



Section 1. That notice of the Hearing was properly given pursuant to § 32-1-204, C.R.S., and in conformance with the County's adopted service plan regulations (the "Regulations"), and the Commissioners have jurisdiction to hear this matter.

Section 2. The Commissioners make the following findings pursuant to C.R.S. §§ 32-1-201, *et seq.*, as amended:

a. There is sufficient existing and projected need for organized service in the area to be serviced by the proposed special district.

b. The existing service in the area to be served by the proposed special district is inadequate for present and projected needs.

c. The proposed special district is capable of providing economical and sufficient service to the area within its proposed boundaries.

d. The area to be included in the proposed special district has, or will have, the financial ability to discharge the proposed indebtedness on a reasonable basis.

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

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

g. The proposal is in substantial compliance with a master plan adopted pursuant to § 30-28-106, C.R.S.

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

i. The creation of the District will be in the best interests of the area proposed to be served.

Section 3. The Commissioners make the following findings pursuant to the County's Regulations:

a. The Service Plan was formally submitted to the County on or about January 8, 2020, and the submission was deemed complete on and after January 15, 2020 in accordance with the Regulations.

b. The Commissioners hereby deem the submission and review of the Service Plan to be in substantial compliance with the Regulations, and hereby expressly waive any deviations therefrom.

Section 4. The Service Plan for the District is hereby approved with the following conditions:

1. The District shall submit an annual report, as required by its Service Plan, to the Elbert County Board of County Commissioners.
2. Infrastructure and facilities developed by the District shall conform to the Elbert County Construction Standards & Specifications.
3. The District shall not export water outside of Elbert County, with the exception for provisions of any emergency services.

The Service Plan for the Spring Valley Metropolitan District No. 5 was reviewed and approved by the Elbert County Board of County Commissioners on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of February, year 2020, A.D.

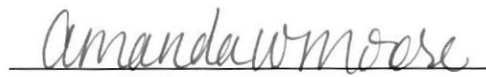
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ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO

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Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

ATTEST:

By:

  
Deputy Clerk

