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HUERFANO COUNTY GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

Date: May 9, 2023
To: Huerfano County Board of County Commissioners
From: Carl Young, County Administrator
Re: Report for the May 9 Regular BOCC Meeting

Commissioners please accept the following report of accomplishments, updates, and upcoming activities.

File Scanning Project

Yesterday RMMI picked up our land use and payroll records for scanning. These files will be scanned and indexed. The process will take approximately 3 months and priority has been given to the payroll records. The land use files are more complicated and may take longer. Scanning should be done within the next week or so.

2022 Audit Update

After a discussion with the Finance Team and our consulting accountants, we have requested to move the auditor's field visit back a few weeks. The new tentative date is the week of June 19th. We are in the final stages of preparing the trial balances and supporting documentation. Staff are working on making journal entries and double checking files, while our consultants continue to recommend adjustments as well as prepare and review required supporting documentation including depreciation, the schedule of federal awards, and the newly required lease review.

Legislative Update

With the State Legislative Session ended yesterday and this report is only current through mid-day yesterday. Below are updates for the legislation I have been watching. Colorado Counties Inc. will have a full summary next Monday.

- HB23-1057 Restroom Amenities for All Genders in Public Buildings - Passed
- HB23-1066 Public Access Landlocked Publicly Owned Land – Failed (Postponed Indefinitely)
- HB23-1075 Wildfire Evacuation and Clearance Time Modeling - Passed
- SB23-166 Establishment of A Wildfire Resiliency Code Board - Passed
- SB23-108 Allowing Temporary Reductions in Property Tax Due - Passed
- SB23-213 Omnibus Land Use Bill – Still Under Consideration
- SB23-303 Reduce Property Taxes And Voter-approved Revenue Change – Still Under Consideration