

## Board Summary Report

<b>File #:</b> 22-316	<b>Agenda Date: </b> 5/24/2022	Agenda #:
To:	Board of County Commissioners	
Through:	Ronald A. Carl, County Attorney, County Attorney's Office	
Prepared By:		
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## Subject:

County Board of Equalization 2022 - Appointment of Referees

## **Purpose and Request:**

The purpose of this request is to appoint referees to hear County Board of Equalization protests for tax year 2022.

**Background and Discussion:** Pursuant to C.R.S. 39-8-101, the Board of County Commissioners shall comprise the County Board of Equalization. Pursuant to C.R.S. 39-8-102, the Board of County Commissioners may appoint independent referees to conduct hearings from appeals of decisions of the County Assessor. The Board has appointed referees for many years. It is recommended that the Board hereby appoints the following six (6) individuals as referees to conduct protest hearings during this session of the County Board of Equalization pursuant to Section 39-8-102(2)(i) C.R.S.

Jeff Hamilton	Terry Jenni
Dan Landrum	Daniel Paschke
Jack Smith	Joan Whittlesey

Alternatives: The Board of County Commissioners would conduct the hearings

**Fiscal Impact:** Referees earn \$80.00 per hour of hearings. Lead Referee earns \$85.00 per hour of hearings.

## Alignment with Strategic Plan:

⊠Be fiscally sustainable

 $\boxtimes$  Provide essential and mandated service

 $\boxtimes$  Be community focused

**Concurrence:** The Assessor and County Attorney support these recommendations.

**Resolution**: Attached is a copy of the draft resolution.