL FIRE DISTRICT | 3.513 | \$2,649.00 |
| HILLROSE RURAL FIRE DISTRICT | 7.719 | \$20,507.00 |
| SW WASHINGTON COUNTY RURAL FIRE DIST. | 1.900 | \$99,774.00 |
| NORTHERN COLO. WATER CONS. DIST. | 1.000 | \$3,626.00 |
| LOWER SOUTH PLATTE WATER CONS. DIST | 0.500 | \$1,834.00 |
| W-Y GROUNDWATER MGMT. DISTRICT | 0.345 | \$12,469.00 |
| ARIKAREE GROUNDWATER MGMT. DIST. | 0.264 | \$5,303.00 |
| MORGAN COUNTY QUALITY WATER | 0.824 | \$400.00 |
| OTIS SANITATION DISTRICT | 2.533 | \$4,273.00 |
| WASHINGTON COUNTY PEST CONTROL | 1.750 | \$69,542.00 |
| YUMA CONSERVATION DISTRICT | 0.500 | \$2.00 |

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners of Washington County in certifying the mill levies of the aforementioned special districts is performing a ministerial and non-discretionary act to comply with the requirements of Sections 39-1-111 and 39-5-128, C.R.S.; that the Board of County Commissioners has no authority to modify the mill levies so certified to it; that the Board of County Commissioners has presumed that the aforementioned special districts have complied with the Colorado constitutional and statutory requirements concerning said levies; and

with the Colorado constitutional and statutory requirements concerning said levies; and therefore, that the Board of County Commissioners assumes no liability or responsibility associated with any levy of any of the above-noted special districts except for the ministerial, non-discretionary act of certification.

Certified this 17th day of December 2024, at Akron, Colorado.

The foregoing Resolution was presented at a regular meeting of the Washington County Commissioners held on the 17th day of December, 2024, by Commissioner Laybourn who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Jefferson and on roll call vote, all votes being yes, the resolution was adopted.

K.R. Van

Chairman

Gisèle Jefferson

Commissioner

Sean Laybourn

Commissioner

Attest: *Anne Kent*

