

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING REGARDING TIMBERLINE SAWYERS LLC DBA FORESTWERX AND
THE GOLDEN GATE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RESOLUTION 2024-04.25**

RESOLUTION OF THE
BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE
GOLDEN GATE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the Golden Gate Fire Protection District of Jefferson County, State of Colorado (hereinafter referred to as the "District"), is a duly organized and existing quasi-municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of Colorado, existing and operating under and by virtue of the Constitution and laws of the State of Colorado, including but not limited to Parts 1 through 16 of Article 1 of Title 32, C.R.S., as amended (the "Special District Act"); and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the District has determined to accept the below MOU between the Golden Gate Fire Protection District and Timberline Sawyers LLC dba Forestwerx, of which the sole owner is Kyle Kociemba- Benson, Fire Chief of Golden Gate Fire Protection District.

“To ensure absolute clarity regarding avoidance of conflict of interest between Timberline Sawyers LLC dba Forestwerx ,of which the sole owner is Kyle Kociemba Benson, and the Golden Gate Fire Protection District, of which Kyle Kociemba-Benson is the Fire Chief, I hereby declare that Timberline Sawyers LLC and any of its subsidiaries, shall not participate in any work for financial compensation within the Golden Gate Fire Protection District boundaries as defined by the district’s title 32 filing. The definition of work includes any for-profit forestry services specifically commissioned by the Golden Gate Fire Protection District, as well as any for profit forestry services commissioned by a resident taxpayer of the special district, on any land as defined within the special districts title 32 filing. This definition shall not pertain to the donation of services, or donated use of equipment to the Golden Gate Fire Protection District, or resident taxpayers of the special district, at the sole discretion of Timberline Sawyers LLC and its subsidiaries. This definition shall not pertain to the transportation of equipment or machinery owned by Timberline Sawyers LLC and is subsidiaries through the Golden Gate Fire Protection District as defined by the districts title 32 filing. This understanding shall stand for the duration of employment of Kyle Koceimba-Benson, owner of Timberline Sawyers LLC DBA Forestwerx, as the Fire Chief of the Golden Gate Fire Protection District.”

Formally Stated by Kyle Kociemba-Benson April 22 2024

Signature: _____

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of the Golden Gate Fire Protection District of Jefferson County, Colorado, to accept the above official statement regarding an understanding between Timberline Sawyers LLC dba Forestwerx and the Golden Gate Fire Protection District.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 25th Day of April 2024

GOLDEN GATE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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