

**NOTICE TO ELECTORS**  
**SPECIAL DISTRICT TRANSPARENCY NOTICE - 2020**  
Pursuant to Section 32-1-809, Colorado Revised Statutes

This information must be provided<sup>1</sup> to the eligible electors of the district between November 15, 2019 and January 15, 2020.

Name of special district	Sterling Rural Fire Protection District	
Address and telephone number of district's principal business office	P. O. Box 583, Sterling, CO 80751 (970) 520-7231	
Name and telephone number of manager or other primary contact person for district	Robert E. Blake, Secretary to the Board (970) 520-7231 r.blake@bresnan.net	
District website	<a href="http://www.sterlingruralfire.com">www.sterlingruralfire.com</a>	
Time and place designated for regular board meetings  (Pursuant to §32-1-903, C.R.S.)	The third Monday of every month at 7:00 p.m. at 410 North 5 <sup>th</sup> Street, Sterling, CO 80751	
Posting place designated for meeting notice (Pursuant to §24-6-402(2)(c), C.R.S.)	Sterling Fire Department, 410 North 5 <sup>th</sup> Street, Sterling, CO Premier Farm Credit, 229 South 3 <sup>rd</sup> Street, Sterling, CO Supreme Ag Service, 200 Union Pacific Ave., Sterling, CO	
District mill levy	5.625 mills certified for collection in 2020	
Total ad valorem tax revenue received by district during 2016 (Note if unaudited or otherwise incomplete.)	\$737,323 (unaudited 2019)	
Names of board members  (Check applicable boxes for any board member whose seat will be on the ballot at the May 2020 election.)	(1) Stanley C. Kaiser – Chairman 9810 CR 14, Merino, CO 970-520-0360 sikaiser@kci.com <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This office is on the May 2022 ballot. <input type="checkbox"/> Two-year term <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three-year term	(2) Darren Luft 54041 CR 34, Sterling, CO 970-520-0763 dpluft@kci.net <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This office will be on the May 2020 ballot. <input type="checkbox"/> Two-year term <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three-year term
	(3) Gary Nelson 326 Delmar Street, Sterling, CO 970-520-6667 garynelson51@gmail.com <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This office will be on the May 2022 ballot. <input type="checkbox"/> Two-year term <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three-year term	(4) Wesley W. Pollart 17568 Skyline Court, Sterling, CO 970-580-5919 pollartw@gmail.com <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This office will be on the May 2022 ballot. <input type="checkbox"/> Two-year term <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three-year term
	(5) Michal Mills 25577 CR 55, Iliff, CO 970-580-5905 mmills4320@yahoo.com <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This office will be on the May 2020 ballot. <input type="checkbox"/> Two-year term <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three-year term	
For seven-member boards:	(6) N/A	(7) N/A
Date of next regular election	May 5, 2020	
Self-nomination forms to be a candidate for district board member may be obtained from	Robert E. Blake, Designated Election Official 207 Springdale Road, Sterling, CO (970) 520-7231	

Self-nomination forms to be a candidate for district board member should be returned to	Robert E. Blake, Designated Election Official 207 Springdale Road, Sterling, CO (970) 520-7231
Completed self-nomination forms must be received by the district by	February 28, 2020, no later than 5:00 p.m.

District election results will be posted on these websites:	Secretary of State <a href="http://www.sos.state.co.us">www.sos.state.co.us</a>	District or other website: <a href="http://www.sterlingruralfire.com">www.sterlingruralfire.com</a> <a href="https://dola.colorado.gov/lgis">https://dola.colorado.gov/lgis</a>
Absentee voting and permanent absentee voter status  Where to obtain and return applications:  (Pursuant to §1-13.5-1003, C.R.S.)	may be obtained from:  Robert E. Blake, Designated Election Official 207 Springdale Road, Sterling, CO (970) 520-7231	and may be returned to:  Sue Blair, Designated Election Official c/o Community Resource Services of Colorado, LLC 7995 East Prentice Avenue, Suite 103C Greenwood Village, CO 80111 (303) 381-4960
Notice completed by:	Name: Rhonda S. Bilek Title: District Administrator c/o Community Resource Services of Colorado, LLC E-mail: <a href="mailto:rbilek@crsofcolorado.com">rbilek@crsofcolorado.com</a>	Notice Revised and Updated: January 6, 2020  Some information herein may be subject to change.

File copy of this Notice with:

- Clerk and Recorder of each county in which district is wholly or partially located;
- Assessor of each county in which the district is wholly or partially located;
- Treasurer of each county in which the district is wholly or partially located;
- Board of county commissioners of each county in which the district is wholly or partially located;
- Governing body of any municipality in which the district is wholly or partially located;
- Division of Local Government; and
- District's principal business office (make available for public inspection).

<sup>1</sup> Notice must be provided in one or more of the following manners:

- a) Mail notice separately to each household where one or more eligible electors of the special district resides (Note: Districts with overlapping boundaries may combine mailed notices, so long as the information regarding each district is separately displayed and identified);
- b) Include notice as a prominent part of a newsletter, annual report, billing insert, billing statement, letter, voter information card or other notice of election, or other informational mailing sent by the district to the eligible electors;
- c) Post notice on district's official website (Note: You must also provide the Division of Local Government (<https://dola.colorado.gov/lgis>) with the address of your district's website to establish a link on the DLG's site);
- d) Post notice on website of the Special District Association of Colorado ([www.sdaco.org](http://www.sdaco.org)) (Note: Your district must be an SDA member. Send notice to SDA by mail or electronic transmission); or
- e) For a special district with less than one thousand eligible electors that is wholly located within a county with a population of less than thirty thousand, posting the notice in at least three public places within the limits of the special district and, in addition, posting a notice in the office of the county clerk and recorder of the county in which the special district is located. Such notices shall remain posted until the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of the following May.

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