## HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Date

Chair of Committee

February 24, 2022

Committee on Agriculture, Livestock, & Water.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

<u>HB22-1092</u> be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 3, after line 7, insert:

"(d) IN CASE OF DEFAULT IN THE PAYMENT OF ANY INSTALLMENT
OF PRINCIPAL OR INTEREST WHEN DUE, THE COUNTY TREASURER MAY
ASSESS UPON THE ELIGIBLE REAL PROPERTY A TAX LIEN FOR THE PAYMENT
OF THE WHOLE OF THE UNPAID INSTALLMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST;
EXCEPT THAT, THE COUNTY TREASURER SHALL NOT ASSESS A TAX LIEN FOR
THE ENTIRE VALUE OF THE LANDOWNER'S PORTION OF THE IRRIGATION
LOAN ISSUED BY THE WATER DISTRICT.".

- 9 Reletter succeeding paragraph accordingly.
- 10 Page 3, strike lines 20 through 27.
- 11 Page 4, strike lines 1 and 2.
- 12 Page 4, after line 2 insert:

13 "SECTION 3. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 37-42-128, amend
14 (7) as follows:

15 37-42-128. **Collection of assessments.** (7) THE COUNTY 16 TREASURER SHALL RECEIVE IN THE COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICIAL CAPACITY all such district assessments collected and paid to the county 17 18 treasurer, shall be received by said treasurer in his official capacity, and 19 he shall be THE COUNTY TREASURER IS responsible for the safekeeping, 20 disbursement, and payment thereof the same OF SUCH ASSESSMENTS as for 21 WELL AS other moneys MONEY collected by him as such THE COUNTY 22 treasurer. The county treasurer shall receive for the collection of such

assessments such amount as the board of directors may allow, as provided 1 2 in section 30-1-102; C.R.S. EXCEPT THAT THE TREASURER SHALL RECEIVE 3 FIVE DOLLARS PER TRACT ASSESSED PURSUANT TO SECTION 37-42-125 (3) FOR LOANS ISSUED TO LANDOWNERS PURSUANT TO SECTION 37-42-113 (5), 4 AND THIS FIVE DOLLARS SHALL BE ASSESSED AGAINST EACH 5 PARTICIPATING TRACT. Any assessment collected and paid to the county 6 treasurer for districts that are defunct or have not been in operation for 7 five or more years shall be transferred by the county treasurer to the 8 county general fund.". 9

10 Renumber succeeding section accordingly.

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