

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-02-02

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF
WESTERN SLOPE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT
ESTABLISHING REGULAR MEETING DATES, TIME, AND LOCATION,
ESTABLISHING DISTRICT WEBSITE AND
DESIGNATING LOCATION FOR POSTING OF 24-HOUR NOTICES**

- A. Pursuant to Section 32-1-903(1.5), C.R.S., special districts are required to designate a schedule for regular meetings, indicating the dates, time, and location of said meetings.
- B. Pursuant to Section 32-1-903(5), C.R.S., “location” means the physical, telephonic, electronic, or virtual place, or a combination of such means where a meeting can be attended. “Meeting” has the same meaning as set forth in Section 24-6-402(1)(b), C.R.S., and means any kind of gathering, convened to discuss public business, in person, by telephone, electronically, or by other means of communication.
- C. Pursuant to Section 24-6-402(2)(c)(I), C.R.S., special districts are required to designate annually at the board of directors of the district’s first regular meeting of each calendar year, the public place at which notice of the date, time and location of regular and special meetings (“**Notice of Meeting**”) will be physically posted at least 24 hours prior to each meeting (“**Designated Public Place**”). A special district is deemed to have given full and timely notice of a regular or special meeting if it posts its Notice of Meeting at the Designated Public Place at least 24 hours prior to the meeting.
- D. Pursuant to Section 24-6-402(2)(c)(III), C.R.S., special districts are relieved of the requirement to post the Notice of Meeting at the Designated Public Place, and are deemed to have given full and timely notice of a public meeting, if a special district posts the Notice of Meeting online at a public website of the special district (“**District Website**”) at least 24 hours prior to each regular and special meeting.
- E. Pursuant to Section 24-6-402(2)(c)(III), C.R.S., if a special district is unable to post a Notice of Meeting on the District Website at least 24 hours prior to the meeting due to exigent or emergency circumstances, then it must physically post the Notice of Meeting at the Designated Public Place at least 24 hours prior to the meeting.
- F. Pursuant to Section 32-1-903(1.5), C.R.S., all meetings of the board that are held solely at physical locations must be held at physical locations that are within the boundaries of the district or that are within the boundaries of any county in which the district is located, in whole or in part, or in any county so long as the physical location does not exceed twenty (20) miles from the district boundaries unless such provision is waived.
- G. The provisions of Section 32-1-903(1.5), C.R.S., may be waived if: (1) the proposed change of the physical location of a meeting of the board appears on the agenda of a meeting; and (2) a resolution is adopted by the board stating the reason for which meetings of the board are to be held in a physical location other than under Section 32-1-903(1.5), C.R.S., and further stating the date, time and physical location of such meeting.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of the Western Slope Metropolitan District (the “**District**”), City of Grand Junction, Mesa County, Colorado:

1. That the provisions of Section 32-1-903(1.5), C.R.S., be waived pursuant to the adoption of this Resolution.
2. That the Board of Directors (the “**District Board**”) has determined that conducting meetings at a physical location pursuant to Section 32-1-903(1.5), C.R.S., would be inconvenient and costly for the directors and consultants of the District in that they live and/or work outside of the twenty (20) mile radius requirement.
3. That regular meetings of the District Board for the year 2024 shall be held on March 12, May 14, July 9, September 10, October 8, and November 12, 2024 at 11:00 a.m., such meetings to be held virtually.
4. That special meetings of the District Board shall be held as often as the needs of the District require, upon notice to each director.
5. That, until circumstances change, and a future resolution of the District Board so designates, the physical location and/or method or procedure for attending meetings of the District Board virtually (including the conference number or link) shall appear on the agenda(s) of said meetings.
6. That the residents and taxpaying electors of the District shall be given an opportunity to object to the meeting(s) physical location(s), and any such objections shall be considered by the District Board in setting future meetings.
7. That the District Board authorizes establishment of a District Website, if such District Website does not already exist, in order to provide full and timely notice of meetings of the District Board online pursuant to the provisions of Section 24-6-402(2)(c)(III), C.R.S.
8. That, if the District has established a District Website, the Notice of Meeting of the District Board shall be posted on the District Website at least 24 hours prior to each meeting pursuant to Section 24-6-402(2)(c)(III), C.R.S. and Section 32-1-903(2), C.R.S. The District website is: www.westernslopemd.live.
9. That, if the District has not yet established a District Website or is unable to post the Notice of Meeting on the District Website at least 24 hours prior to each meeting due to exigent or emergency circumstances, the Notice of Meeting shall be posted within the boundaries of the District at least 24 hours prior to each meeting, pursuant to Section 24-6-402(2)(c)(I) and (III), C.R.S., at the following Designated Public Place:
 - (a) At an appropriate public location within the boundaries of the District (northeast of the intersection of 24 Road and Interstate 70 in Grand Junction, Colorado, as chosen by the individual posting the Notice.
10. The District Manager, or his/her designee, is hereby appointed to post the above-referenced notices.

[SIGNATURE PAGE TO RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING REGULAR MEETING DATES, TIME, AND LOCATION, ESTABLISHING DISTRICT WEBSITE AND DESIGNATING LOCATION FOR 24-HOUR NOTICES]

RESOLUTION APPROVED AND ADOPTED on February 2, 2024.

WESTERN SLOPE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

By: Marcel H. Goldberg

President

Attest:

Daniel Nichols

Secretary