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Development District**

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## REPORT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

To the Board of Supervisors  
Triple Creek Community Development District  
Hillsborough County, Florida

### Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Triple Creek Community Development District as of and for the year ended September 30, 2021, and the related notes to financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Accounting Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

To the Board of Supervisors  
Triple Creek Community Development District

## Opinion

In our opinion, the basic financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the governmental activities and each major fund of Triple Creek Community Development District as of September 30, 2021, and the respective changes in financial position and the budgetary comparison for the General Fund for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

## Other Matters

### *Required Supplementary Information*

Governmental accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by *Governmental Accounting Standards Board* who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with governmental auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

## Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued a report dated August 31, 2022 on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations and contracts. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering Triple Creek Community Development District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.



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Fort Pierce, Florida

August 31, 2022

**Triple Creek Community Development District  
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS  
For the Year Ended September 30, 2021**

Management's discussion and analysis of Triple Creek Community Development District (the "District") financial performance provides an objective and easily readable analysis of the District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2021. The analysis provides summary financial information for the District and should be read in conjunction with the District's financial statements.

**OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

The District's basic financial statements comprise three components; 1) *Government-wide financial statements*, 2) *Fund financial statements*, and 3) *Notes to financial statements*. The *Government-wide financial statements* present an overall picture of the District's financial position and results of operations. The *Fund financial statements* present financial information for the District's major funds. The *Notes to financial statements* provide additional information concerning the District's finances. This report also contains other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements.

The *Government-wide financial statements* are the **statement of net position** and the **statement of activities**. These statements use accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. Emphasis is placed on the net position of governmental activities and the change in net position. Governmental activities are primarily supported by special assessments.

The **statement of net position** presents information on all assets and liabilities of the District, with the difference between assets and liabilities reported as net position. Net position is reported in three categories; 1) net investment in capital assets, 2) restricted, and 3) unrestricted. Assets, liabilities, and net position are reported for all Governmental activities.

The **statement of activities** presents information on all revenues and expenses of the District and the change in net position. Expenses are reported by major function and program revenues relating to those functions are reported, providing the net cost of all functions provided by the District. To assist in understanding the District's operations, expenses have been reported as governmental activities. Governmental activities financed by the District include general government, physical environment, culture/recreation, and debt service.

*Fund financial statements* present financial information for governmental funds. These statements provide financial information for the major funds of the District. Governmental fund financial statements provide information on the current assets and liabilities of the funds, changes in current financial resources (revenues and expenditures), and current available resources.

**Triple Creek Community Development District  
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS  
For the Year Ended September 30, 2021**

**OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

*Fund financial statements* include a **balance sheet** and a **statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances** for all governmental funds. A **statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances – budget and actual** is provided for the District's General Fund. *Fund financial statements* provide more detailed information about the District's activities. Individual funds are established by the District to track revenues that are restricted to certain uses or to comply with legal requirements.

The *government-wide financial statements* and the *fund financial statements* provide different pictures of the District. The *government-wide financial statements* provide an overall picture of the District's financial standing. These statements are comparable to private-sector companies and give a good understanding of the District's overall financial health and how the District paid for the various activities, or functions, provided by the District. All assets of the District, including land, construction in progress, buildings and improvements, equipment and infrastructure are reported in the **statement of net position**. All liabilities, including principal outstanding on bonds are included. The **statement of activities** includes depreciation on all long-lived assets of the District, but transactions between the different functions of the District have been eliminated in order to avoid "doubling up" the revenues and expenses. The *fund financial statements* provide a picture of the major funds of the District. In the case of governmental activities, outlays for long lived assets are reported as expenditures and long-term liabilities, such as general obligation bonds, are not included in the fund financial statements. To provide a link from the *fund financial statements* to the *government-wide financial statements*, a reconciliation is provided from the *fund financial statements* to the *government-wide financial statements*.

*Notes to financial statements* provide additional detail concerning the financial activities and financial balances of the District. Additional information about the accounting practices of the District, investments of the District, capital assets and long-term debt are some of the items included in the *notes to financial statements*.

**Financial Highlights**

The following are the highlights of financial activity for the year ended September 30, 2021.

- ◆ The District's total assets exceeded total liabilities by \$7,673,467 (net position). Unrestricted net position for Governmental Activities was \$(6,893,176). Net investment in capital assets was \$11,939,208 and restricted net position was \$2,627,435.
- ◆ Governmental activities revenues totaled \$5,696,338 while governmental activities expenses totaled \$4,732,662.

**Triple Creek Community Development District  
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS  
For the Year Ended September 30, 2021**

**OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

**Financial Analysis of the District**

The following schedule provides a summary of the assets, liabilities and net position of the District and is presented by category for comparison purposes.

**Net Position**

|                                  | <b>Governmental Activities</b> |                            |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
|                                  | <b>2021</b>                    | <b>2020</b>                |
| Current assets                   | \$ 1,023,214                   | \$ 321,605                 |
| Restricted assets                | 7,160,771                      | 5,929,003                  |
| Capital assets, net              | <u>40,161,843</u>              | <u>33,119,047</u>          |
| <b>Total Assets</b>              | <b><u>48,345,828</u></b>       | <b><u>39,369,655</u></b>   |
| <br>                             |                                |                            |
| Current liabilities              | 2,159,001                      | 1,912,565                  |
| Non-current liabilities          | <u>38,513,360</u>              | <u>30,747,299</u>          |
| <b>Total Liabilities</b>         | <b><u>40,672,361</u></b>       | <b><u>32,659,864</u></b>   |
| <br>                             |                                |                            |
| Net Position                     |                                |                            |
| Net investment in capital assets | 11,939,208                     | 11,660,647                 |
| Restricted                       | 2,627,435                      | 1,587,821                  |
| Unrestricted                     | <u>(6,893,176)</u>             | <u>(6,538,677)</u>         |
| <b>Total Net Position</b>        | <b><u>\$ 7,673,467</u></b>     | <b><u>\$ 6,709,791</u></b> |

The increase in restricted assets is primarily related to the long-term debt issued in the current year.

The increase in capital assets is related to the current year additions to construction in progress.

The increase in non-current liabilities is related to the issuance of long-term debt in the current year.

The increase in net position is primarily the result of revenues exceeding expenses in the current year.

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS  
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**OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

**Financial Analysis of the District (Continued)**

The following schedule provides a summary of the changes in net position of the District and is presented by category for comparison purposes.

**Change in Net Position**

|                                  | <b>Governmental Activities</b> |                     |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------|
|                                  | <b>2021</b>                    | <b>2020</b>         |
| Program Revenues                 |                                |                     |
| Charges for services             | \$ 5,196,975                   | \$ 7,804,165        |
| Grants and contribution          | 481,590                        | 1,130,251           |
| General Revenues                 |                                |                     |
| Miscellaneous revenues           | 16,989                         | 3,544               |
| Investment earnings              | 784                            | 120,861             |
| Total Revenues                   | <u>5,696,338</u>               | <u>9,058,821</u>    |
| Expenses                         |                                |                     |
| General government               | 245,235                        | 185,840             |
| Physical environment             | 1,477,126                      | 1,482,185           |
| Culture/recreation               | 552,648                        | 542,109             |
| Interest and other charges       | <u>2,457,653</u>               | <u>1,846,940</u>    |
| Total Expenses                   | <u>4,732,662</u>               | <u>4,057,074</u>    |
| Change in Net Position           | 963,676                        | 5,001,747           |
| Net Position - Beginning of Year | <u>6,709,791</u>               | <u>1,708,044</u>    |
| Net Position - End of Year       | <u>\$ 7,673,467</u>            | <u>\$ 6,709,791</u> |

The decrease in charges for services relates to decreased special assessment prepayments in the current year.

The decrease in grants and contributions is the result of lower developer contributions for the General Fund and the 2020 Project in the current year.

The increase in general government expenses is related to the increase in legal advertising in the current year.

The increase in interest and other charges is related to the bond issuance costs in the current year.



**Triple Creek Community Development District  
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS  
For the Year Ended September 30, 2021**

**OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

**Capital Assets Activity**

The following schedule provides a summary of the District's capital assets as of September 30, 2021 and 2020.

| <u>Description</u>         | <u>Governmental Activities</u> |                      |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|
|                            | <u>2021</u>                    | <u>2020</u>          |
| Land and improvements      | \$ 4,758,054                   | \$ 4,758,054         |
| Construction in progress   | 24,592,242                     | 16,989,241           |
| Buildings                  | 6,791,321                      | 6,791,321            |
| Infrastructure             | 2,390,650                      | 2,390,650            |
| Stormwater management      | 4,044,416                      | 4,044,416            |
| Equipment                  | 238,829                        | 222,846              |
| Accumulated depreciation   | <u>(2,653,669)</u>             | <u>(2,077,481)</u>   |
| Total Capital Assets (Net) | <u>\$ 40,161,843</u>           | <u>\$ 33,119,047</u> |

The activity for the year consisted of additions of \$7,603,001 to construction in progress, additions of \$37,558 and deletions of \$21,575 to equipment, and \$580,863 in depreciation.

**General Fund Budgetary Highlights**

Actual expenditures were less than the total budget for the year ended September 30, 2021 because of lower than anticipated landscape, mulch and contingency expenditures.

There were no amendments to the budget for the year ended September 30, 2021.

**Debt Management**

Governmental Activities debt includes the following:

- ◆ In June 2012, the District issued \$3,180,000 Series 2012 Special Assessment Bonds. These bonds were issued to finance the acquisition and construction of certain improvements for the benefit of the District. The balance outstanding at September 30, 2021 was \$2,850,000.

**Triple Creek Community Development District  
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS  
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**OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

**Debt Management (Continued)**

- ◆ In February 2017, The District issued Series 2017A and Series 2017B Special Assessment Bonds. The bonds were issued to finance the acquisition and construction of certain improvements for the benefit of the District. The balance outstanding at September 30, 2021 was \$9,115,000.
- ◆ In July 2018, the District issued \$7,550,000 Series 2018A Special Assessment Bonds to finance a portion of the costs of acquisition, construction, installation and equipping the Series 2018A Project. The balance outstanding at September 30, 2021 was \$6,960,000.
- ◆ In June 2019, the District issued \$14,690,000 Series 2019A and Series 2019B Special Assessment Bonds. These bonds were issued to finance a portion of the cost of acquisition, construction, installation, and equipping of the Series 2019 Project. The balance outstanding on the Series 2019A and Series 2019B Bonds at September 30, 2021 was \$12,110,000.
- ◆ In January 2021, the District issued \$8,435,000 of Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2021, Villages N & P Project maturing on November 1, 2050. The bonds were issued to finance the acquisition and construction of certain improvements for the benefit of the District. Interest is to be paid semiannually on each May 1 and November 1. Principal is to be paid serially commencing November 1, 2021 through November 1, 2050. The balance outstanding at September 30, 2021 was \$8,435,000.
- ◆ In February 2019, the District initiated a capital lease, \$103,957, for fitness equipment. The balance outstanding at September 30, 2021 is \$53,567.

**Economic Factors and Next Year's Budget**

Triple Creek Community Development District expects to issue additional debt and begin a new capital project during fiscal year 2022.

**Request for Information**

The financial report is designed to provide a general overview of Triple Creek Community Development District's finances for all those with an interest. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional information should be addressed to the Triple Creek Community Development District, Rizzetta & Company, 3434 Colwell Avenue, Suite 200, Tampa, Florida 33614.

**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
**STATEMENT OF NET POSITION**  
**September 30, 2021**

|                                       | <b>Governmental<br/>Activities</b> |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                         |                                    |
| Current Assets                        |                                    |
| Cash                                  | \$ 523,705                         |
| Due from developer                    | 38,961                             |
| Assessments receivable                | 387,161                            |
| Deposits                              | 54,408                             |
| Prepaid expenses                      | 18,979                             |
| Total Current Assets                  | 1,023,214                          |
| Non-Current Assets                    |                                    |
| Restricted assets                     |                                    |
| Cash and investments                  | 7,160,771                          |
| Capital Assets, Not Being Depreciated |                                    |
| Land and improvements                 | 4,758,054                          |
| Construction in progress              | 24,592,242                         |
| Capital Assets, Being Depreciated     |                                    |
| Buildings                             | 6,791,321                          |
| Infrastructure                        | 2,390,650                          |
| Stormwater management                 | 4,044,416                          |
| Equipment                             | 238,829                            |
| Less: accumulated depreciation        | (2,653,669)                        |
| Total Non-current Assets              | 47,322,614                         |
| Total Assets                          | 48,345,828                         |
| <b>LIABILITIES</b>                    |                                    |
| Current Liabilities                   |                                    |
| Accounts payable and accrued expenses | 84,396                             |
| Due to developer                      | 2,567                              |
| Contracts/retainage payable           | 493,590                            |
| Accrued interest                      | 812,511                            |
| Capital lease - current portion       | 20,937                             |
| Bonds payable - current portion       | 745,000                            |
| Total Current Liabilities             | 2,159,001                          |
| Non-Current Liabilities               |                                    |
| Capital lease payable                 | 32,630                             |
| Bonds payable                         | 38,480,730                         |
| Total Non-Current Liabilities         | 38,513,360                         |
| Total Liabilities                     | 40,672,361                         |
| <b>NET POSITION</b>                   |                                    |
| Net investment in capital assets      | 11,939,208                         |
| Restricted for debt service           | 2,627,435                          |
| Unrestricted                          | (6,893,176)                        |
| Total Net Position                    | \$ 7,673,467                       |

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES**  
**For the Year Ended September 30, 2021**

| <u>Functions/Programs</u>     | <u>Expenses</u>       | <u>Program Revenues</u>         |   | <u>Capital<br/>Grants and<br/>Contributions</u> | <u>Net (Expense)<br/>Revenues and<br/>Changes in<br/>Net Position</u> |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------|---|---|---|
|                               |                       | <u>Charges for<br/>Services</u> | <u>Operating<br/>Grants and<br/>Contributions</u> |   | <u>Governmental<br/>Activities</u>                                    |
| Governmental Activities       |                       |                                 |   |   |   |
| General government            | \$ (245,235)          | \$ 251,076                      | \$ 49,560   | \$ -  | \$ 55,401   |
| Physical environment          | (1,477,126)           | 1,183,507                       | 55,786  | -   | (237,833)   |
| Culture/recreation            | (552,648)             | 282,614                         | 233,615   | 73,245  | 36,826  |
| Interest and other charges    | (2,457,653)           | 3,479,778                       | 69,384  | -   | 1,091,509   |
| Total Governmental Activities | <u>\$ (4,732,662)</u> | <u>\$ 5,196,975</u>             | <u>\$ 408,345</u>                                 | <u>\$ 73,245</u>                                | <u>945,903</u>  |
|                               |                       | <b>General Revenues:</b>        |   |   |   |
|                               |                       |                                 | Miscellaneous revenues                            |   | 16,989  |
|                               |                       |                                 | Investment earnings                               |   | 784   |
|                               |                       |                                 | Total General Revenues                            |   | <u>17,773</u>   |
|                               |                       |                                 | Change in Net Position                            |   | 963,676   |
|                               |                       |                                 | Net Position - Beginning of year                  |   | <u>6,709,791</u>  |
|                               |                       |                                 | Net Position - End of year                        |   | <u>\$ 7,673,467</u>   |

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
**BALANCE SHEET – GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS**  
**September 30, 2021**

|   | General           | Debt<br>Service 200 | Debt<br>Service 201 | Debt<br>Service 202 | Debt<br>Service 203 | Debt<br>Service 205 | Capital<br>Projects 300 | Capital<br>Projects 301 | Capital<br>Projects 303 | Capital<br>Projects 304 | Capital<br>Projects 305 | Total<br>Governmental<br>Funds |
|---|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>   |                   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                                |
| Cash  | \$ 523,704        | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                    | \$ -                    | \$ -                    | \$ 1                    | \$ -                    | \$ 523,705                     |
| Due from other funds  | -                 | -                   | -                   | -                   | 22,845              | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 22,845                         |
| Assessments receivable  | -                 | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | 387,161             | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 387,161                        |
| Due from developer  | 38,961            | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 38,961                         |
| Prepaid items   | 54,408            | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 54,408                         |
| Deposits  | 18,979            | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 18,979                         |
| Restricted assets   |                   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                                |
| Cash and investments, at fair value                                 | -                 | 323,711             | 2,023,496           | 708,297             | 1,845,783           | 235,045             | 1                       | 8                       | 78,563                  | -                       | 1,945,867               | 7,160,771                      |
| Total Assets  | <u>\$ 636,052</u> | <u>\$ 323,711</u>   | <u>\$ 2,023,496</u> | <u>\$ 708,297</u>   | <u>\$ 1,868,628</u> | <u>\$ 622,206</u>   | <u>\$ 1</u>             | <u>\$ 8</u>             | <u>\$ 78,563</u>        | <u>\$ 1</u>             | <u>\$ 1,945,867</u>     | <u>\$ 8,206,830</u>            |
| <b>LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES AND FUND BALANCES</b> |                   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                                |
| <b>LIABILITIES</b>  |                   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                                |
| Accounts payable and accrued expenses                               | \$ 8,587          | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                    | \$ -                    | \$ -                    | \$ -                    | \$ 75,809               | \$ 84,396                      |
| Due to other funds  | 22,845            | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 22,845                         |
| Due to developer  | 2,567             | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 2,567                          |
| Contracts/retainage payable   | -                 | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 493,590                 | 493,590                        |
| Total Liabilities   | <u>33,999</u>     | <u>-</u>            | <u>-</u>            | <u>-</u>            | <u>-</u>            | <u>-</u>            | <u>-</u>                | <u>-</u>                | <u>-</u>                | <u>-</u>                | <u>569,399</u>          | <u>603,398</u>                 |
| Deferred Inflows of Resources                                       |                   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                                |
| Unavailable revenues  | 38,961            | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 38,961                         |
| <b>FUND BALANCES</b>  |                   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                                |
| Nonspendable - prepaid expenses/deposits                            | 73,387            | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 73,387                         |
| Restricted  |                   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                                |
| Debt service  | -                 | 323,711             | 2,023,496           | 708,297             | 1,868,628           | 622,206             | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 5,546,338                      |
| Capital projects  | -                 | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | 1                       | 8                       | 78,563                  | 1                       | 1,376,468               | 1,455,041                      |
| Assigned - capital reserve  | 212,552           | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 212,552                        |
| Unassigned  | 277,153           | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 277,153                        |
| Total Fund Balances   | <u>563,092</u>    | <u>323,711</u>      | <u>2,023,496</u>    | <u>708,297</u>      | <u>1,868,628</u>    | <u>622,206</u>      | <u>1</u>                | <u>8</u>                | <u>78,563</u>           | <u>1</u>                | <u>1,376,468</u>        | <u>7,564,471</u>               |
| Total Liabilities and Fund Balances                                 | <u>\$ 636,052</u> | <u>\$ 323,711</u>   | <u>\$ 2,023,496</u> | <u>\$ 708,297</u>   | <u>\$ 1,868,628</u> | <u>\$ 622,206</u>   | <u>\$ 1</u>             | <u>\$ 8</u>             | <u>\$ 78,563</u>        | <u>\$ 1</u>             | <u>\$ 1,945,867</u>     | <u>\$ 8,206,830</u>            |

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
**RECONCILIATION OF TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCES**  
**TO NET POSITION OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES**  
**September 30, 2021**

|  |                            |
|--|----------------------------|
| Total Governmental Fund Balances   | \$ 7,564,471               |
| Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position are different because:   |                            |
| Capital assets including land, \$4,758,054, construction in progress, \$24,592,242, buildings, \$6,791,321, infrastructure, \$2,390,650, stormwater management, \$4,044,416, and equipment, \$238,829, net of accumulated depreciation, \$(2,653,669), are not current financial resources, and therefore, are not reported at the fund level. | 40,161,843                 |
| Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, \$(39,470,000), net of bond discounts, \$334,040, and bond premiums, net, \$(89,770), and capital leases payable, \$(53,567), are not due and payable in the current period, and therefore, are not reported at the fund level.  | (39,279,297)               |
| Accrued interest expense for long-term debt is not a current financial use, and therefore, is not reported in the fund level.  | (812,511)                  |
| Unavailable revenues are not measurable and available at year end and therefore, not recognized at the fund level. Revenues are recognized when earned at the government-wide level.   | <u>38,961</u>              |
| Net Position of Governmental Activities  | <u><u>\$ 7,673,467</u></u> |

*See accompanying notes to financial statements.*

Triple Creek Community Development District  
**STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES –  
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS**  
For The Year Ended September 30, 2021

|  | General           | Debt<br>Service 200 | Debt<br>Service 201 | Debt<br>Service 202 | Debt<br>Service 203 | Debt<br>Service 205 | Capital<br>Projects 300 | Capital<br>Projects 301 | Capital<br>Projects 302 | Capital<br>Projects 303 | Capital<br>Projects 304 | Capital<br>Projects 305 | Total<br>Governmental<br>Funds |
|--|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>REVENUES</b>                              |                   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                                |
| Special assessments                          | \$ 1,717,197      | \$ 249,111          | \$ 737,358          | \$ 495,284          | \$ 1,527,925        | \$ 470,100          | \$ -                    | \$ -                    | \$ -                    | \$ -                    | \$ -                    | \$ -                    | \$ 5,196,975                   |
| Developer contributions                      | 300,000           | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 73,245                  | -                       | 373,245                        |
| Miscellaneous revenues                       | 16,989            | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 16,989                         |
| Investment earnings                          | 95                | 38                  | 256                 | 72                  | 124                 | 7                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | 65                      | -                       | 127                     | 784                            |
| Total Revenues                               | <u>2,034,281</u>  | <u>249,149</u>      | <u>737,614</u>      | <u>495,356</u>      | <u>1,528,049</u>    | <u>470,107</u>      | <u>-</u>                | <u>-</u>                | <u>-</u>                | <u>65</u>               | <u>73,245</u>           | <u>127</u>              | <u>5,587,993</u>               |
| <b>EXPENDITURES</b>                          |                   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                                |
| Current                                      |                   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                                |
| General government                           | 245,235           | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 245,235                        |
| Physical environment                         | 1,155,972         | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 1,155,972                      |
| Culture/recreation                           | 276,039           | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 276,039                        |
| Capital outlay                               | 37,558            | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | 957,276                 | 73,244                  | 6,572,481               | 7,640,559                      |
| Debt service                                 |                   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                                |
| Principal                                    | 19,353            | 55,000              | 165,000             | 125,000             | 270,000             | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 634,353                        |
| Interest                                     | 5,065             | 187,103             | 551,731             | 359,964             | 576,883             | 82,939              | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 1,763,685                      |
| Other  | -                 | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 342,950                 | 342,950                        |
| Total Expenditures                           | <u>1,739,222</u>  | <u>242,103</u>      | <u>716,731</u>      | <u>484,964</u>      | <u>846,883</u>      | <u>82,939</u>       | <u>-</u>                | <u>-</u>                | <u>-</u>                | <u>957,276</u>          | <u>73,244</u>           | <u>6,915,431</u>        | <u>12,058,793</u>              |
| Excess of revenues over/(under) expenditures | 295,059           | 7,046               | 20,883              | 10,392              | 681,166             | 387,168             | -                       | -                       | -                       | (957,211)               | 1                       | (6,915,304)             | (6,470,800)                    |
| Other Financing Sources/(Uses)               |                   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                         |                                |
| Issuance of long-term debt                   | -                 | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | 143,228             | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 8,291,772               | 8,435,000                      |
| Bond premium                                 | -                 | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | 91,810              | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 91,810                         |
| Transfers in                                 | -                 | -                   | -                   | 169                 | 597                 | -                   | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | -                       | 766                            |
| Transfers out                                | -                 | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                       | -                       | (169)                   | (597)                   | -                       | -                       | (766)                          |
| Total Other Financing Sources/Uses           | <u>-</u>          | <u>-</u>            | <u>-</u>            | <u>169</u>          | <u>597</u>          | <u>235,038</u>      | <u>-</u>                | <u>-</u>                | <u>(169)</u>            | <u>(597)</u>            | <u>-</u>                | <u>8,291,772</u>        | <u>8,526,810</u>               |
| Net change in fund balances                  | 295,059           | 7,046               | 20,883              | 10,561              | 681,763             | 622,206             | -                       | -                       | (169)                   | (957,808)               | 1                       | 1,376,468               | 2,056,010                      |
| Fund Balances - Beginning of year            | 268,033           | 316,665             | 2,002,613           | 697,736             | 1,186,865           | -                   | 1                       | 8                       | 169                     | 1,036,371               | -                       | -                       | 5,508,461                      |
| Fund Balances - End of year                  | <u>\$ 563,092</u> | <u>\$ 323,711</u>   | <u>\$ 2,023,496</u> | <u>\$ 708,297</u>   | <u>\$ 1,868,628</u> | <u>\$ 622,206</u>   | <u>\$ 1</u>             | <u>\$ 8</u>             | <u>\$ -</u>             | <u>\$ 78,563</u>        | <u>\$ 1</u>             | <u>\$ 1,376,468</u>     | <u>\$ 7,564,471</u>            |

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
**RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND**  
**CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE**  
**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES**  
**For the Year Ended September 30, 2021**

Net Change in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds \$ 2,056,010

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:

Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures; however, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation. This is the amount that capital outlay (\$7,640,559) exceeded depreciation (\$580,863) and disposal of assets (\$(16,900)) in the current period. 7,042,796

The issuance of long-term debt is recognized as an other financing source at the fund level, however, it increases liabilities at the government-wide level. (8,435,000)

Bond premium is recognized as an other financing source at the fund level in the year of issuance, however, it is netted with long-term liabilities at the government-wide level. (91,810)

Repayment of bond principal and capital leases are expenditures in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities at the government-wide level. 634,353

Bond discounts and premiums are amortized over the life of the bonds as interest. This is the current period amortization. (204,572)

Developer contributions related to debt extinguishment does not create a current financial resource, and therefore, is only recognized at the government-wide level. 69,384

At the fund level, revenues are recognized when they become available, however, revenues are recognized when they are earned at the government-wide level. This is the amount of the change in earned revenue that was not available. 38,961

In the Statement of Activities, interest is accrued on outstanding bonds, whereas in governmental funds, interest expenditures are reported when due. This is the net amount between the prior year and the current year accruals. (146,446)

Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities \$ 963,676

*See accompanying notes to financial statements.*



**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
**STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN**  
**FUND BALANCES – BUDGET AND ACTUAL – GENERAL FUND**  
**For the Year Ended September 30, 2021**

|                                   | <u>Original<br/>Budget</u> | <u>Final<br/>Budget</u> | <u>Actual</u>     | <u>Variance with<br/>Final Budget<br/>Positive<br/>(Negative)</u> |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|---|
| Revenues                          |                            |                         |                   |   |
| Special assessments               | \$1,701,519                | \$1,701,519             | \$ 1,717,197      | \$ 15,678   |
| Developer contributions           | 300,000                    | 300,000                 | 300,000           | -   |
| Miscellaneous revenues            | -                          | -                       | 16,989            | 16,989  |
| Investment earnings               | -                          | -                       | 95                | 95  |
| Total Revenues                    | <u>2,001,519</u>           | <u>2,001,519</u>        | <u>2,034,281</u>  | <u>32,762</u>   |
| Expenditures                      |                            |                         |                   |   |
| Current                           |                            |                         |                   |   |
| General government                | 217,894                    | 217,894                 | 245,235           | (27,341)  |
| Physical environment              | 1,375,401                  | 1,375,401               | 1,155,972         | 219,429   |
| Culture/recreation                | 408,224                    | 408,224                 | 276,039           | 132,185   |
| Capital outlay                    | -                          | -                       | 37,558            | (37,558)  |
| Debt Service                      |                            |                         |                   |   |
| Principal                         | -                          | -                       | 19,353            | (19,353)  |
| Interest                          | -                          | -                       | 5,065             | (5,065)   |
| Total Expenditures                | <u>2,001,519</u>           | <u>2,001,519</u>        | <u>1,739,222</u>  | <u>262,297</u>  |
| Net change in fund balances       | -                          | -                       | 295,059           | 295,059   |
| Fund Balances - Beginning of year | <u>-</u>                   | <u>-</u>                | <u>268,033</u>    | <u>268,033</u>  |
| Fund Balances - End of year       | <u>\$ -</u>                | <u>\$ -</u>             | <u>\$ 563,092</u> | <u>\$ 563,092</u>   |

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**September 30, 2021**

**NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The financial statements of Triple Creek Community Development District (the "District") have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The District's more significant accounting policies are described below.

**1. Reporting Entity**

The District was established on May 11, 2007 by Ordinance No. 07-14 of the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida. The District was established pursuant to the Uniform Community Development District Act of 1980, Chapter 190, Florida Statutes, as amended (the "Act"), as a Community Development District. The District was established for the purposes of financing and managing the acquisition, construction, maintenance and operation of the infrastructure necessary for community development within its jurisdiction. The District is governed by a five-member Board of Supervisors. Supervisors are elected on an at-large basis by qualified electors of the District. The District operates within the criteria established by Chapter 190, Florida Statutes. The Board has the responsibility for allocating and levying assessments, approving budgets, exercising control over facilities and properties, controlling the use of funds generated by the District, approving the hiring and firing of key personnel, and financing improvements.

The reporting entity for the District includes all functions of government in which the District's Board exercises oversight responsibility. Oversight responsibility includes, but is not limited to, financial interdependency, designation of management, significant ability to influence operations and accountability for fiscal matters. As required by GAAP, these financial statements present the Triple Creek Community Development District, (the primary government) as a stand-alone government.

Based upon the application of the above-mentioned criteria as set forth in Governmental Accounting Standards Board, the District has identified no component units.

**2. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting**

The basic financial statements of the District are composed of the following:

- Government-wide financial statements
- Fund financial statements
- Notes to financial statements

**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**September 30, 2021**

**NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

**2. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)**

**a. Government-wide Financial Statements**

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting.

Government-wide financial statements report all non-fiduciary information about the reporting government as a whole. These statements include the governmental activities of the primary government. The effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements.

Governmental activities are supported by special assessments and interest. Program revenues are netted with program expenses in the statement of activities to present the net cost of each program.

Amounts paid to acquire capital assets are capitalized as assets, rather than reported as an expenditure. Proceeds of long-term debt are recorded as liabilities in the government-wide financial statements, rather than as an other financing source.

Amounts paid to reduce long-term indebtedness of the reporting government are reported as a reduction of the related liability, rather than as an expenditure.

**b. Fund Financial Statements**

The underlying accounting system of the District is organized and operated on the basis of separate funds, each of which is considered to be a separate accounting entity. The operations of each fund are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, fund equity, revenues and expenditures or expenses, as appropriate. Governmental resources are allocated to and accounted for in individual funds based upon the purposes for which they are to be spent and the means by which spending activities are controlled.

Fund financial statements for the primary government's governmental funds are presented after the government-wide financial statements. These statements display information about major funds individually.

**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**September 30, 2021**

**NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

**2. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)**

**b. Fund Financial Statements (Continued)**

**Governmental Funds**

The District has implemented the Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement 54 – Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions. The Statement requires the fund balance for governmental funds to be reported in classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which the government is bound to honor constraints on the specific purposes for which amounts in those funds can be spent.

The District has various policies governing the fund balance classifications.

**Nonspendable Fund Balance** – This classification consists of amounts that cannot be spent because they are either not in spendable form or are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

**Restricted Fund Balance** – This classification includes amounts that can be spent only for specific purposes stipulated by the state constitution, external resource providers, or through enabling legislation.

**Assigned Fund Balance** – This classification consists of the Board of Supervisors' intent to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed. The assigned fund balances can also be assigned by the District's management company.

**Unassigned Fund Balance** – This classification is the residual classification for the government's general fund and includes all spendable amounts not contained in the other classifications. Unassigned fund balance is considered to be utilized first when expenditure is incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of those unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used.

**Fund Balance Spending Hierarchy** – For all governmental funds except special revenue funds, when restricted, committed, assigned, and unassigned fund balances are combined in a fund, qualified expenditures are paid first from restricted or committed fund balance, as appropriate, then assigned and finally unassigned fund balances.

**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**September 30, 2021**

**NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

**2. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)**

**b. Fund Financial Statements (Continued)**

**Governmental Funds (Continued)**

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collected within the current period or soon thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the District considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period.

Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. Interest associated with the current fiscal period is considered to be an accrual item and so has been recognized as revenue of the current fiscal period.

Under the current financial resources measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities are generally included on the balance sheet. The reported fund balance is considered to be a measure of “available spendable resources”. Governmental fund operating statements present increases (revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (expenditures and other financing uses) in net current assets. Accordingly, they are said to present a summary of sources and uses of “available spendable resources” during a period.

Because of their spending measurement focus, expenditure recognition for governmental fund types excludes amounts represented by non-current liabilities. Since they do not affect net current assets, such long-term amounts are not recognized as governmental fund type expenditures or fund liabilities.

Amounts expended to acquire capital assets are recorded as expenditures in the year that resources were expended, rather than as fund assets. The proceeds of long-term debt are recorded as an other financing source rather than as a fund liability.

Debt service expenditures are recorded only when payment is due.

**3. Basis of Presentation**

**a. Governmental Major Funds**

General Fund – The General Fund is the District’s primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

Debt Service Fund 200 – This Debt Service Fund accounts for the debt service requirements to retire Series 2012 special assessment bonds which were used to finance the construction of District infrastructure improvements and finance certain additional improvements. The bond series is secured by a pledge of debt service special assessment revenues in any fiscal year related to the improvements. A lien is placed on all benefited land in relationship to the debt outstanding.

**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**September 30, 2021**

**NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

**3. Basis of Presentation (Continued)**

**a. Governmental Major Funds (Continued)**

Debt Service Fund 201 – This Debt Service Fund accounts for the debt service requirements to retire Series 2017 special assessment bonds which were used to finance the construction of certain infrastructure improvements. The bond series is secured by a pledge of debt service special assessment revenues in any fiscal year related to the improvements. A lien is placed on all benefited land in relationship to the debt outstanding.

Debt Service Fund 202 – This Debt Service Fund accounts for the debt service requirements to retire Series 2018A special assessment bonds which were used to finance the construction of certain infrastructure improvements. The bond series is secured by a pledge of debt service special assessment revenues in any fiscal year related to the improvements. A lien is placed on all benefited land in relationship to the debt outstanding.

Debt Service Fund 203 – This Debt Service Fund accounts for the debt service requirements to retire Series 2019 special assessment bonds which were used to finance the construction of certain infrastructure improvements. The bond series is secured by a pledge of debt service special assessment revenues in any fiscal year related to the improvements. A lien is placed on all benefited land in relationship to the debt outstanding.

Debt Service Fund 205 – This Debt Service Fund accounts for the debt service requirements to retire Series 2021 special assessment bonds which were used to finance the construction of certain infrastructure improvements.

Capital Projects Fund 300 – This Capital Project Fund accounts for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major infrastructure within the District financed by the Series 2012 bonds.

Capital Projects Fund 301 – This Capital Project Fund accounts for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major infrastructure within the District financed by the Series 2017 bonds.

Capital Projects Fund 302 – This Capital Project Fund accounts for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major infrastructure within the District financed by the Series 2018A bonds.

Capital Projects Fund 303 – This Capital Project Fund accounts for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major infrastructure within the District financed by the Series 2019 bonds.

Capital Projects Fund 304 – This Capital Project Fund accounts for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major infrastructure within the District for the 2020 Capital Project.

Capital Projects Fund 305 – This Capital Project Fund accounts for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major infrastructure within the District for the 2020 Capital Project.

**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**September 30, 2021**

**NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

**3. Basis of Presentation (Continued)**

**b. Non-current Governmental Assets/Liabilities**

GASB Statement 34 requires that non-current governmental assets, such as land and buildings, and non-current governmental liabilities, such as special assessment bonds, be reported in the governmental activities column in the government-wide Statement of Net Position.

**4. Assets, Liabilities and Net Position or Equity**

**a. Cash and Investments**

Florida Statutes require state and local governmental units to deposit monies with financial institutions classified as "Qualified Public Depositories," a multiple financial institution pool whereby groups of securities pledged by the various financial institutions provide common collateral from their deposits of public funds. This pool is provided as additional insurance to the federal depository insurance and allows for additional assessments against the member institutions, providing full insurance for public deposits.

The District is authorized to invest in those financial instruments as established by Section 218.415, Florida Statutes. The authorized investments consist of:

1. Direct obligations of the United States Treasury;
2. The Local Government Surplus Funds Trust or any intergovernmental investment pool authorized pursuant to the Florida Interlocal Cooperative Act of 1969;
3. Interest-bearing time deposits or savings accounts in authorized qualified public depositories;
4. Securities and Exchange Commission, registered money market funds with the highest credit quality rating from a nationally recognized rating agency.

**b. Receivables and Payables**

Activities between funds that are representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year are referred to as "due to/from other funds". Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and business-type activities are reported as "internal balances".

**c. Net Position**

Net position is the difference between assets and deferred outflows of resources less liabilities and deferred inflows of resources. Net position in the government-wide financial statements are categorized as net investment in capital assets, restricted, or unrestricted. Net investment in capital assets represents net position related to infrastructure and property, plant and equipment. Restricted net position represents the assets restricted by the District's bond covenants and other contractual restrictions. Unrestricted net position consists of the net position not meeting the definition of either of the other two components.

**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**September 30, 2021**

**NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

**4. Assets, Liabilities and Net Position or Equity (Continued)**

**d. Capital Assets**

Capital assets, which include construction in progress, land and improvements, infrastructure, buildings and equipment are reported in the applicable governmental activities column.

The District defines capital assets as assets with an initial, individual cost of \$5,000 or more and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. The valuation basis for all assets is historical cost.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend its useful life are not capitalized.

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed.

Depreciation of capital assets is computed and recorded by utilizing the straight-line method. Estimated useful lives of the various classes of depreciable capital assets are as follows:

|                       |               |
|-----------------------|---------------|
| Equipment             | 5 years       |
| Infrastructure        | 15 - 20 years |
| Stormwater management | 25 years      |
| Buildings             | 30 years      |

**e. Unamortized Bond Discounts and Premiums**

Bond discounts and premiums associated with the issuance of revenue bonds are amortized according to the straight-line method of accounting. For financial reporting, unamortized bond discounts and premiums are netted with the applicable long-term debt.

**f. Budgets**

Budgets are prepared and adopted after public hearings for the governmental funds, pursuant to Chapter 190, Florida Statutes. The District utilizes the same basis of accounting for budgets as it does for revenues and expenditures in its various funds. The legal level of budgetary control is at the fund level. All budgeted appropriations lapse at year end. Formal budgets are adopted for the general and debt service funds. As a result, deficits in the budget variance columns of the accompanying financial statements may occur.



**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**September 30, 2021**

**NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

**4. Assets, Liabilities and Net Position or Equity (Continued)**

**g. Use of Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenditures during the period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

**h. Deferred Inflows of Resources**

Deferred inflows of resources represent an acquisition of net position that applies to a future reporting period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until then. The District only has one time that qualifies for reporting in the category. Unavailable revenues are reported only in the governmental funds balance sheet. This amount is deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period that amounts become available.

**NOTE B – CASH AND INVESTMENTS**

All deposits are held in qualified public depositories and are included on the accompanying balance sheet as cash and investments.

Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the District's deposits may not be returned to it. The District does not have a formal deposit policy for custodial credit risk, however, they follow the provisions of Chapter 280, Florida Statutes regarding deposits and investments. As of September 30, 2021, the District's bank balance was \$812,126 and carrying value was \$523,705. Exposure to custodial credit risk was as follows. The District maintains all deposits in a qualified public depository in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 280, Florida Statutes, which means that all deposits are fully insured by Federal Depositors Insurance or collateralized under Chapter 280, Florida Statutes.

As of September 30, 2021, the District had the following investments and maturities:

| <u>Investment</u>                     | <u>Maturity</u> | <u>Fair Value</u>  |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| Federated Govt Obligation Tax-Managed | 49 days*        | \$2,347,216        |
| Dreyfus Government Sec CM Investor    | 44 days*        | 4,813,555          |
| Total                                 |                 | <u>\$7,160,771</u> |

\*Maturity is a weighted average maturity.

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**NOTE B – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)**

Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits (Continued)

The District categorizes its fair value measurement within the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles. The fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset, or paid to transfer a liability, in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. The District uses a market approach in measuring fair value that uses prices and other relevant information generated by market transactions involving identical or similar assets, liabilities, or groups of assets and liabilities.

Assets or liabilities are classified into one of three levels. Level 1 is the most reliable and is based on quoted price for identical assets, or liabilities, in an active market. Level 2 uses significant other observable inputs when obtained quoted prices for identical or similar assets, or liabilities, in markets that are not active. Level 3 is the least reliable and uses significant unobservable inputs that uses the best information available under the circumstances which includes the District's own data in measuring unobservable inputs.

Based on the criteria in the preceding paragraph, the investments listed above are Level 1 assets.

Interest Rate Risk

The District does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

Credit Risk

The District's investments are limited by state statutory requirements and bond compliance. The District has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices. As of September 30, 2021, the District's investment in both of the Federated Government Obligation Tax-Managed Fund and the Dreyfus Government Sec CM Investor Fund noted above were rated AAAM by Standard & Poor's.

Concentration of Credit Risk

The District places no limit on the amount it may invest in any one fund. The investment in Federated Government Obligations Tax-Managed Fund represented 33% of the District's total investments and the investments in Dreyfus Government Sec CM Investor Fund represented 67% of the District's total investments.

The types of deposits and investments and their level of risk exposure as of September 30, 2021 were typical of these items during the fiscal year then ended. The District considers any decline in fair value for certain investments to be temporary.

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**NOTE C – SPECIAL ASSESSMENT REVENUES**

Assessments are non-ad valorem assessments imposed on assessable lands located within the District. Assessments may be levied on property to pay for the operation and maintenance of the District, as well as to pay for debt service on the District's Bonds. The fiscal year for which annual assessments may be levied begins October 1 with discounts available for payments through February 28 and become delinquent on April 1. For debt service assessments, amounts collected as advance payments are used to prepay a portion of the Bonds outstanding. Otherwise, assessments are collected annually to provide funds for the debt service on the portion of the Bonds which are not paid with prepaid assessments.

Assessments and interest associated with the current fiscal period are considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. The portion of assessments receivable due within the current fiscal period is considered to be susceptible to accrual as revenue of the current period.

**NOTE D – CAPITAL ASSETS**

Capital Asset activity for the year ended September 30, 2021 was as follows:

|   | October 1,<br>2020   | Additions           | Disposals          | September 30,<br>2021 |
|---|----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| <b><u>Governmental activities:</u></b>      |                      |                     |                    |                       |
| Capital assets, not being depreciated       |                      |                     |                    |                       |
| Land  | \$ 4,758,054         | \$ -                | \$ -               | \$ 4,758,054          |
| Construction in progress                    | 16,989,241           | 7,603,001           | -                  | 24,592,242            |
| Total capital assets, not being depreciated | <u>21,747,295</u>    | <u>7,603,001</u>    | <u>-</u>           | <u>29,350,296</u>     |
| Capital assets, being depreciated:          |                      |                     |                    |                       |
| Building                                    | 6,791,321            | -                   | -                  | 6,791,321             |
| Infrastructure                              | 2,390,650            | -                   | -                  | 2,390,650             |
| Stormwater management                       | 4,044,416            | -                   | -                  | 4,044,416             |
| Equipment                                   | 222,846              | 37,558              | (21,575)           | 238,829               |
| Total capital assets, being depreciated     | <u>13,449,233</u>    | <u>37,558</u>       | <u>(21,575)</u>    | <u>13,465,216</u>     |
| Less accumulated depreciation for:          |                      |                     |                    |                       |
| Building                                    | (519,025)            | (231,942)           | -                  | (750,967)             |
| Infrastructure                              | (636,852)            | (159,377)           | -                  | (796,229)             |
| Stormwater management                       | (817,247)            | (161,777)           | -                  | (979,024)             |
| Equipment                                   | (104,357)            | (27,767)            | 4,675              | (127,449)             |
| Total accumulated depreciation              | <u>(2,077,481)</u>   | <u>(580,863)</u>    | <u>4,675</u>       | <u>(2,653,669)</u>    |
| Total capital assets being depreciated, net | <u>11,371,752</u>    | <u>(543,305)</u>    | <u>(16,900)</u>    | <u>10,811,547</u>     |
| Governmental activities capital assets, net | <u>\$ 33,119,047</u> | <u>\$ 7,059,696</u> | <u>\$ (16,900)</u> | <u>\$ 40,161,843</u>  |

Depreciation of \$321,154 was charged to physical environment and \$259,709 was charged to culture/recreation.

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**NOTE E – LONG-TERM DEBT**

In June 2012, the District issued \$3,180,000 of Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2012 maturing on November 1, 2043 with a fixed interest rate ranging from 5.625% to 6.75%. The bonds were issued to finance the acquisition and construction of certain improvements for the benefit of the District. Interest is to be paid semiannually on each May 1 and November 1. Principal is to be paid serially commencing November 1, 2014 through November 1, 2043. The balance outstanding at September 30, 2021 was \$2,850,000.

In February 2017, the District issued \$9,850,000 Series 2017A Special Assessment Bonds maturing on November 1, 2046 with fixed interest rates ranging from 5.25% to 6.125%. These bonds were issued to finance a portion of the cost of acquisition, construction, installation, and equipping of the Series 2017 Project. The balance outstanding on the Series 2017A Bonds at September 30, 2021 was \$9,115,000.

In July 2018, the District issued \$7,550,000 Series 2018A Special Assessment Bonds, due in annual principal installments beginning November 2019, maturing November 2048. Interest is due semi-annually on May 1 and November 1, beginning November 1, 2018, at a rate of 4.2% on the \$795,000 bonds, with a maturity date of November 1, 2024, 4.7% on the \$830,000 bonds, with a maturity date of November 1, 2029, 5.125% on the \$2,105,000 bonds, with a maturity date of November 1, 2038, and 5.375% on the \$3,820,000 bonds, with a maturity date of November 1, 2048. The balance outstanding on the Series 2018A Bonds at September 30, 2021 is \$6,960,000.

In June 2019, the District issued \$9,490,000 Series 2019A Special Assessment Bonds due in annual principal installments beginning May 2021, maturing May 2050. Interest is due semi-annually on May 1 and November 1, beginning November 1, 2019, at a fixed interest rate ranging from 3.875% to 4.750%. The balance outstanding on the Series 2019A Bonds at September 30, 2021 is \$9,315,000.

In June 2019, the District issued \$5,200,000 Series 2019B Special Assessment Bonds due in one balloon payment in May 2032. Interest is due semi-annually on May 1 and November 1, beginning November 1, 2019, at a fixed interest rate of 4.875%. The balance outstanding on the Series 2019B Bonds at September 30, 2021 is \$2,795,000.

In January 2021, the District issued \$8,435,000 Series 2021 Villages N & P Project Special Assessment Bonds. These bonds were issued to finance the acquisition and construction of certain improvements for the benefit of the District. The balance outstanding at September 30, 2021 was \$8,435,000.

**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
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**NOTE E – LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)**

The following is a summary of activity for long-term debt of the District for the year ended September 30, 2021:

|  |  |                                 |
|--|--|---------------------------------|
| Long-term debt at October 1, 2020              |  | \$ 31,650,000                   |
| Issuance of new debt                           |  | 8,435,000                       |
| Principal payments                             |  | <u>(615,000)</u>                |
| Long-term debt at September 30, 2021           |  | 39,470,000                      |
| Less: bond discount, net                       |  | (334,040)                       |
| Plus: bond premium, net                        |  | <u>89,770</u>                   |
| <br>Total long-term debt at September 30, 2021 |  | <br><u><u>\$ 39,225,730</u></u> |

The annual requirements to amortize the principal and interest of bonded debt outstanding as of September 30, 2021 are as follows:

| Year Ending<br>September 30, | Principal                   | Interest                    | Total                       |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 2022                         | \$ 745,000                  | \$ 1,938,471                | \$ 2,683,471                |
| 2023                         | 715,000                     | 1,909,481                   | 2,624,481                   |
| 2024                         | 735,000                     | 1,879,884                   | 2,614,884                   |
| 2025                         | 770,000                     | 1,848,971                   | 2,618,971                   |
| 2026                         | 800,000                     | 1,815,667                   | 2,615,667                   |
| 2027-2031                    | 4,540,000                   | 8,499,778                   | 13,039,778                  |
| 2032-2036                    | 8,605,000                   | 6,703,703                   | 15,308,703                  |
| 2037-2041                    | 7,360,000                   | 4,895,088                   | 12,255,088                  |
| 2042-2046                    | 9,160,000                   | 2,705,944                   | 11,865,944                  |
| 2047-2050                    | 6,040,000                   | 580,194                     | 6,620,194                   |
| Totals                       | <u><u>\$ 39,470,000</u></u> | <u><u>\$ 32,777,181</u></u> | <u><u>\$ 72,247,181</u></u> |

**Triple Creek Community Development District**  
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**NOTE E – LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)**

Summary of Significant Bonds Resolution Terms and Covenants

The District levies special assessments pursuant to Section 190.022, Florida Statutes and the assessment rolls are approved by resolutions of the District Board. The collections are to be strictly accounted for and applied to the debt service of the bond series for which they were levied. The District covenants to levy special assessments in annual amounts adequate to provide for payment of principal and interest on the bonds. Payment of principal and interest is dependent on the money available in the debt service fund and the District's ability to collect special assessments levied.

The Series 2012 Bonds are subject to redemption prior to maturity, in whole on any date, or in part at any time on or after November 1, 2032 and the Series 2017A Bonds may be redeemed at anytime after November 1, 2030, at the redemption price of par, together with accrued interest to the date of redemption. The Series 2017B Bonds are not subject to redemption at the option of the District. The Series 2012 and Series 2017 Bonds are subject to extraordinary mandatory redemption prior to their selected maturity date in the manner determined by the Bond Registrar if certain events occurred as outlined in the Bond Indenture.

The Series 2018A Bonds are subject to redemption at the option of the District prior to their maturity, in whole or in part, at any time after November 1, 2031 at a redemption price equal to the principal amount of the Series 2018A Bonds to be redeemed, together with accrued interest to the date of redemption. The Series 2018A Bonds are subject to extraordinary mandatory redemption prior to maturity in the manner determined by the Bond Registrar if certain events occurred as outlined in the Trust Indenture.

The Series 2019A Bonds are subject to redemption at the option of the District prior to their maturity, in whole or in part, at any time after November 1, 2029 at a redemption price equal to the principal amount of the Series 2019A Bonds to be redeemed, without premium, plus accrued interest to the date of redemption. The Series 2019B Bonds shall not be subject to redemption at the option of the District. The Series 2019A Bonds and Series 2019B Bonds are subject to extraordinary mandatory redemption prior to maturity in the manner determined by the Bond Registrar if certain events occurred as outlined in the Trust Indenture.

The Series 2021 Villages N & P Project Bonds are subject to redemption at the option of the District prior to their maturity, in whole or in part, at any time after November 1, 2031 at a redemption price of 100% of the principal amount thereof, without premium, plus accrued interest to the date of redemption. The Series 2021 Villages N & P Project Bonds are subject to extraordinary mandatory redemption prior to maturity in the manner determined by the Bond Registrar if certain events occurred as outlined in the Trust Indenture.

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**NOTE E – LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)**

The bond indentures provides for Debt Service Reserve Funds, which shall be held by the Trustee separate and apart from all other funds. The following is a schedule of reserve requirements and balances in the reserve accounts at September 30, 2021:

|                            | Special Assessment<br>Bonds |                        |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
|                            | Reserve<br>Balance          | Reserve<br>Requirement |
| Series 2012                | \$ 127,224                  | \$ 123,372             |
| Series 2017A               | \$ 659,703                  | \$ 650,101             |
| Series 2018A               | \$ 379,350                  | \$ 371,194             |
| Series 2019A               | \$ 590,906                  | \$ 590,431             |
| Series 2019B               | \$ 253,500                  | \$ 136,256             |
| Series 2021 Villages N & P | \$ 235,038                  | \$ 235,038             |

Developer Advance

During fiscal year 2016, the District entered into an agreement with the Developer to fund certain construction expenditures totaling \$309,742. There is no longer construction in progress for this project and the Developer is no longer seeking reimbursement, therefore, the Developer contributed the remaining debt, \$69,384.

**NOTE F – CAPITAL LEASE PAYABLE**

In the current year, the District entered into a 60-month capital lease agreement for fitness equipment. The lease agreement has an end of lease purchase option which qualifies it as a capital lease; therefore, the lease has been recorded at the present value of the future minimum lease payments. The property being leased has a cost of \$103,957 and a carrying value of \$53,568.

The future minimum lease obligation and the net present value of these minimum lease payments at September 30, 2021 were as follows:

| Year Ending<br>September 30,            | Lease<br>Payment |
|---|------------------|
| 2022                                    | \$ 24,418        |
| 2023                                    | 24,418           |
| 2024                                    | 10,177           |
| Total minimum lease payments            | 59,013           |
| Less: amount representing interest      | 5,446            |
| Present value of minimum lease payments | \$ 53,567        |

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**NOTE G – ECONOMIC DEPENDENCY**

The developer owns a significant portion of the land in the District. The District's activity is dependent upon the continued involvement of the Developer, the loss of which could have a material adverse effect on the District's operations.

**NOTE H – RISK MANAGEMENT**

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; natural disasters; and environmental remediation. The District has obtained commercial insurance from independent third parties to mitigate the costs of these risks; coverage may not extend to all situations. Settled claims from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage over the past three years.

**NOTE I – SUBSEQUENT EVENT**

In November 2021, the District issued \$7,560,000 Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2021 Villages Q & R Project to finance the acquisition and/or construction of improvements.





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## **INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS**

To the Board of Supervisors  
Triple Creek Community Development District  
Hillsborough County, Florida

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of Triple Creek Community Development District, as of and for the year ended September 30, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated August 31, 2022.

### **Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Triple Creek Community Development District's internal control as a basis for designing the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Triple Creek Community Development District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Triple Creek Community Development District's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Board of Supervisors  
Triple Creek Community Development District

### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Triple Creek Community Development District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

### **Purpose of this Report**

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.



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## MANAGEMENT LETTER

To the Board of Supervisors  
Triple Creek Community Development District  
Hillsborough County, Florida

### Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the financial statements of the Triple Creek Community Development District as of and for the year ended September 30, 2021, and have issued our report thereon dated August 31, 2022.

### Auditor's Responsibility

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States and Chapter 10.550, Rules of the Florida Auditor General.

### Other Reports and Schedule

We have issued our Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and our Independent Auditor's Report on an examination conducted in accordance with AICPA Professionals Standards, AT-C Section 315 regarding compliance requirements in accordance with Chapter 10.550, Rules of the Auditor General. Disclosures in that report, which is dated August 31, 2022, should be considered in conjunction with this management letter.

### Prior Audit Findings

Section 10.554(1)(i)1., Rules of the Auditor General, requires that we determine whether or not corrective actions have been made to address findings and recommendations made in the preceding financial audit report. There were no findings or recommendations made in the preceding financial audit report.

### Financial Condition

Section 10.554(1)(i)5.a. and 10.556(7), Rules of the Auditor General, requires us to apply appropriate procedures and communicate the results of our determination as to whether or not Triple Creek Community Development District has met one or more of the conditions described in Section 218.503(1), Florida Statutes, and to identify the specific conditions met. In connection with our audit, we determined that the Triple Creek Community Development District did not meet any of the conditions described in Section 218.503(1), Florida Statutes.

To the Board of Supervisors  
Triple Creek Community Development District

Pursuant to Sections 10.554(1)(i)5.b. and 10.556(8), Rules of the Auditor General, we applied financial conditions assessment procedures as of September 30, 2021 for the Triple Creek Community Development District. It is management's responsibility to monitor the Triple Creek Community Development District's financial condition; our financial condition assessment was based in part on the representations made by management and the review of the financial information provided by the same.

Section 10.554(1)(i)2., Rules of the Auditor General, requires that we communicate any recommendations to improve financial management. In connection with our audit, we did not have any such recommendations.

### **Specific Information**

The information provided below was provided by management and has not been audited; therefore, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information.

As required by Section 218.39(3)(c) and Section 218.32(1)(c), Florida Statutes, and Section 10.554(1)(i)6, Rules of the Auditor General, the Triple Creek Community Development District reported:

- 1) The total number of district employees compensated in the last pay period of the District's fiscal year: N/A
- 2) The total number of independent contractors to whom nonemployee compensation, defined as individuals or entities that receive 1099s, was paid in the last month of the District's fiscal year: 19
- 3) All compensation earned by or awarded to employees, whether paid or accrued, regardless of contingency: N/A
- 4) All compensation earned by or awarded to nonemployee independent contractors, defined as entities or individuals that receive 1099s, whether paid or accrued, regardless of contingency: \$717,893
- 5) Each construction project with a total cost of at least \$65,000 approved by the District that is scheduled to begin on or after October 1, 2020, together with the total expenditures for such project: The Villages N & P Project, \$7,640,559.
- 6) A budget variance based on the budget adopted under Section 189.016(4), Florida Statutes, before the beginning of the fiscal year being reported if the District amends a final adopted budget under Section 189.016(6), Florida Statutes: The FY 2021 budget was not amended.

Board of Supervisors  
Triple Creek Community Development District

As required by Section 218.39(3)(c) and Section 218.32(1)(c), Florida Statutes, and Section 10.554(1)(i)8, Rules of the Auditor General, the Triple Creek Community Development District reported:

- 7) The rate or rates of non-ad valorem special assessments imposed by the District: General Fund \$112.25 - \$1,200.00, and Debt Service Fund \$412.72 - \$1,913.27.
- 8) The amount of special assessments collected by or on behalf of the District: \$5,196,975.
- 9) The total amount of outstanding bonds issued by the District and the terms of such bonds. See Note E, pages 26 - 29.

**Additional Matters**

Section 10.554(1)(i)3., Rules of the Auditor General, requires us to communicate noncompliance with provisions of contracts or grant agreements, or abuse, that have occurred, or are likely to have occurred, that have an effect on the financial statements that is less than material but warrants the attention of those charged with governance. In connection with our audit, we noted no such findings.

**Purpose of this Letter**

Our Management Letter is intended solely for the information and use of the Legislative Auditing Committee, members of the Florida Senate and the Florida House of Representatives, the Florida Auditor General, Federal and other granting agencies, the Board of Supervisors, and applicable management, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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**INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT/COMPLIANCE WITH  
SECTION 218.415, FLORIDA STATUTES**

To the Board of Supervisors  
Triple Creek Community Development District  
Hillsborough County, Florida

We have examined Triple Creek Community Development District's compliance with Section 218.415, Florida Statutes during the year ended September 30, 2021. Management is responsible for Triple Creek Community Development District's compliance with those requirements. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on Triple Creek Community Development District's compliance based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and, accordingly, included examining, on a test basis, evidence about Triple Creek Community Development District's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our examination provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our examination does not provide a legal determination on Triple Creek Community Development District's compliance with the specified requirements.

In our opinion, Triple Creek Community Development District complied, in all material respects, with the aforementioned requirements during the year ended September 30, 2021.

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