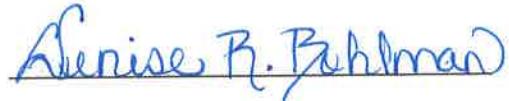


## CERTIFICATE AS TO RESOLUTION AND ADOPTING VOTE

I, the undersigned, being the duly qualified and acting recording officer of the City of Billings, Montana (the City), hereby certify that the attached resolution is a true copy of Resolution No. 21-10926 entitled: **RESOLUTION RELATING TO SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1416; DECLARING IT TO BE THE INTENTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL TO CREATE THE DISTRICT FOR THE PURPOSE OF UNDERTAKING CERTAIN LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS AND FINANCING THE COSTS THEREOF AND INCIDENTAL THERETO THROUGH THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT BONDS SECURED BY THE CITY'S SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT REVOLVING FUND** (the Resolution" was duly adopted by the City Council of the City at a meeting on February 22, 2021 that the meeting was duly held by the City Council and was attended throughout by a quorum, pursuant to call and notice of such meeting given as required by law; and that the Resolution has not as of the date hereof been amended or repealed.)

I further certify that, upon vote being taken on the Resolution at said meeting, the following Councilmembers voted in favor thereof: Shaw, Yakawich, Neese, Ewalt, Joy, Choriki, Purinton, Ronning, Boyett, Brown and Mayor Cole; voted against the same: None; or were absent: None.

WITNESS my hand officially this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 2021.



Denise R. Bohlman, City Clerk



RESOLUTION 21-10926

**RESOLUTION RELATING TO SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT  
NO. 1416; DECLARING IT TO BE THE INTENTION OF THE CITY  
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THE COSTS THEREOF AND INCIDENTAL THERETO THROUGH THE  
ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT BONDS  
SECURED BY THE CITY'S SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT  
REVOLVING FUND**

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Billings (the City), Montana, as follows:

**Section 1. Proposed Improvements: Intention To Create District.** The City proposes to undertake certain local Improvements (the "Improvements") to benefit certain property located in the City. The Improvements consist of the construction of Gleneagles Boulevard, as more particularly described in Section 5. The total estimated costs of the Improvements are \$781,511.80. The costs of the Improvements are to be paid from the following sources: (1) \$110,000.00 of Special Improvement District bonds hereinafter described; (2) \$500,367.83 of cash contribution by Ron Hill, the owner of 14 of the 17 lots in the District; and (3) \$171,143.97 of cash contribution by the City of Billings, as more particularly described in Sections 6 and 9(f). It is the intention of this Council to create and establish in the City under Montana Code Annotated, Title 7, Chapter 12, Parts 41 and 42, as amended, a Special Improvement District (the "District") for the purpose of financing costs of the Improvements and paying costs incidental thereto, including costs associated with the sale and the security of Special Improvement District bonds drawn on the District (the "Bonds"), the creation and administration of the District, the funding of a deposit to the City's Special Improvement District Revolving Fund (the "Revolving Fund"). The total estimated costs of the Improvements, including such incidental costs, to be financed by the Bonds are \$110,000.00. The Bonds are to be payable primarily from special assessments to be levied against property in the District, which property will be specially benefited by the Improvements.

**Section 2. Number of District.** The District, if the same shall be created and established, shall be known and designated as Special Improvement District No. 1416 of the City of Billings, Montana.

**Section 3. Boundaries of District.** The limits and boundaries of the District are depicted on a map attached as Exhibit A hereto (which is hereby incorporated herein and made a part hereof) and more particularly described on Exhibit B hereto (which is hereby incorporated herein and made a part hereof), which boundaries are designated and confirmed as the boundaries of the District. A listing of each of the properties in the District is shown on Exhibit C hereto (which are hereby incorporated herein and made a part hereof).

**Section 4. Benefited Property.** The District and territory included within the limits and boundaries described in Section 3 and as shown on Exhibits A, B, and C are hereby declared to be the Special Improvement District and the territory which will benefit and be benefited by the Improvements and will be assessed for the costs of the Improvements as described in Section 7.

**Section 5. General Character of the Improvements.** The general character of the Improvements, as shown in Exhibit D, is the construction of Gleneagles Boulevard. This includes construction of water, sanitary sewer, storm drain, curb and gutter, and street improvements.

**Section 6. Engineer and Estimated Cost.** The Engineer for this project will be Stahly Engineering & Associates, Inc. who was chosen from proposals. Stahly Engineering & Associates, Inc. has estimated that the costs of the Improvements, including all incidental costs, are \$781,511.80.

**Section 7. Assessment Methods.**

**7.1. Property to be Assessed.** All properties within the district are to be assessed for the costs of the Improvements, as specified herein. The costs of the Improvements shall be assessed against the property in the District benefiting from the Improvements based on the equal amount methods described in Section 7-12-4162, M.C.A., as particularly applied and set forth in this Section 7.

**7.1.1 Area Option Method.**

Assessment #1 will include the construction of water and water service, sanitary sewer and sanitary sewer services, storm drain and street improvements to Gleneagles Boulevard. The properties to be assessed for these improvements include Lake Hills Subdivision 16<sup>th</sup> Filing, Block 17, Lot 6A, Block 11, Lot 16, Lake Hills 17<sup>th</sup> Filing, Block 11, Lots 17-24, Block 17, Lots 1-6, Block 1, Lots 20-21. The total estimated cost of Assessment #1 is \$110,000.00 and shall be assessed against each lot, tract, or parcel of land within the District, as above-mentioned, receiving water, sanitary sewer, storm drain and street improvements and not paying a cash contribution, for that part of the costs of the Improvements that the assessable area of such lot, tract, or parcel bears to the total assessable area of the lots, tract, or parcels of land within the District. The total assessable area of lots to be assessed is 44,632 square feet. The costs of the improvements and the incidental costs to be financed by the Bonds assessable to the District parcels per square foot of assessable area are estimated to be \$2.464599. The remaining parcels within Assessment #1 are owned by Ron Hill, which will be making a cash contribution for their assessment for a total of \$500,367.83.

**7.2. Assessment Methodologies Equitable and Consistent With Benefit.** This Council hereby determines that the methods of assessment and the assessment of costs of the specific improvements against the properties benefited thereby as prescribed in this Section 7 are equitable in proportion to and not exceeding the special benefits derived from the respective improvements by the lots, tracts, and parcels to be assessed therefore within the District.

**Section 8. Payment of Assessments.** The special assessments for the costs of the Improvements shall be payable over a term not exceeding 15 years, each in equal semiannual installments of principal, plus interest, or equal semiannual payments of principal and interest, as this Council shall prescribe in the resolution authorizing the issuance of the Bonds. Property Owners have the right to prepay assessments as provided by law. Further, all owners shall have the opportunity to prepay their assessments prior to sale of the SID bonds.

## **Section 9. Method of Financing; Pledge of Revolving Fund: Findings and Determinations.**

The City will issue the Bonds in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$110,000.00 in order to finance the costs of the Improvements. Principal of and interest on the Bonds will be paid from special assessments levied against the properties in the District. This Council further finds it is in the public interest, and in the best interest of the City and the District, to secure payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds by the Revolving Fund and hereby authorizes the city to enter into the undertakings and agreements authorized in Section 7-12-4225 in respect of the Bonds.

In determining to authorize such undertakings and agreements, this Council has taken into consideration the following factors:

(a) **Estimated Market Value of Parcels.** The estimated market value of the lots, parcels, or tracts in the District as of the date of adoption of this resolution, as estimated, by the County Assessor for property tax purposes ranges from \$3,911.00 to \$63,068.00, and is set forth in Exhibit E. The average market value is \$7,910.18 with the median being \$3,911.00. The special assessments to be levied under Section 7 against each lot, parcel, or tract in the District is less than the increase in estimated value of the lot, parcel, or tract as a result of the construction of the Improvements.

(b) **Diversity of Property Ownership.** There is a total of 17 parcels within the district boundaries. No improvements, public or private, are located on any of the parcels within the District. Fourteen (14) of these parcels are owned by Ron Hill. The remaining 3 parcels are owned by separate owners.

(c) **Comparison of Special Assessments and Property Taxes and Market Value.** Based on an analysis of the aggregate amount of the proposed, any outstanding special assessments (whether or not delinquent), and any delinquent property taxes (as well as any known industrial development bonds theretofore issued and secured by a mortgage against a parcel in the District) against each lot, parcel, or tract in the District in comparison to the estimated market value of such lot, parcel, or tract after the Improvements, the City concludes that, overall, the estimated market value of the lots, tracts, or parcels of land in the District exceeds the sum of special assessments, delinquent property taxes, and current assessments and is set forth in Exhibit E.

(d) **Delinquencies.** An analysis of the amount of delinquencies in the payment of outstanding special assessments or property taxes levied against the properties in the District shows that of 17 properties, zero (0) properties were delinquent, and is set forth in Exhibit E.

(e) **The Public Benefit of the Improvements.** The total estimated costs of the Improvements are \$781,511.80. The costs of the Improvements are to be paid from the following sources: (1) \$110,000.00 of Special Improvement District bonds hereinafter described; (2) \$500,367.83 of cash contribution by Ron Hill, the owner of 14 of the 17 lots in the District; and (3) \$171,143.97 cash contribution by the City of Billings. All of the properties within the District are zoned Residential 9600. The public improvements contemplated under the terms of this proposed District are required by the City Subdivision, Site Development and

Zoning Ordinances in order for the parcels to develop.

(f) **Other Factors.** As previously noted, Ron Hill, owner of 14 of the 17 lots in the District will pay a cash contribution of \$500,367.83 and the City of Billings will pay a cash contribution of \$171,143.97 to the project. The cash contribution from Ron Hill represents 64 percent of the construction and administrative costs of the Improvements. This condition is necessary to satisfy the City's Special Improvement District Policy regarding raw land subdivision.

#### **Section 10. Reimbursement Expenditures.**

**10.01. Regulations.** The United States Department of Treasury has promulgated final regulations governing the use of proceeds of tax-exempt bonds, all or a portion of which are to be used to reimburse the City for project expenditures paid by the City prior to the date of issuance of such bonds. Those regulations (Treasury Regulations, Section 1.150-2) (the "Regulations") require that the City adopt a statement of official intent to reimburse an original expenditure not later than 60 days after payment of the original expenditure. The Regulations also generally require that the bonds be issued and the reimbursement allocation made from the proceeds of the bonds within 18 months (or three years, if the reimbursement bond issue qualifies for the "small issuer" exception from the arbitrage rebate requirement) after the later of (i) the date the expenditure is paid or (ii) the date the project is placed in service or abandoned, but (unless the issue qualifies for the "small issuer" exception from the arbitrage rebate requirement) in no event more than three years after the date the expenditure is paid. The Regulations generally permit reimbursement of capital expenditures and costs of issuance of the bonds.

**10.02. Prior Expenditures.** Other than (i) expenditures to be paid or reimbursed from sources other than the Bonds, (ii) expenditures permitted to be reimbursed under the transitional provision contained in Section 1.150-2(j)(2) of the Regulations, (iii) expenditures constituting preliminary expenditures within the meaning of Section 1.150-2(f)(2) of the Regulations, or (iv) expenditures in a "de minimus" amount (as defined in Section 1.150-2(f)(1) of the Regulations), no expenditures for the Improvements have been paid by the City before the date 60 days before the date of adoption of this resolution.

**10.03. Declaration of Intent.** The City reasonably expects to reimburse the expenditures made for costs of the Improvements out of the proceeds of Bonds in an estimated maximum aggregate principal amount of \$110,000.00 after the date of payment of all or a portion of the costs of the Improvements. All reimbursed expenditures shall be capital expenditures, a cost of issuance of the Bonds or other expenditures eligible for reimbursement under Section 1.150-2(d)(3) of the Regulations.

10.04. **Budgetary Matters.** As of the date hereof, there are no City funds reserved, allocated on a long-term basis or otherwise set aside (or reasonably expected to be reserved, allocated on a long-term basis or otherwise set aside) to provide permanent financing for the expenditures related to the Improvements, other than pursuant to the issuance of the Bonds. The statement of intent contained in this resolution, therefore, is determined to be consistent with the City's budgetary and financial circumstances as they exist or are reasonably foreseeable on the date hereof.

10.05. **Reimbursement Allocations.** The City's financial officer shall be responsible for making the "reimbursement allocations" described in the Regulations, being generally the transfer of the appropriate amount of proceeds of the Bonds to reimburse the source of temporary financing used by the City to make prior payment of the costs of the Improvements. Each allocation shall be evidence by an entry on the official books and records of the City maintained for the Bonds or the Improvements and shall specifically identify the actual original expenditure being reimbursed.

**Section 11. Public Hearing Protests.** At any time within fifteen (15) days from and after the date of the first publication of the notice of the passage and approval of this resolution, any owner of real property within the District subject to assessment and taxation for the cost and expense of making the Improvements may make and file with the City Clerk until 12:00 p.m., M.T., on the expiration date of said 15-day period (March 15, 2021), written protest against the proposed Improvements, or against the extension or creation of the District or both, and this Council will at its next regular meeting after the expiration of the fifteen (15) days in which such protests in writing can be made and filed, proceed to hear all such protests so made and filed; which said, regular meeting will be held on Monday the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March 2021, at 5:30 p.m., via a virtual videoconferencing environment, at 220 North 27<sup>th</sup> Street, in Billings, Montana.

**Section 12. Notice of Passage of Resolution of Intention.** The City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to publish or cause to be published a copy of a notice of the passage of this resolution in the Yellowstone County News, a newspaper of general circulation in the county on February 26 and March 5, 2021, in the form and manner prescribed by law, and to mail or cause to be mailed a copy of said notice to every person, firm, corporation, or the agent of such person, firm, or corporation having real property within the District listed in his or her name upon the last completed assessment roll for state, county, and school district taxes, at his last-known address, on or before the same day such notice is first published.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Billings, Montana, this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of February 2021.

Attest:

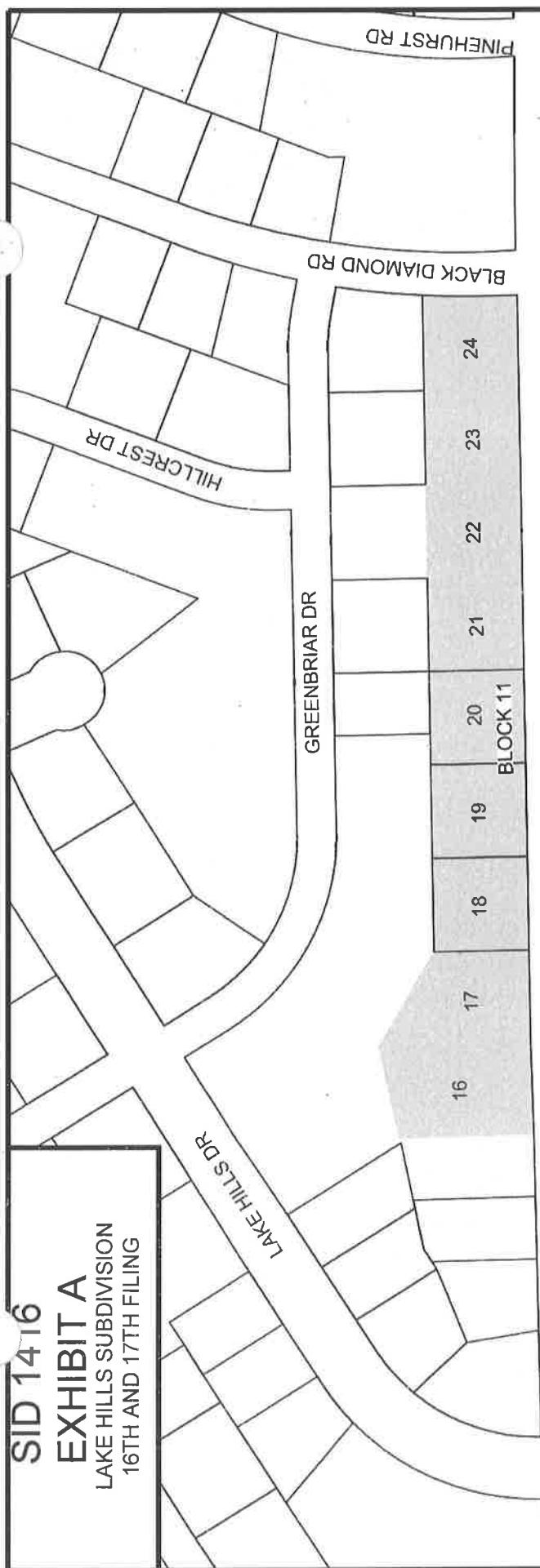
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Denise R. Bohlman, City Clerk



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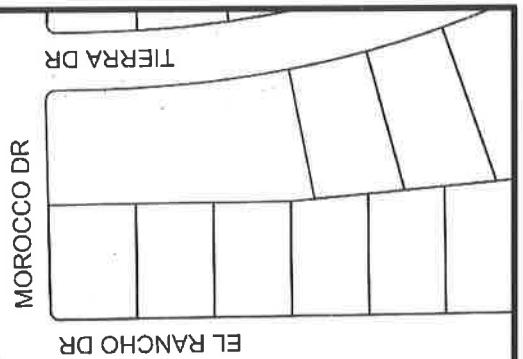
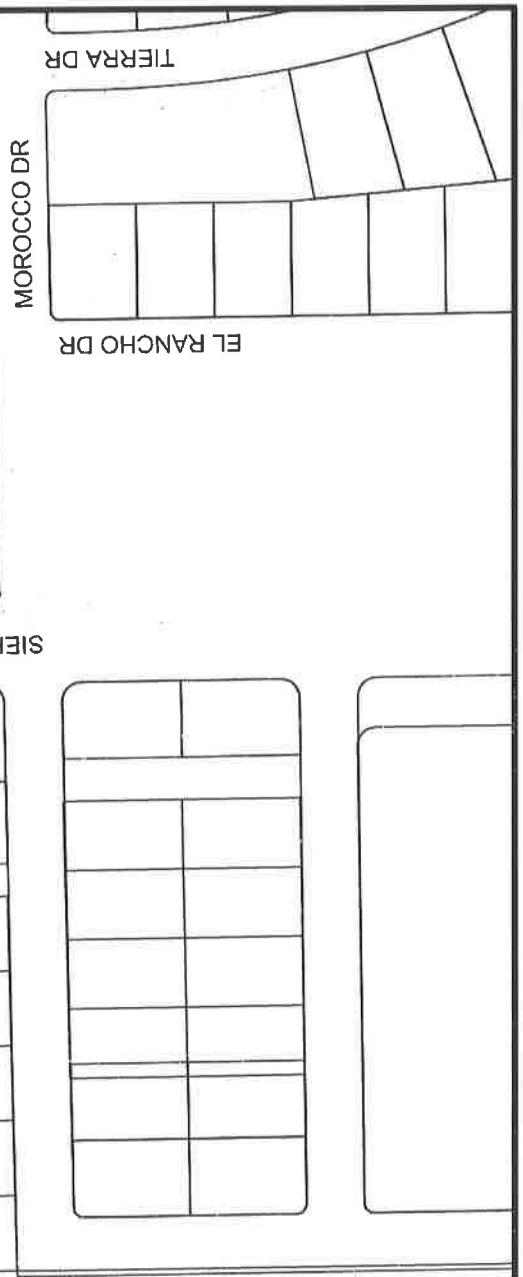
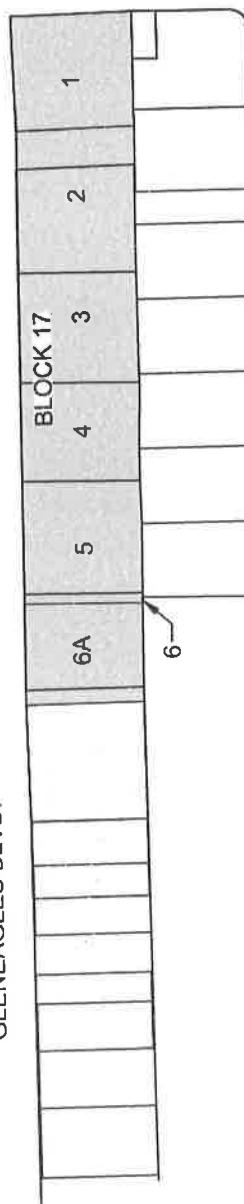
William A. Cole  
William A. Cole, Mayor

**EXHIBIT A**  
LAKE HILLS SUBDIVISION  
16TH AND 17TH FILING



GLENEAGLES BLVD.

SERRA GRANADA BLVD



## SID 1416 EXHIBIT B

SID 1416 includes Lake Hills Subdivision 16<sup>th</sup> Filing, Block 17, Lot 6A, Block 11, Lot 16, Lake Hills 17<sup>th</sup> Filing, Block 11, Lots 17-24, Block 17, Lots 1-6, Block 1, Lots 20-21.

**SID 1416 Gleneagles Boulevard**  
**Exhibit C Property Owner Description and Assessment**  
**Prepared By: City of Billings**

<b>TAX ID</b>	<b>OWNER</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT #1</b>	
		<b>LOT AREA</b>	<b>STREETS &amp; UTILITIES</b>
		<b>\$2.464599/SF</b>	
	Cline, Curtis B 3927 W Wellesley Ave Spokane, Wa 99205-		
A22218	1875	15832	\$39,019.54
	Hill, Ron S Living Trust Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	14400	
A22219			
	Torres, Joe Steve 13997 Almetz St Sylmar, Ca 91342-1611	14400	\$35,490.23
A22220			
	Hill, Ron S Living Trust Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	14400	
A22221			
	Hill, Ron S Living Trust Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	14400	
A22222			
	Ron S Hill Living Trust Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	14400	
A22223			
	Hill, Ron S Trustee Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	21852	
A22122			
	Hill, Ron S Living Trust Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	19769	
A22123			
	Hill, Ron S Trustee Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	14400	
A22124			
	Hill, Ron S Living Trust Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	14400	
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	Hill, Ron S Living Trust Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	14400	
A22126			
	Hill, Ron S Living Trust Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	14400	
A22127			
	Hill, Ron S Living Trust Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	14400	
	Wersland, Kenny 12875 County Road 346 Sidney, Mt 59270-		
A22128	3541	14400	\$35,490.23
	Hill, Ron S Living Trust Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	14400	
A22129			
	Hill, Ron S Living Trust Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	14462	
A22130			
	Hill, Ron S Living Trust Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	14400	
A22001			
	Ron S Hill Living Trust Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	14404	
A22002			
	Po Box 50636 Billings, Mt 59105-0636	259,119.00	\$110,000.00

**SID 1416 Gleneagles Boulevard**  
**Exhibit D Description of Improvements**  
**Prepared by: City of Billings**

Special Improvement District No. 1416 shall construct street, curb and gutter, water, sanitary sewer, and storm drain improvements to Gleneagles Boulevard within the City of Billings.

**SID 1416 Gleneagles Boulevard**  
**Exhibit E Property Market Value and**  
**Delinquency Prepared By: City of Billings**

TAX ID. NUMBER	PREVIOUS SID #	SID PAY-OFF	PREVIOUS SID	SID	DELINQUENT ASSESSMENT	CASH	CONTRIBUTION	SID 1416 ASSESSMENT	SID 1416	SID PAY-OFF + DELINQUENT +		ESTIMATED MARKET VALUE AFTER IMPROVEMENTS
										SID 1416 ASSESSMENT	SID 1416	
A22218					\$39,019.54	\$0.00		\$39,019.54		\$63,068.00	\$102,087.54	
A22219					\$0.00	\$33,593.16		\$0.00		\$3,911.00	\$37,504.16	
A22220					\$35,490.23	\$0.00		\$35,490.23		\$8,322.00	\$43,812.23	
A22221					\$0.00	\$33,593.16		\$0.00		\$3,911.00	\$37,504.16	
A22222					\$0.00	\$33,593.16		\$0.00		\$3,911.00	\$37,504.16	
A22223					\$0.00	\$33,593.16		\$0.00		\$3,911.00	\$37,504.16	
A22222					\$0.00	\$50,977.62		\$0.00		\$3,911.00	\$54,888.62	
A22123					\$0.00	\$46,118.28		\$0.00		\$3,911.00	\$50,029.28	
A22124					\$0.00	\$33,593.16		\$0.00		\$3,911.00	\$37,504.16	
A22125					\$0.00	\$33,593.16		\$0.00		\$3,911.00	\$37,504.16	
A22126					\$0.00	\$33,593.16		\$0.00		\$3,911.00	\$37,504.16	
A22127					\$0.00	\$33,593.16		\$0.00		\$3,911.00	\$37,504.16	
A22128					\$35,490.23	\$0.00		\$35,490.23		\$8,322.00	\$43,812.23	
A22129					\$0.00	\$33,593.16		\$0.00		\$3,911.00	\$37,504.16	
A22130					\$0.00	\$33,737.80		\$0.00		\$3,917.00	\$37,654.80	
A22001					\$0.00	\$33,593.16		\$0.00		\$3,911.00	\$37,504.16	
A22002					\$0.00	\$33,602.49		\$0.00		\$3,912.00	\$37,514.49	
AVERAGE	#DIV/0!	\$0.00	\$6,470.59					\$6,470.59		\$7,910.18	\$43,814.17	
MEDIAN	#NUM!	\$0.00						\$0.00		\$3,911.00	\$37,504.16	
LOW	\$6.00	\$0.00						\$0.00		\$3,911.00	\$37,504.16	
HIGH	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$39,019.54					\$39,019.54		\$63,068.00	\$102,087.54	