

SECOND AMENDED AND RESTATED

SERVICE PLAN

FOR

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CITY OF AURORA, COLORADO

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PREFACE

High Plains Metropolitan District (the "District"), East Plains Metropolitan District ("East Plains") and Beacon Point Metropolitan District ("Beacon Point" and, together with the District and East Plains, collectively, the "Districts") were organized to provide public improvements and services for property located in the City of Aurora, Colorado (the "City"), pursuant to the authority granted to each of the Districts by the Consolidated Service Plan for the Districts, dated September 9, 2002 (the "2002 Service Plan"), as amended by the Amended and Restated Consolidated Service Plan for the Districts, dated August 6, 2004 (the "2004 Service Plan" and, together with the 2002 Service Plan, collectively, the "Original Service Plan").

The District was specifically organized to provide public improvements and services for certain property commonly known as Blackstone (the "Blackstone Property"), and Beacon Point was specifically organized to provide public improvements and services for certain property commonly known as Beacon Point (the "Beacon Property"). East Plains was specifically organized to act as the managing entity to construct, own, operate and maintain public improvements for the District and Beacon Point for the ultimate benefit of the Blackstone Property and the Beacon Property.

As contemplated by the Original Service Plan, East Plains and the District entered into a District Facilities Construction and Service Agreement dated March 5, 2003 (the "EHP IGA") whereby East Plains was designated as the "Operating District," responsible for the ownership, operation, maintenance and construction of facilities to benefit the Blackstone Property (the "Blackstone Improvements and Services"), and whereby High Plains was designated as the "Taxing District," responsible for paying all costs and expenses related to the financing, construction, operation and maintenance of the Blackstone Improvements and Services. Likewise, East Plains and Beacon Point entered into a District Facilities Construction and Service Agreement dated March 5, 2003 (the "EPBP IGA") whereby East Plains was designated as the "Operating District," responsible for the ownership, operation, maintenance and construction of facilities to benefit the Beacon Point Property (the "Beacon Point Improvements and Services" and collectively with the Blackstone Improvements and Services, the "Improvements and Services"), and whereby Beacon Point was designated as the "Taxing District," responsible for paying all costs and expenses related to the financing, construction, operation and maintenance of the Beacon Point Improvements and Services.

The Boards of the Directors of the Districts adopted Resolution No. 2010-04-02, Joint Resolution of East Plains Metropolitan District, High Plains Metropolitan District and Beacon Point Metropolitan District Acknowledging and Authorizing the Dissolution of East Plains Metropolitan District, dated April 15, 2010 (the "Joint Dissolution Resolution"). The Joint Dissolution Resolution sets forth the Districts' desire and intent to simplify and increase efficiency in the provision of Improvements and Services to their respective constituents, to assure continuity and quality of service, and to reduce the overall cost of providing such Improvements and Services through the dissolution of East Plains. The Districts have determined that East Plains has satisfied its obligations to provide the Improvements and Services and that the goals behind the multiple-district structure have been effectuated, as was anticipated in the Original Service Plan, the EHP IGA and the EPBP IGA, and that it is in the

best interests of their respective current and future electors, taxpayers and constituents for East Plains to transfer the Blackstone Improvements and Services to the District and the Beacon Point Improvements and Services to Beacon Point. The Districts have concluded it is in the best interests of the current and future electors, taxpayers and constituents of the Districts that East Plains dissolve and that the District assume responsibility for providing the Blackstone Improvements and Services and Beacon Point assume responsibility for providing the Beacon Point Improvements and Services. Pursuant to the Joint Dissolution Resolution, the Districts authorized such actions as may be necessary to implement the dissolution which includes necessary amendments to the Original Service Plan, segregating the rights and responsibilities related to the EPHP IGA and the EPBP IGA, transfer and/or assignment of rights and obligations related to the Improvements and Services, segregation of financial obligations, segregation of rights and responsibilities with respect to rules, regulations, policies, covenants and declarations, and segregation, assignment and/or transfer of rights and obligations related to on-going service and construction agreements.

Accordingly, in order to effectuate the dissolution of East Plains and the assumption by the District of any and all outstanding obligations of East Plains with respect to the Blackstone Improvements and Services, and the assumption by Beacon Point of any and all outstanding obligations of East Plains with respect to the Beacon Point Improvements and Services, all as authorized by the Joint Dissolution Resolution, it is necessary to rescind and replace the Original Service Plan in its entirety with two separate service plans – this Second Amended and Restated Service Plan for High Plains Metropolitan District (“Second Amended Service Plan”) and the proposed Second Amended and Restated Service Plan for Beacon Point Metropolitan District – which will enable the District and Beacon Point to operate independently upon the dissolution of East Plains.

The only material modifications to the Original Service Plan contained in this Second Amended Service Plan, which is based upon the current Aurora Model Service Plan for single districts, are:

1. Limiting the applicability of this Second Amended Service Plan to the District and property within the District’s jurisdictional boundaries; and
2. Eliminating references related to the previously utilized multiple-district structure.

I. INTRODUCTION

A. Purpose and Intent.

The District is an independent unit of local government, separate and distinct from the City, and, except as may otherwise be provided for by State or local law or this Second Amended Service Plan, its activities are subject to review by the City only insofar as they may deviate in a material matter from the requirements of the Second Amended Service Plan. It is intended that the District will provide a part or all of the Public Improvements for the use and benefit of all anticipated inhabitants and taxpayers of the District. The primary purpose of the District will be to finance the construction of these Public Improvements.

The District is not being created to provide ongoing operations and maintenance services other than as specifically set forth in this Second Amended Service Plan.

B. Need for the District.

There are currently no other governmental entities, including the City, located in the immediate vicinity of the District that consider it desirable, feasible or practical to undertake the planning, design, acquisition, construction installation, relocation, redevelopment, and financing of the Public Improvements needed for the Project. Formation of the District is therefore necessary in order for the Public Improvements required for the Project to be provided in the most economic manner possible.

C. Objective of the City Regarding District's Second Amended Service Plan.

The City's objective in approving the Second Amended Service Plan for the District is to authorize the District to provide for the planning, design, acquisition, construction, installation, relocation and redevelopment of the Public Improvements from the proceeds of Debt to be issued by the District. All Debt is expected to be repaid by taxes imposed and collected for no longer than the Maximum Debt Mill Levy Imposition Term for residential properties and at a tax mill levy no higher than the Maximum Debt Mill Levy for commercial and residential properties, and/or repaid by Fees, as long as such Fees are not imposed upon or collected from Taxable Property owned or occupied by an End User for the purpose of creating a capital cost payment obligation as further described in Section V.A.11. Debt which is issued within these parameters and, as further described in the Financial Plan, will insulate property owners from excessive tax and Fee burdens to support the servicing of the Debt and will result in a timely and reasonable discharge of the Debt.

This Second Amended Service Plan is intended to establish a limited purpose for the District and explicit financial constraints that are not to be violated under any circumstances. The primary purpose is to provide for the Public Improvements associated with development and regional needs. Operational activities are allowed, but only through an intergovernmental agreement with the City.

It is the intent of the District to dissolve upon payment or defeasance of all Debt incurred or upon a court determination that adequate provision has been made for the payment of

all Debt, and if the District has authorized operating functions under an intergovernmental agreement with the City, to retain only the power necessary to impose and collect taxes or Fees to pay for these costs.

The District shall be authorized to finance the Public Improvements that can be funded from Debt to be repaid from Fees or from tax revenues collected from a mill levy which shall not exceed the Maximum Debt Mill Levy on commercial and residential properties and which shall not exceed the Maximum Debt Mill Levy Imposition Term on residential properties. It is the intent of this Second Amended Service Plan to assure to the extent possible that no commercial or residential property bear an economic burden that is greater than that associated with the Maximum Debt Mill Levy in amount and that no property developed for a residential use bear an economic burden that is greater than that associated with the Maximum Debt Mill Levy Imposition Term in duration even under bankruptcy or other unusual situations. Generally, the cost of Public Improvements that cannot be funded within these parameters are not costs to be paid by the District. With regard to Regional Improvements, this Second Amended Service Plan also provides for the Districts to pay a portion of the cost of regional infrastructure as part of ensuring that development and those that benefit from development pay for the associated costs.

II. DEFINITIONS

In this Second Amended Service Plan, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated below, unless the context hereof clearly requires otherwise:

Approved Development Plan: means a Framework Development Plan or other process established by the City for identifying, among other things, Public Improvements necessary for facilitating development for property within the Service Area as approved by the City pursuant to the City Code and as amended pursuant to the City Code from time to time.

ARI or Regional Improvements: means Aurora Regional Improvements.

ARI Authority: means one or more Authorities established by an ARI Establishment Agreement.

ARI Establishment Agreement: means an intergovernmental agreement establishing an ARI Authority which has, at minimum, Title 32 special districts from three (3) or more Approved Development Plan areas as parties to the Agreement.

ARI Master Plan: means one or more master plans adopted by an ARI Authority establishing Regional Improvements which will benefit the taxpayers and service users of the District which constitute such ARI Authority, which master plan will change from time to time.

ARI Mill Levy: means the following:

- A. For a district with property within its boundaries developed with any residential uses means the mill levy imposed for payment of the costs of the planning, design,

permitting, construction, acquisition and financing of the improvements described in the ARI Master Plan, which: (i) shall be one (1) mill for collection beginning for each district in the first year of collection of a debt service mill levy by such district and continuing in each year thereafter through the twentieth (20th) year; and (ii) shall be five (5) mills from the twenty-first (21st) year through the fortieth (40th) year or the date of repayment of the debt incurred for Public Improvements, other than Regional Improvements, which ever first occurs; and (iii) for an additional ten (10) years, the mill levy shall be equal to the average debt service mill levy imposed by such district in the ten (10) years prior to the date of repayment of the debt incurred for Public Improvements other than Regional Improvements; and

B. For a district with property within its boundaries developed solely for commercial uses means the mill levy imposed for payment of the costs of the planning, design, permitting, construction, acquisition and financing of the improvements described in the ARI Master Plan, which: (i) shall be one (1) mill for collection beginning for each district in the first year of collection of a debt service mill levy by such district and continuing in each year thereafter through the twentieth (20th) year; (ii) shall be one and one-half (1.5) mills from the twenty-first (21st) year through the date of repayment of debt incurred for Public Improvements, other than Regional Improvements; and (iii) for five (5) years thereafter, the mill levy shall be the lesser of twenty (20) mills or a mill levy equal to the average debt service mill levy imposed by such district in the ten (10) years prior to the date of repayment of debt issued for Public Improvements, other than Regional Improvements; and

C. Any district may, pursuant to any intergovernmental agreement with the City, extend the term for application of the ARI Mill Levy beyond the years set forth in A and B above. The Maximum Mill Levy Imposition Term shall include the terms set forth in A and B above and any extension of the term as approved in an intergovernmental agreement as described herein.

D. All mills described in this ARI Mill Levy definition shall be subject to adjustment as follows: On or after January 1, 2004, if there are changes in the method of calculating assessed valuation or any constitutionally mandated tax credit, cut or abatement; the one (1) mill levy described above may be increased or decreased to reflect such changes, such increases or decreases to be determined by the Board in good faith (such determination to be binding and final) so that to the extent possible, the actual tax revenues generated by the mill levy, as adjusted for changes occurring after January 1, 2004, are neither diminished nor enhanced as a result of such changes, for purposes of the foregoing, a change in the ratio of actual valuation shall be deemed to be a change in the method of calculating assessed valuation.

Board: means the board of directors of the District.

Bond, Bonds or Debt: means bonds or other obligations for the payment of which the District has promised to impose an *ad valorem* property tax mill levy, and/or collect Fee revenue.

City: means the City of Aurora, Colorado.

City Code: means the City Code of the City of Aurora, Colorado.

City Council: means the City Council of the City of Aurora, Colorado.

District: means the High Plains Metropolitan District.

End User: means any owner, or tenant of any owner, of any taxable improvement within the District, who is intended to become burdened by the imposition of ad valorem property taxes subject to the Maximum Debt Mill Levy. By way of illustration, a resident homeowner, renter, commercial property owner, or commercial tenant is an End User. The business entity that constructs homes or commercial structures is not an End User.

External Financial Advisor: means a consultant that: (i) advises Colorado governmental entities on matters relating to the issuance of securities by Colorado governmental entities, including matters such as the pricing, sales and marketing of such securities and the procuring of bond ratings, credit enhancement and insurance in respect of such securities; (ii) shall be an underwriter, investment banker, or individual listed as a public finance advisor in the Bond Buyer's Municipal Market Place; and (iii) is not an officer or employee of the District and has not been otherwise engaged to provide services in connection with the transaction related to the applicable Debt.

Fees: means any fee imposed by the District for services, programs or facilities provided by the District, as described in Section V.A.11. below.

Financial Plan: means the Financial Plan described in Section VII which describes (i) how the Public Improvements are to be financed; (ii) how the Debt is expected to be incurred; and (iii) the estimated operating revenue derived from property taxes for the first budget year.

Inclusion Area Boundaries: means the boundaries of the area described in the Inclusion Area Boundary Map.

Inclusion Area Boundary Map: means the map attached hereto as **Exhibit C-2**, describing the property proposed for inclusion within the District.

Initial District Boundaries: means the boundaries of the area described in the Initial District Boundary Map.

Initial District Boundary Map: means the map attached hereto as **Exhibit C-1**, describing the District's initial boundaries.

Maximum Debt Mill Levy: means the maximum mill levy the District is permitted to impose for payment of Debt as set forth in Section VII.C below.

Maximum Debt Mill Levy Imposition Term: means the maximum term for imposition of a mill levy on a particular property developed for residential uses as set forth in Section VII.D below.

Project: means the development or property commonly referred to as Blackstone.

Public Improvements: means a part or all of the improvements authorized to be planned, designed, acquired, constructed, installed, relocated, redeveloped and financed as generally described in the Special District Act, except as specifically limited in Section V below to serve the future taxpayers and inhabitants of the Service Area as determined by the Board of the District.

Regional Improvements: means Public Improvements and facilities that benefit the Service Area and which are to be financed pursuant to Section VI below.

Service Area: means the property within the Initial District Boundary Map and the Inclusion Area Boundary Map.

Second Amended Service Plan: means this service plan for the District approved by City Council.

Service Plan Amendment: means an amendment to the Second Amended Service Plan approved by City Council in accordance with the City's ordinance and the applicable state law.

Special District Act: means Section 32-1-101, et seq., of the Colorado Revised Statutes, as amended from time to time.

State: means the State of Colorado.

Taxable Property: means real or personal property within the Service Area subject to ad valorem taxes imposed by the District.

III. BOUNDARIES

The area of the Initial District Boundaries includes approximately three hundred thirty-six (336) acres. A legal description of the Initial District Boundaries is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**. A vicinity map is attached hereto as **Exhibit B**. A map of the Initial District Boundaries is attached hereto as **Exhibit C-1**, and a map of the Inclusion Area Boundaries is attached hereto as **Exhibit C-2**. It is anticipated that the District's boundaries may change from time to time as it undergoes inclusions and exclusions pursuant to Section 32-1-401, et seq., C.R.S., and Section 32-1-501, et seq., C.R.S., subject to the limitations set forth in Article V below.

IV. PROPOSED LAND USE/POPULATION PROJECTIONS/ASSESSED VALUATION

The Service Area consists of approximately three hundred thirty-six (336) acres of land zoned for residential development. The current assessed valuation of the Service Area is \$\$14,962,830 for purposes of this Second Amended Service Plan and, at build out, is expected to be sufficient to reasonably discharge the Debt under the Financial Plan. The population of the District at build-out is estimated to be approximately two thousand three hundred (2,300) people.

Approval of this Second Amended Service Plan by the City does not imply approval of the development of a specific area within the District, nor does it imply approval of the number of residential units or the total site/floor area of commercial or industrial buildings identified in this Second Amended Service Plan or any of the exhibits attached thereto, unless the same is contained within an Approved Development Plan.

V. DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED POWERS, IMPROVEMENTS AND SERVICES

A. Powers of the District and Service Plan Amendment.

The District shall have the power and authority to provide the Public Improvements and related operation and maintenance services within and without the boundaries of the District as such power and authority is described in the Special District Act, and other applicable statutes, common law and the Constitution, subject to the limitations set forth herein.

1. Operations and Maintenance Limitation. The purpose of the District is to plan for, design, acquire, construct, install, relocate, redevelop and finance the Public Improvements. The District shall dedicate the Public Improvements to the City or other appropriate jurisdiction or owners association in a manner consistent with the Approved Development Plan and other rules and regulations of the City and applicable provisions of the City Code. The District shall not be authorized to operate and maintain any part or all of the Public Improvements, other than park and recreation improvements, unless the provision of such operation and maintenance is pursuant to an intergovernmental agreement with the City. The District shall be authorized, but not obligated to, operate and maintain park and recreation improvements without an intergovernmental agreement with the City, provided that any Fee imposed by the District for access to such park and recreation improvements shall not result in Non-District Aurora residents paying a user fee that is greater than, or otherwise disproportionate to, similar fees and taxes paid by residents of the District. However, the District shall be entitled to impose an administrative Fee as necessary to cover additional expenses associated with Non-District Aurora residents to ensure that such costs are not the responsibility of District residents. All such Fees shall be based upon the District's determination that such Fees do not exceed reasonable annual market fee for users of such facilities. Notwithstanding the foregoing, all parks and trails shall be open to the general public and Non-District Aurora residents free of charge.

2. Fire Protection Limitation. The District shall not be authorized to plan for, design, acquire, construct, install, relocate, redevelop, finance, operate or maintain fire protection facilities or services, unless such facilities and services are provided pursuant to an

intergovernmental agreement with the City. The authority to plan for, design, acquire, construct, install, relocate, redevelop or finance fire hydrants and related improvements installed as part of the water system shall not be limited by this provision.

3. Television Relay and Translation Limitation. The District shall not be authorized to plan for, design, acquire, construct, install, relocate, redevelop, finance, operate or maintain television relay and translation facilities and services, other than for the installation of conduit as a part of a street construction project, unless such facilities and services are provided pursuant to an intergovernmental agreement with the City.

4. Golf Course Construction Limitation. Acknowledging that the City has financed public golf courses and desires to coordinate the construction of public golf courses in the City's boundaries, the District shall not be authorized to plan, design, acquire, construct, install, relocate, redevelop, finance, operate or maintain a golf course unless such activity is pursuant to an intergovernmental agreement with the City.

5. Construction Standards Limitation. The District will ensure that the Public Improvements are designed and constructed in accordance with the standards and specifications of the City and of other governmental entities having proper jurisdiction. The District will obtain the City's approval of civil engineering plans and will obtain applicable permits for construction and installation of Public Improvements prior to performing such work.

6. Privately Placed Debt Limitation. Prior to the issuance of any privately placed Debt, the District shall obtain the certification of an External Financial Advisor substantially as follows:

We are [I am] an External Financial Advisor within the meaning of the District's Service Plan.

We [I] certify that (1) the net effective interest rate (calculated as defined in Section 32-1-103(12), C.R.S.) to be borne by [insert the designation of the Debt] does not exceed a reasonable current [tax-exempt] [taxable] interest rate, using criteria deemed appropriate by us [me] and based upon our [my] analysis of comparable high yield securities; and (2) the structure of [insert designation of the Debt], including maturities and early redemption provisions, is reasonable considering the financial circumstances of the District.

7. Inclusion Limitation. The District shall not include within any of its boundaries any property outside the Service Area without the prior written consent of the City. The District shall not include within any of its boundaries any property inside the inclusion area boundaries without the prior written consent of the City except upon petition of the fee owner or owners of 100 percent of such property as provided in Section 32-1-401(1)(a), C.R.S.

8. Overlap Limitation. The District shall not consent to the organization of any other district organized under the Special District Act within the Service Area which will overlap the boundaries of the District unless the aggregate mill levy for payment of Debt of such proposed districts will not at any time exceed the Maximum Debt Mill Levy of the District.

9. Initial Debt Limitation. On or before the effective date of approval by the City of an Approved Development Plan, the District shall not: (a) issue any Debt; nor (b) impose a mill levy for the payment of Debt by direct imposition or by transfer of funds from the operating fund to the Debt service funds; nor (c) impose and collect any Fees used for the purpose of repayment of Debt.

10. Total Debt Issuance Limitation. The District shall not issue Debt in excess of One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000).

11. Fee Limitation. The District may impose and collect Fees as a source of revenue for repayment of debt, capital costs, and/or for operations and maintenance. No Fee related to the funding of costs of a capital nature shall be authorized to be imposed upon or collected from Taxable Property owned or occupied by an End User which has the effect, intentional or otherwise, of creating a capital cost payment obligation in any year on any Taxable Property owned or occupied by an End User. Notwithstanding any of the foregoing, the restrictions in this definition shall not apply to any Fee imposed upon or collected from Taxable Property for the purpose of funding operation and maintenance costs of the District.

12. Monies from Other Governmental Sources. The District shall not apply for or accept Conservation Trust Funds, Great Outdoors Colorado Funds, or other funds available from or through governmental or non-profit entities that the City is eligible to apply for, except pursuant to an intergovernmental agreement with the City. This Section shall not apply to specific ownership taxes which shall be distributed to and be a revenue source for the District without any limitation.

13. Consolidation Limitation. The District shall not file a request with any Court to consolidate with another Title 32 district without the prior written consent of the City.

14. Bankruptcy Limitation. All of the limitations contained in this Second Amended Service Plan, including, but not limited to, those pertaining to the Maximum Debt Mill Levy, Maximum Debt Mill Levy Imposition Term and the Fees have been established under the authority of the City to approve a Service Plan with conditions pursuant to Section 32-1-204.5, C.R.S. It is expressly intended that such limitations:

(a) Shall not be subject to set-aside for any reason or by any court of competent jurisdiction, absent a Service Plan Amendment; and

(b) Are, together with all other requirements of Colorado law, included in the "political or governmental powers" reserved to the State under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C.) Section 903, and are also included in the "regulatory or electoral approval necessary under applicable nonbankruptcy law" as required for confirmation of a Chapter 9 Bankruptcy Plan under Bankruptcy Code Section 943(b)(6).

Any Debt, issued with a pledge or which results in a pledge, that exceeds the Maximum Debt Mill Levy and the Maximum Debt Mill Levy Imposition Term, shall be deemed a material modification of this Second Amended Service Plan pursuant to Section 32-1-207, C.R.S. and shall not be an authorized issuance of Debt unless and until such material modification has been approved by the City as part of a Service Plan Amendment.

15. Service Plan Amendment Requirement. This Second Amended Service Plan has been designed with sufficient flexibility to enable the District to provide required services and facilities under evolving circumstances without the need for numerous amendments. Actions of the District which violate the limitations set forth in V.A.1-14 above or in VII.B-G. shall be deemed to be material modifications to this Second Amended Service Plan and the City shall be entitled to all remedies available under State and local law to enjoin such actions of the District.

B. Preliminary Engineering Survey.

The District shall have authority to provide for the planning, design, acquisition, construction, installation, relocation, redevelopment, maintenance, and financing of the Public Improvements within and without the boundaries of the District, to be more specifically defined in an Approved Development Plan. An estimate of the costs of the Public Improvements which may be planned for, designed, acquired, constructed, installed, relocated, redeveloped, maintained or financed was prepared based upon a preliminary engineering survey and estimates derived from the zoning on the property in the Service Area and is approximately Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000).

All of the Public Improvements will be designed in such a way as to assure that the Public Improvements standards will be compatible with those of the City and shall be in accordance with the requirements of the Approved Development Plan. All construction cost estimates are based on the assumption that construction conforms to applicable local, State or Federal requirements.

VI. REGIONAL IMPROVEMENTS

The District shall be authorized to provide for the planning, design, acquisition, construction, installation, relocation and/or redevelopment and a contribution to the funding of the Regional Improvements and fund the administration and overhead costs related to the provisions of the Regional Improvements incurred as a result of participation in an ARI Establishment Agreement. The City has been offered the opportunity to execute an ARI Establishment Agreement, the terms of which provide for the City to appoint no less than thirty percent (30%) and no more than forty-nine percent (49%) of the Board members who will serve as the board of directors of the ARI Authority to be established by such ARI Establishment Agreement, regardless as to whether the City approves the execution of such ARI Establishment Agreement, the revenue from the ARI Mill Levy shall be conveyed to the ARI Authority for the planning, designing, constructing, installing, acquiring, relocating, redeveloping or financing of the Regional Improvements in the ARI Master Plan and for the operations of such ARI Authority.

The District shall impose the ARI Mill Levy and shall convey it in accordance with the ARI Establishment Agreement. As set forth in the definition of the ARI Mill Levy, the District may, pursuant to any intergovernmental agreement with the City, extend the terms for application of the ARI Mill Levy beyond the years set forth above. The Maximum Mill Levy Imposition Term shall include the terms and any extension of such terms, as set forth in Sections A, B and C of the definition of the ARI Mill Levy.

The Regional Improvements shall be limited to the provision of the planning, design, acquisition, construction, installation, relocation and/or redevelopment of street and transportation related improvements as defined in the Special District Act and the administration and overhead costs incurred as a result of participation in the ARI Establishment Agreement, unless the City has agreed otherwise in writing; provided, however in no event shall the Regional Improvements include water or sanitary sewer improvements unless such improvements are necessary as a part of completing street and transportation related improvements. The District shall cease to be obligated to impose, collect and convey to the City the revenue from the ARI Mill Levy described in this Section VI at such time as the area within the District's boundaries is included within a different district organized under the Special District Act, or a General Improvement District organized under Section 31-25-601, et seq., C.R.S., or Business Improvement District organized under Section 31-25-1201, et seq., C.R.S., which other district has been organized to fund a part or all of the Regional Improvements.

The District shall have the authority to issue Debt for the Regional Improvements, in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000) pursuant to the ARI Establishment Agreement.

VII. FINANCIAL PLAN

A. General.

The District shall be authorized to provide for the planning, design, acquisition, construction, installation, relocation and/or redevelopment of the Public Improvements from its revenues and by and through the proceeds of Debt to be issued by the District. The Financial Plan for the District shall be to issue such Debt as the District can reasonably pay within the Maximum Debt Mill Levy Imposition Term from revenues derived from the Maximum Debt Mill Levy, Fees and other legally available revenues. The total Debt that the District shall be permitted to issue shall not exceed One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000) and shall be permitted to be issued on a schedule and in such year or years as the District determine shall meet the needs of the Financial Plan referenced above and phased to serve development as it occurs. All bonds and other Debt issued by the District may be payable from any and all legally available revenues of the District, including general ad valorem taxes and Fees to be imposed upon all Taxable Property within the District. The District will also rely upon various other revenue sources authorized by law. These will include the power to assess Fees, rates, tolls, penalties, or charges as provided in Section 32-1-1001(1), C.R.S., as amended from time to time.

B. Maximum Voted Interest Rate and Maximum Underwriting Discount.

The interest rate on any Debt is expected to be the market rate at the time the Debt is issued. In the event of a default, the proposed maximum interest rate on any Debt is not expected to exceed eighteen percent (18%). The proposed maximum underwriting discount will be five percent (5%). Debt, when issued, will comply with all relevant requirements of this Second Amended Service Plan, State law and Federal law as then applicable to the issuance of public securities.

C. Maximum Debt Mill Levy.

The "Maximum Debt Mill Levy" shall be the maximum mill levy the District is permitted to impose upon the taxable property within the District for payment of Debt, and shall be determined as follows:

1. For the portion of any aggregate District's Debt which exceeds fifty percent (50%) of the District's assessed valuation, the Maximum Debt Mill Levy for such portion of Debt shall be fifty (50) mills less the number of mills necessary to pay unlimited mill levy Debt described in Section VII.C.2 below; provided that if, on or after January 1, 2004, there are changes in the method of calculating assessed valuation or any constitutionally mandated tax credit, cut or abatement; the mill levy limitation applicable to such Debt may be increased or decreased to reflect such changes, such increases or decreases to be determined by the Board in good faith (such determination to be binding and final) so that to the extent possible, the actual tax revenues generated by the mill levy, as adjusted for changes occurring after January 1, 2004, are neither diminished nor enhanced as a result of such changes. For purposes of the foregoing, a change in the ratio of actual valuation shall be deemed to be a change in the method of calculating assessed valuation.

2. For the portion of any aggregate District's Debt which is equal to or less than fifty percent (50%) of the District's assessed valuation, either on the date of issuance or at any time thereafter, the mill levy to be imposed to repay such portion of Debt shall not be subject to the Maximum Debt Mill Levy and, as a result, the mill levy may be such amount as is necessary to pay the Debt service on such Debt, without limitation of rate.

3. For purposes of the foregoing, once Debt has been determined to be within Section VII.C.2 above, so that the District is entitled to pledge to its payment an unlimited ad valorem mill levy, the District may provide that such Debt shall remain secured by such unlimited mill levy, notwithstanding any subsequent change in the District's Debt to assessed ratio. All Debt issued by the District must be issued in compliance with the requirements of Section 32-1-1101, C.R.S. and all other requirements of State law.

To the extent that the District is composed of or subsequently organized into one or more subdistricts as permitted under Section 32-1-1101, C.R.S., the term "District" as used herein shall be deemed to refer to the District and to each such subdistrict separately, so that each of the subdistricts shall be treated as a separate, independent district for purposes of the application of this definition.

D. Maximum Debt Mill Levy Imposition Term.

The District shall have the authority to impose the ARI Mill Levy for the terms as set forth in Section VI. Other than the ARI Mill Levy, the District shall not impose a levy for repayment of any and all Debt (or use the proceeds of any mill levy for repayment of Debt) on any single property developed for residential uses which exceeds forty (40) years after the year of the initial imposition of such mill levy unless a majority of the Board of Directors of the District are residents of the District and have voted in favor of a refunding of a part or all of the

Debt and such refunding will result in a net present value savings as set forth in Section 11-56-101, C.R.S.; et seq.

E. Debt Repayment Sources.

The District may impose a mill levy on taxable property within its boundaries as a primary source of revenue for repayment of debt service and for operations and maintenance. The District may also rely upon various other revenue sources authorized by law. At the District's discretion, these may include the power to assess Fees, rates, tolls, penalties, or charges as provided in Section 32-1-1001(l), C.R.S., as amended from time to time. In no event shall the debt service mill levy in the District exceed the Maximum Debt Mill Levy or, for residential property within the District, the Maximum Debt Mill Levy Imposition Term, except pursuant to an intergovernmental agreement between the District and the City for Regional Improvements.

F. Debt Instrument Disclosure Requirement.

In the text of each Bond and any other instrument representing and constituting Debt, the District shall set forth a statement in substantially the following form:

By acceptance of this instrument, the owner of this Bond agrees and consents to all of the limitations in respect of the payment of the principal of and interest on this Bond contained herein, in the resolution of the District authorizing the issuance of this Bond and in the Service Plan for creation of the District.

Similar language describing the limitations in respect of the payment of the principal of and interest on Debt set forth in this Second Amended Service Plan shall be included in any document used for the offering of the Debt for sale to persons, including, but not limited to, a developer of property within the boundaries of the District.

G. Security for Debt.

The District shall not pledge any revenue or property of the City as security for the indebtedness set forth in this Second Amended Service Plan. Approval of this Second Amended Service Plan shall not be construed as a guarantee by the City of payment of any of the District's obligations; nor shall anything in the Second Amended Service Plan be construed so as to create any responsibility or liability on the part of the City in the event of default by the District in the payment of any such obligation.

H. TABOR Compliance.

The District will comply with the provisions of TABOR. In the discretion of the Board, the District may set up other qualifying entities to manage, fund, construct and operate facilities, services, and programs. To the extent allowed by law, any entity created by the District will remain under the control of the District's Board.

I. District's Operating Costs.

In addition to the capital costs of the Public Improvements, the District will require operating funds for administration and to plan and cause the Public Improvements to be constructed and maintained. The adopted 2010 fiscal year operating budget is Two Hundred Twenty-Six Thousand Two Hundred Thirty-Eight Dollars (\$226,238) which is anticipated to be derived from property taxes and other revenues.

The Maximum Debt Mill Levy for the repayment of Debt shall not apply to the District's ability to increase its mill levy as necessary for provision of operation and maintenance services to its taxpayers and service users.

VIII. ANNUAL REPORT

A. General.

The District shall be responsible for submitting an annual report to the Manager of the Office of Development Assistance of the City Manager's Office no later than August 1st of each year following the year in which the Order and Decree creating the District has been issued.

B. Reporting of Significant Events.

The annual report shall include information as to any of the following:

1. Boundary changes made or proposed to the District's boundary as of December 31 of the prior year.
2. Intergovernmental Agreements with other governmental entities, either entered into or proposed as of December 31 of the prior year.
3. Copies of the District's rules and regulations, if any as of December 31 of the prior year.
4. A summary of any litigation which involves the District Public Improvements as of December 31 of the prior year.
5. Status of the District's construction of the Public Improvements as of December 31 of the prior year.
6. A list of all facilities and improvements constructed by the District that have been dedicated to and accepted by the City as of December 31 of the prior year.
7. The assessed valuation of the District for the current year.
8. Current year budget including a description of the Public Improvements to be constructed in such year.

9. Audit of the District's financial statements, for the year ending December 31 of the previous year, prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or audit exemption, if applicable.

10. Notice of any uncured events of default by the District, which continue beyond a ninety (90) day period, under any Debt instrument.

11. Any inability of the District to pay its obligations as they come due, in accordance with the terms of such obligations, which continue beyond a ninety (90) day period.

IX. DISSOLUTION

Upon an independent determination of the City Council that the purposes for which the District was created have been accomplished, the District agrees to file petitions in the appropriate District Court for dissolution, pursuant to the applicable State statutes. In no event shall a dissolution occur until the District has provided for the payment or discharge of all of their outstanding indebtedness and other financial obligations as required pursuant to State statutes.

X. DISCLOSURE TO PURCHASERS

The District will use reasonable efforts to assure that all developers of the property located within the District provide written notice to all purchasers of property in the District regarding the Maximum Debt Mill Levy, as well as a general description of the District's authority to impose and collect rates, Fees, tolls and charges. The form of notice shall be filed with the City prior to the initial issuance of the Debt of the District imposing the mill levy which is the subject of the Maximum Debt Mill Levy.

XI. INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT

The form of the intergovernmental agreement required by the City Code, relating to the limitations imposed on the District's activities, is attached hereto as **Exhibit D**. The District shall approve the intergovernmental agreement in the form attached as **Exhibit D** at its first Board meeting after its organizational election. Failure of the District to execute the intergovernmental agreement as required herein shall constitute a material modification and shall require a Service Plan Amendment. The City Council shall approve the intergovernmental agreement in the form attached as **Exhibit D** at the public hearing approving the Second Amended Service Plan.

XII. CONCLUSION

It is submitted that this Second Amended Service Plan for the District, as required by Section 32-1-203(2), C.R.S., and Section 122-35 of the City Code, establishes that:

1. There is sufficient existing and projected need for organized service in the area to be serviced by the District;

2. The existing service in the area to be served by the District is inadequate for present and projected needs;

3. The District is capable of providing economical and sufficient service to the area within its proposed boundaries; and

4. The area to be included in the District does have, and will have, the financial ability to discharge the proposed indebtedness on a reasonable basis.

5. Adequate service is not, and will not be, available to the area through the City or county or other existing municipal or quasi-municipal corporations, including existing special districts, within a reasonable time and on a comparable basis.

6. The facility and service standards of the District are compatible with the facility and service standards of the City within which the special district is to be located and each municipality which is an interested party under Section 32-1-204(1), C.R.S.

7. The proposal is in substantial compliance with a comprehensive plan adopted pursuant to the City Code.

8. The proposal is in compliance with any duly adopted City, regional or state long-range water quality management plan for the area.

9. The creation of the District is in the best interests of the area proposed to be served.



EXHIBIT A

Legal Descriptions

HIGH PLAINS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

A PARCEL OF LAND LOCATED IN A PORTION OF SECTION 33, TOWNSHIP 5 SOUTH, RANGE 65 WEST OF THE SIXTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, CITY OF AURORA, COUNTY OF ARAPAHOE, STATE OF COLORADO, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BASIS OF BEARINGS: THE NORTHERLY LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 33, TOWNSHIP 5 SOUTH, RANGE 65 WEST OF THE SIXTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN BEARS S 89°50'18" E;

BEGINNING AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 33;

THENCE S 89°50'18" E, ALONG THE NORTHERLY LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 33, A DISTANCE OF 2661.04 FEET TO THE NORTH QUARTER CORNER OF SAID SECTION 33;

THENCE S 89°49'48" E, ALONG THE NORTHERLY LINE OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 33, A DISTANCE OF 2662.08 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 33;

THENCE S 00°54'16" W, ALONG THE EASTERLY LINE OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 33, A DISTANCE OF 2640.31 FEET TO THE EAST QUARTER CORNER OF SAID SECTION 33;

THENCE S 00°54'12" W, ALONG THE EASTERLY LINE OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 33, A DISTANCE OF 2640.41 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 33;

THENCE S 89°59'28" W, ALONG THE SOUTHERLY LINE OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 33, A DISTANCE OF 2640.20 FEET TO THE SOUTH QUARTER CORNER OF SAID SECTION 33;

THENCE N 89°59'54" W, ALONG THE SOUTHERLY LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 33, A DISTANCE OF 2528.56 FEET TO THE EASTERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY OF SMOKY HILL ROAD AS DEDICATED BY THE PLAT OF STAGE RUN FILING NO. 1 UNDER RECEPTION NUMBER 2445324 OF THE ARAPAHOE COUNTY RECORDS;

THENCE ALONG SAID EASTERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY OF SMOKY HILL ROAD THE FOLLOWING TWO (2) COURSES:

1. N 00°27'23" E, A DISTANCE OF 2418.86 FEET;

2. N 23°01'01" W, A DISTANCE OF 282.43 FEET TO THE WESTERLY LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 33;

THENCE N 00°26'27" E, ALONG SAID WESTERLY LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 33, A DISTANCE OF 2617.16 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

CONTAINING AN AREA OF 27,751,463 SQUARE FEET OR 637.086 ACRES, MORE OR LESS.

June 21, 2002

LESS AND EXCEPT THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PARCEL

A PARCEL OF LAND BEING A PORTION OF SECTION 33, TOWNSHIP 5 SOUTH, RANGE 65 WEST OF THE SIXTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, COUNTY OF ARAPAHOE, STATE OF COLORADO, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BASIS OF BEARINGS IS THE EAST LINE OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 33, BEING CONSIDERED TO BEAR S00°23'28"W.

BEGINNING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 33; THENCE S00°23'28"W A DISTANCE OF 250.02 FEET TO THE NORTH LINE OF DISTRICT 2 PARCEL 1; THENCE S89°39'25"W A DISTANCE OF 300.02 FEET ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID DISTRICT TO THE EAST LINE OF SAID DISTRICT; THENCE N00°23'28"E A DISTANCE OF 250.02 FEET ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID DISTRICT TO THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SECTION 33; THENCE N89°39'25"E A DISTANCE OF 300.02 FEET ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SECTION TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING,

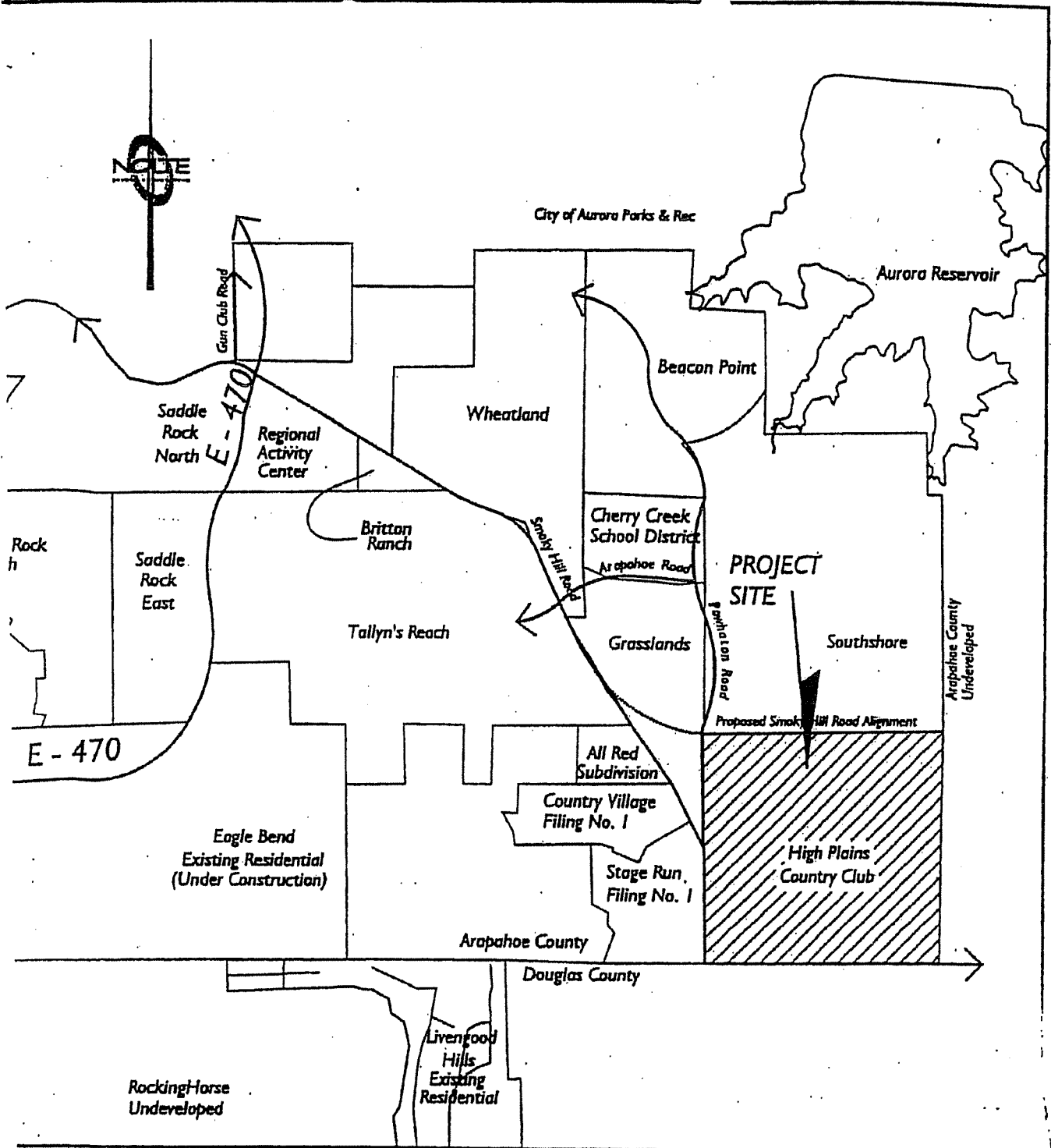
CONTAINING A CALCULATED AREA OF 1.722 ACRES MORE OR LESS.

RESULTING IN A NET AREA OF 641.921 ACRES.



EXHIBIT B

Aurora Vicinity Map



VICINITY
SERVICE MAP
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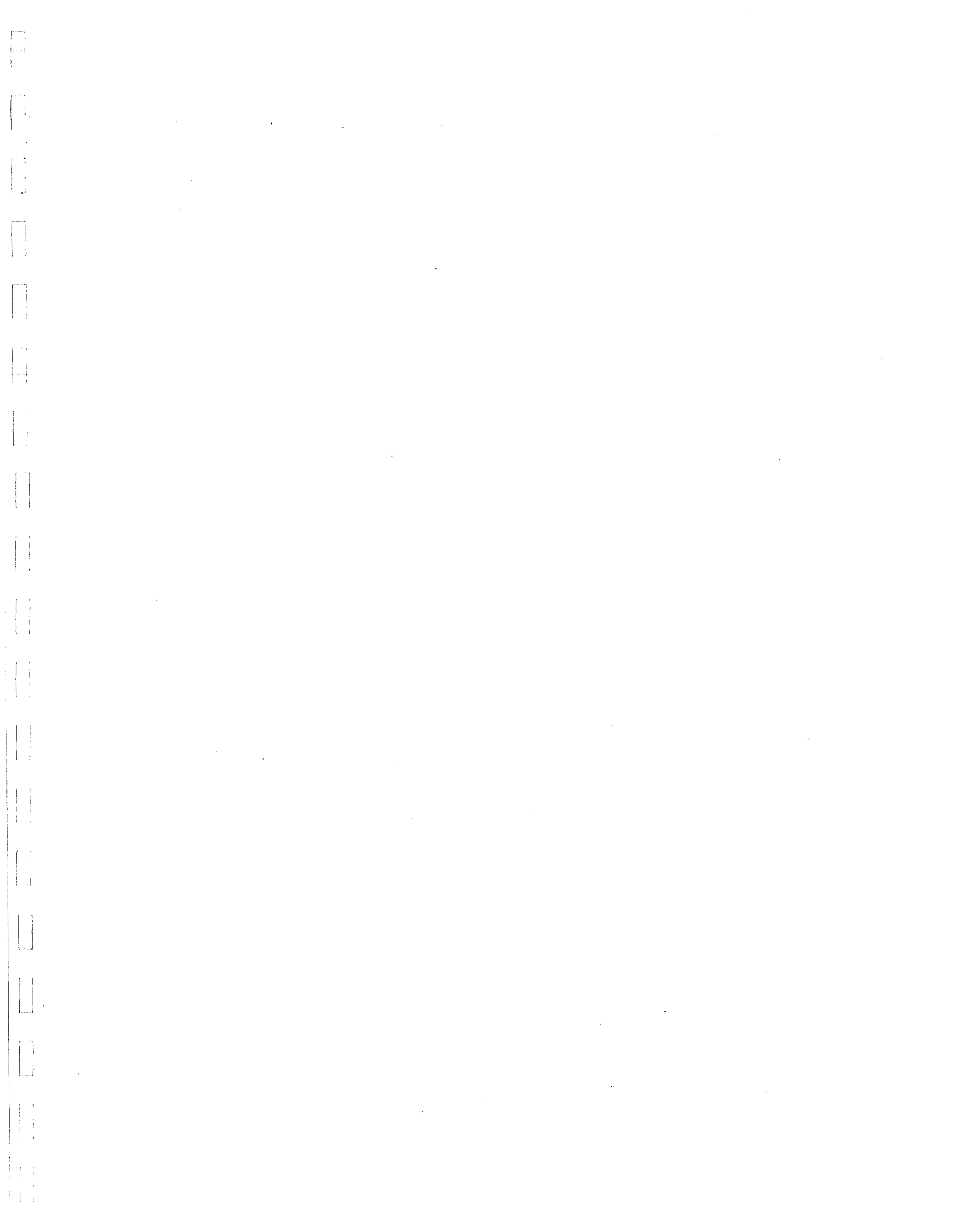


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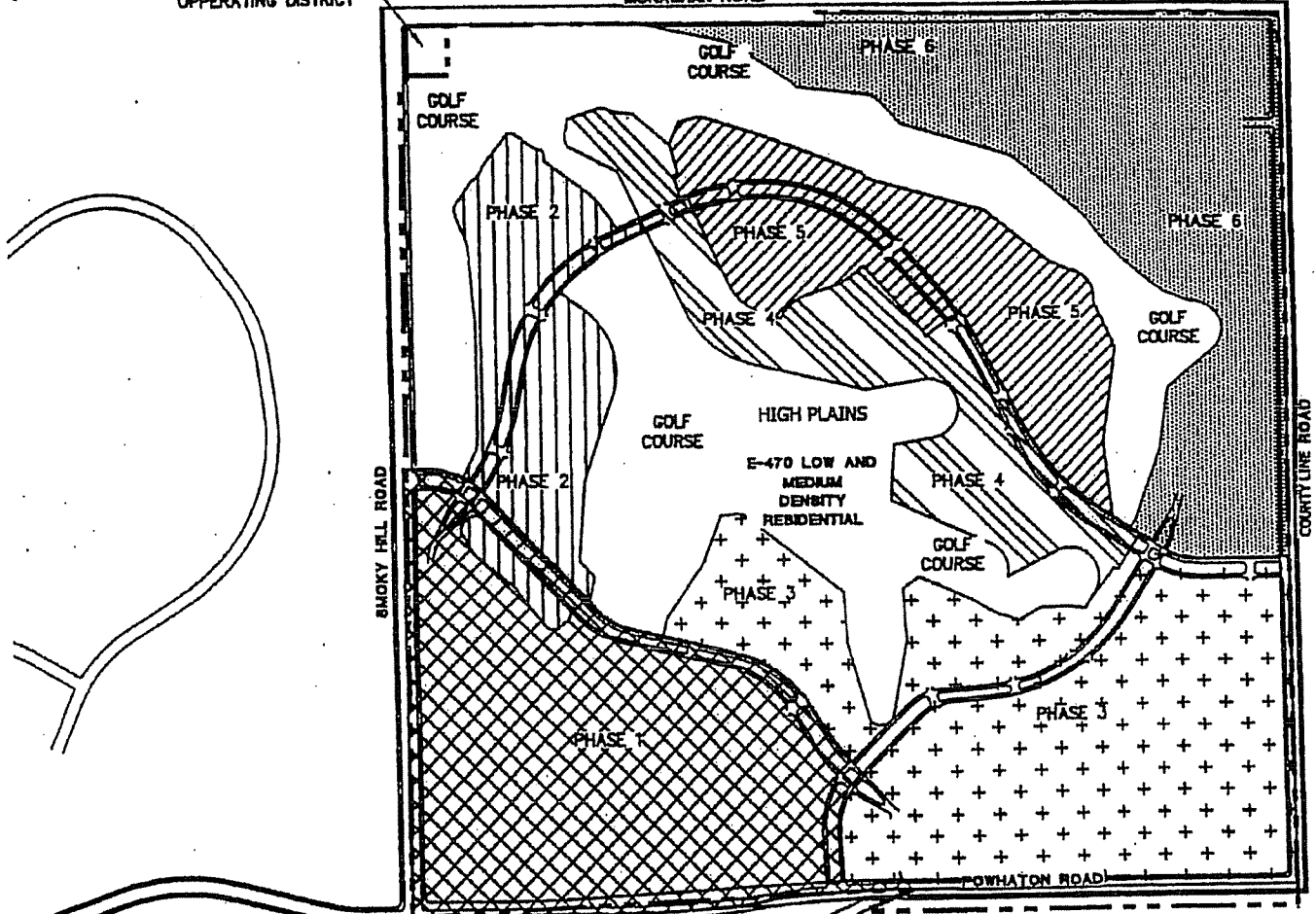
Initial District Boundary Map

STATE LAND
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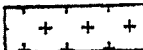




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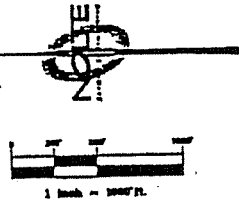
EAST PLAINS METRO
OPERATING DISTRICT

MONAGHAN ROAD



LEGEND

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-  DISTRICT BOUNDARY



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**HIGH PLAINS
METROPOLITAN DISTRICT
BOUNDARY AND PHASING MAP**

PREPARED FOR: US HOME, INC.

DATE SUBMITTED: 08-27-02

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EXHIBIT C-2

Inclusion Area Boundary Map

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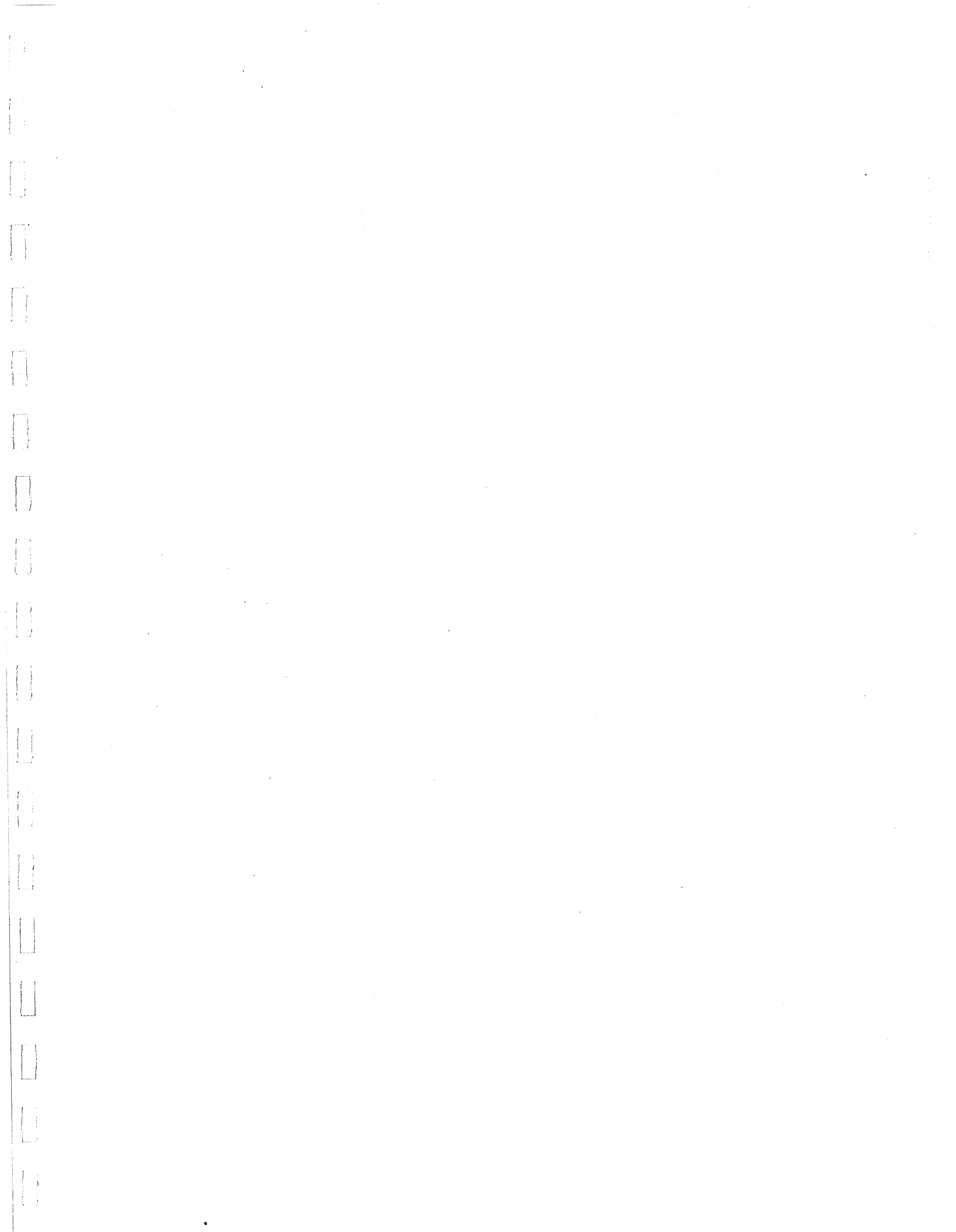


EXHIBIT D

Intergovernmental Agreement between the District and Aurora

**SECOND AMENDED AND RESTATED
INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN
THE CITY OF AURORA, COLORADO
AND
HIGH PLAINS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT**

THIS SECOND AMENDED AND RESTATED INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT is made and entered into as of this ___ day of _____, _____, by and between the CITY OF AURORA, a home-rule municipal corporation of the State of Colorado (“City”), and HIGH PLAINS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, a quasi-municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of Colorado (the “District”). The City and the District are collectively referred to as the Parties.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the District was organized to provide those services and to exercise powers as are more specifically set forth in the Amended and Restated Consolidated Service Plain for East Plains Metropolitan District (“East Plains”), Beacon Point Metropolitan District (“Beacon Point”) and the District (the District together with East Plains and Beacon Point, collectively, the “Districts”) (the “Original Service Plan”); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Original Service Plan, the Districts entered into that certain Amended and Restated Intergovernmental Agreement with the City, dated November 3, 2004, as amended by the First Amendment, dated September 26, 2008 (the “Original IGA”) as required by the Aurora City Code; and

WHEREAS, as a result of the anticipated dissolution of East Plains, on July 26, 2010, the City Council adopted Resolution No. R2010 - ___ approving the Second Amended and Restated Service Plain for Beacon Point Metropolitan District (the “Service Plan”) and the Second Amended and Restated Service Plan for High Plains Metropolitan District (the “High Plains Service Plan”), which, collectively, superseded in its entirety the Original Service Plan; and

WHEREAS, Resolution No. R2010 - _____ also authorized the execution of this Second Amended and Restated Intergovernmental Agreement and the Second Amended and Restated Intergovernmental Agreement between the City and Beacon Point (the “Beacon Point IGA”), which, collectively, will supersede in its entirety the Original IGA; and

WHEREAS, the City and the District have determined it to be in the best interests of their respective taxpayers, residents and property owners to enter into this Second Amended and Restated Intergovernmental Agreement (“Agreement”).

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the covenants and mutual agreements herein contained, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereto agree as follows:

COVENANTS AND AGREEMENTS

1. Operations and Maintenance. The District shall dedicate the Public Improvements (as defined in the Service Plan) to the City or other appropriate jurisdiction or owners association in a manner consistent with the Approved Development Plan and other rules and regulations of the City and applicable provisions of the City Code. The District shall not be authorized to operate and maintain any part or all of the Public Improvements, other than park and recreation improvements, drainage improvements including detention and retention ponds, trickle channels and all necessary or property equipment or appurtenances incident thereto, unless the provision of such operation and maintenance is pursuant to an intergovernmental agreement with the City. The District shall also be authorized to operate and maintain wells, pumps, storage facilities, distribution lines and other necessary appurtenant facilities used to provide irrigation for landscaping and a golf course located in the District to the extent permitted as the assignee of Heartland Colorado LLC ("Heartland") under that certain High Plains Country Club Development Agreement dated June 2, 2003, by and between the City and Heartland.

The District shall be authorized, but not obligated to, operate and maintain park and recreation improvements without an intergovernmental agreement with the City, provided that any Fee imposed by the District for access to such park and recreation improvements shall not result in Non-District City residents paying a user fee that is greater than, or otherwise disproportionate to, similar fees and taxes paid by residents of the District. However, the District shall be entitled to impose an administrative fee as necessary to cover additional expenses associated with Non-District City residents to ensure that such costs are not the responsibility of District residents. All such Fees shall be based upon the District's determination that such Fees do not exceed reasonable annual market fee for users of such facilities. Notwithstanding the foregoing, all parks and trails shall be open to the general public and Non-District City residents free of charge.

2. Fire Protection. The District shall not be authorized to plan for, design, acquire, construct, install, relocate, redevelop, finance, operate or maintain fire protection facilities or services, unless such facilities and services are provided pursuant to an intergovernmental agreement with the City. The authority to plan for, design, acquire, construct, install, relocate, redevelop or finance fire hydrants and related improvements installed as part of the water system shall not be limited by this provision.

3. Television Relay and Translation. The District shall not be authorized to plan for, design, acquire, construct, install, relocate, redevelop, finance, operate or maintain television relay and translation facilities and services, other than for the installation of conduit as a part of a street construction project, unless such facilities and services are provided pursuant to an intergovernmental agreement with the City.

4. Golf Course Construction. The District shall not be authorized to plan, design, acquire, construct, install, relocate, redevelop, finance, operate or maintain a golf course unless such activity is pursuant to an intergovernmental agreement with the City.

5. Construction Standards. The District will ensure that the Public Improvements are designed and constructed in accordance with the standards and specifications of the City and

of other governmental entities having proper jurisdiction and of those special districts that qualify as "interested parties" under Section 32-1-204(1), C.R.S., as applicable. The District will obtain the City's approval of civil engineering plans and will obtain applicable permits for construction and installation of Public Improvements prior to performing such work.

6. Issuance of Privately Placed Debt. Prior to the issuance of any privately placed Debt, the District shall obtain the certification of an External Financial Advisor substantially as follows:

We are [I am] an External Financial Advisor within the meaning of the District's Service Plan.

We [I] certify that (1) the net effective interest rate (calculated as defined in Section 32-1-103(12), C.R.S.) to be borne by [insert the designation of the Debt] does not exceed a reasonable current [tax-exempt] [taxable] interest rate, using criteria deemed appropriate by us [me] and based upon our [my] analysis of comparable high yield securities; and (2) the structure of [insert designation of the Debt], including maturities and early redemption provisions, is reasonable considering the financial circumstances of the District.

7. Inclusion Limitation. The District shall not include within any of its boundaries any property outside the Service Area without the prior written consent of the City. The District shall not include within any of its boundaries any property inside the inclusion area boundaries without the prior written consent of the City except upon petition of the fee owner or owners of 100 percent of such property as provided in Section 32-1-401(1)(a), C.R.S.

8. Overlap Limitation. The District shall not consent to the organization of any other district organized under the Special District Act within the Service Area which will overlap the boundaries of the District unless the aggregate mill levy for payment of Debt of such proposed districts will not at any time exceed the Maximum Debt Mill Levy of the District.

9. Initial Debt. On or before the effective date of approval by the City of an Approved Development Plan (as defined in the Service Plan), the District shall not: (a) issue any Debt; nor (b) impose a mill levy for the payment of Debt by direct imposition or by transfer of funds from the operating fund to the Debt service funds; nor (c) impose and collect any fees used for the purpose of repayment of Debt.

10. Total Debt Issuance. The District shall not issue Debt in excess of One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000).

11. Fee Limitation. The District may impose and collect Fees as a source of revenue for repayment of debt, capital costs, and/or for operations and maintenance. No Fee related to the funding of costs of a capital nature shall be authorized to be imposed upon or collected from Taxable Property owned or occupied by an End User which has the effect, intentional or otherwise, of creating a capital cost payment obligation in any year on any Taxable Property owned or occupied by an End User. Notwithstanding any of the foregoing, the restrictions in this

definition shall not apply to any Fee imposed upon or collected from Taxable Property for the purpose of funding operation and maintenance costs of the District.

12. Debt Issuance Limitation. The District shall not be authorized to incur any indebtedness until such time as the District has approved and executed the IGA and approved the imposition of the Aurora Regional Improvement Mill Levy (as defined in the Service Plan) upon all taxable property located within the boundaries of the District.

13. Monies from Other Governmental Sources. The District shall not apply for or accept Conservation Trust Funds, Great Outdoors Colorado Funds, or other funds available from or through governmental or non-profit entities that the City is eligible to apply for, except pursuant to an intergovernmental agreement with the City. This Section shall not apply to specific ownership taxes which shall be distributed to and a revenue source for the District without any limitation.

14. Consolidation. The District shall not file a request with any Court to consolidate with another Title 32 district without the prior written consent of the City.

15. Bankruptcy. All of the limitations contained in this Service Plan, including, but not limited to, those pertaining to the Maximum Debt Mill Levy and the Maximum Debt Mill Levy Imposition Term have been established under the authority of the City to approve a Service Plan with conditions pursuant to Section 32-1-204.5, C.R.S. It is expressly intended that such limitations:

(a) Shall not be subject to set-aside for any reason or by any court of competent jurisdiction, absent a Service Plan Amendment; and

(b) Are, together with all other requirements of Colorado law, included in the "political or governmental powers" reserved to the State under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C.) Section 903, and are also included in the "regulatory or electoral approval necessary under applicable nonbankruptcy law" as required for confirmation of a Chapter 9 Bankruptcy Plan under Bankruptcy Code Section 943(b)(6).

Any Debt, issued with a pledge or which results in a pledge, that exceeds the Maximum Debt Mill Levy and the Maximum Debt Mill Levy Imposition Term, shall be deemed a material modification of this Service Plan pursuant to Section 32-1-207, C.R.S. and shall not be an authorized issuance of Debt unless and until such material modification has been approved by the City as part of a Service Plan Amendment.

16. Dissolution. Upon an independent determination of the City Council that the purposes for which the District was created have been accomplished, the District agrees to file petitions in the appropriate District Court for dissolution, pursuant to the applicable State statutes. In no event shall a dissolution occur until the District has provided for the payment or discharge of all of their outstanding indebtedness and other financial obligations as required pursuant to State statutes.

17. Disclosure to Purchasers. The District will use reasonable efforts to assure that all developers of the property located within the District provide written notice to all purchasers of

property in the District regarding the Maximum Debt Mill Levy, as well as a general description of the District's authority to impose and collect rates, Fees, tolls and charges. The form of notice shall be filed with the City prior to the initial issuance of the Debt of the District imposing the mill levy which is the subject of the Maximum Debt Mill Levy.

18. Service Plan Amendment Requirement. Actions of the District which violate the limitations set forth in V.A.1-14 or VII.B-G of the Service Plan shall be deemed to be material modifications to the Service Plan and the City shall be entitled to all remedies available under State and local law to enjoin such actions of the District.

19. Annual Report. The District shall be responsible for submitting an annual report to the Manager of the Office of Development Assistance of the City Manager's Office no later than August 1st of each year following the year in which the Order and Decree creating the District has been issued, pursuant to the City Code and containing the information set forth in Section VIII of the Service Plan.

20. Regional Improvements. The District shall be authorized to provide for the planning, design, acquisition, construction, installation, relocation and/or redevelopment and a contribution to the funding of the Regional Improvements and fund the administration and overhead costs related to the provisions of the Regional Improvements incurred as a result of participation in an ARI Establishment Agreement. The City has been offered the opportunity to execute an ARI Establishment Agreement, the terms of which provide for the City to appoint no less than thirty percent (30%) and no more than forty-nine percent (49%) of the Board members who will serve as the board of directors of the ARI Authority to be established by such ARI Establishment Agreement, regardless as to whether the City approves the execution of such ARI Establishment Agreement, the revenue from the ARI Mill Levy shall be conveyed to the ARI Authority for the planning, designing, constructing, installing, acquiring, relocating, redeveloping or financing of the Regional Improvements in the ARI Master Plan and for the operations of such ARI Authority.

The District shall impose the ARI Mill Levy and shall convey it in accordance with the ARI Establishment Agreement. As set forth in the definition of the ARI Mill Levy, the District may, pursuant to any intergovernmental agreement with the City, extend the terms for application of the ARI Mill Levy beyond the years set forth above. The Maximum Mill Levy Imposition Term shall include the terms and any extension of such terms, as set forth in Sections A, B and C of the definition of the ARI Mill Levy.

The Regional Improvements shall be limited to the provision of the planning, design, acquisition, construction, installation, relocation and/or redevelopment of street and transportation related improvements as defined in the Special District Act and the administration and overhead costs incurred as a result of participation in the ARI Establishment Agreement, unless the City has agreed otherwise in writing; provided, however in no event shall the Regional Improvements include water or sanitary sewer improvements unless such improvements are necessary as a part of completing street and transportation related improvements. The District shall cease to be obligated to impose, collect and convey to the City the revenue from the ARI Mill Levy described Section VI of the Service Plan at such time as the area within the District's boundaries is included within a different district organized under the Special District Act, or a

General Improvement District organized under Section 31-25-601, et seq., C.R.S., or Business Improvement District organized under Section 31-25-1201, et seq., C.R.S., which other district has been organized to fund a part or all of the Regional Improvements.

21. Maximum Debt Mill Levy. The "Maximum Debt Mill Levy" shall be the maximum mill levy the District is permitted to impose upon the taxable property within the District for payment of Debt, and shall be determined as follows:

(a) For the portion of any aggregate District's Debt which exceeds fifty percent (50%) of the District's assessed valuation, the Maximum Debt Mill Levy for such portion of Debt shall be fifty (50) mills less the number of mills necessary to pay unlimited mill levy Debt described in Section VII.C.2 of the Service Plan; provided that if, on or after January 1, 2004, there are changes in the method of calculating assessed valuation or any constitutionally mandated tax credit, cut or abatement; the mill levy limitation applicable to such Debt may be increased or decreased to reflect such changes, such increases or decreases to be determined by the Board in good faith (such determination to be binding and final) so that to the extent possible, the actual tax revenues generated by the mill levy, as adjusted for changes occurring after January 1, 2004, are neither diminished nor enhanced as a result of such changes. For purposes of the foregoing, a change in the ratio of actual valuation shall be deemed to be a change in the method of calculating assessed valuation.

(b) For the portion of any aggregate District's Debt which is equal to or less than fifty percent (50%) of the District's assessed valuation, either on the date of issuance or at any time thereafter, the mill levy to be imposed to repay such portion of Debt shall not be subject to the Maximum Debt Mill Levy and, as a result, the mill levy may be such amount as is necessary to pay the Debt service on such Debt, without limitation of rate.

(c) For purposes of the foregoing, once Debt has been determined to be within Section VII.C.2 of the Service Plan, so that the District is entitled to pledge to its payment an unlimited ad valorem mill levy, the District may provide that such Debt shall remain secured by such unlimited mill levy, notwithstanding any subsequent change in the District's Debt to assessed ratio. All Debt issued by the District must be issued in compliance with the requirements of Section 32-1-1101, C.R.S. and all other requirements of State law.

To the extent that the District is composed of or subsequently organized into one or more subdistricts as permitted under Section 32-1-1101, C.R.S., the term "District" as used herein shall be deemed to refer to the District and to each such subdistrict separately, so that each of the subdistricts shall be treated as a separate, independent district for purposes of the application of this definition.

22. Maximum Debt Mill Levy Imposition Term. The District shall have the authority to impose the ARI Mill Levy for the terms as set forth in Section VI of the Service Plan. Other than the ARI Mill Levy, the District shall not impose a levy for repayment of any and all Debt (or use the proceeds of any mill levy for repayment of Debt) on any single property developed for residential uses which exceeds forty (40) years after the year of the initial imposition of such mill levy unless a majority of the Board of Directors of the District are residents of the District

and have voted in favor of a refunding of a part or all of the Debt and such refunding will result in a net present value savings as set forth in Section 11-56-101, C.R.S.; et seq.

23. Notices. All notices, demands, requests or other communications to be sent by one party to the other hereunder or required by law shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been validly given or served by delivery of same in person to the address or by courier delivery, via United Parcel Service or other nationally recognized overnight air courier service, or by depositing same in the United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

To the District: High Plains Metropolitan District
450 E. 17th Avenue, Suite 400
Denver, CO 80203
Attn: Megan Becher, Esq.
Phone: (303) 592-4380
Fax: (303) 592-4385

To the City: City of Aurora
15151 E. Alameda Pkwy., 5th Floor
Aurora, CO 80012
Attn: Mike Hyman, City Attorney
Phone: (303) 739-7030
Fax: (303) 739-7042

All notices, demands, requests or other communications shall be effective upon such personal delivery or one (1) business day after being deposited with United Parcel Service or other nationally recognized overnight air courier service or three (3) business days after deposit in the United States mail. By giving the other party hereto at least ten (10) days written notice thereof in accordance with the provisions hereof, each of the Parties shall have the right from time to time to change its address.

24. Amendment. This Agreement may be amended, modified, changed, or terminated in whole or in part only by a written agreement duly authorized and executed by the Parties hereto and without amendment to the Service Plan.

25. Assignment. Neither Party hereto shall assign any of its rights nor delegate any of its duties hereunder to any person or entity without having first obtained the prior written consent of the other Party, which consent will not be unreasonably withheld. Any purported assignment or delegation in violation of the provisions hereof shall be void and ineffectual.

26. Default/Remedies. In the event of a breach or default of this Agreement by any Party, the non-defaulting Party shall be entitled to exercise all remedies available at law or in equity, specifically including suits for specific performance and/or monetary damages. In the event of any proceeding to enforce the terms, covenants or conditions hereof, the prevailing Party in such proceeding shall be entitled to obtain as part of its judgment or award its reasonable attorneys' fees.

27. Governing Law and Venue. This Agreement shall be governed and construed under the laws of the State of Colorado.

28. Inurement. Each of the terms, covenants and conditions hereof shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the Parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.

29. Integration. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties with respect to the matters addressed herein. All prior discussions and negotiations regarding the subject matter hereof are merged herein.

30. Parties Interested Herein. Nothing expressed or implied in this Agreement is intended or shall be construed to confer upon, or to give to, any person other than the District and the City any right, remedy, or claim under or by reason of this Agreement or any covenants, terms, conditions, or provisions thereof, and all the covenants, terms, conditions, and provisions in this Agreement by and on behalf of the District and the City shall be for the sole and exclusive benefit of the District and the City.

31. Severability. If any covenant, term, condition, or provision under this Agreement shall, for any reason, be held to be invalid or unenforceable, the invalidity or unenforceability of such covenant, term, condition, or provision shall not affect any other provision contained herein, the intention being that such provisions are severable.

32. Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original and all of which shall constitute one and the same document.

33. Paragraph Headings. Paragraph headings are inserted for convenience of reference only.

34. Defined Terms. Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Service Plan.

35. Original IGA Superseded. The City and the District acknowledge and agree that they are entering into this Agreement as a result of the dissolution of East Plains and, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, the City and Beacon Point intend to execute the Beacon Point IGA. Upon their execution, this Agreement and the Beacon Point IGA, collectively, shall supersede in its entirety the Original IGA, and the Original IGA shall be of no force and effect.

[SIGNATURE PAGE TO INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT]

HIGH PLAINS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

By: _____
_____, President

Attest:

Secretary

CITY OF AURORA, COLORADO

By: _____
Edward J. Tauer, Mayor

Attest:

By: _____
Its: _____

APPROVED AS TO FORM: _____