## A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF COMMERCE CITY AND ADAMS COUNTY REGARDING COST-SHARING FOR PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING DESIGN AND ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS FOR 1-270 CORRIDOR PROJECT

## NO. 2021-73

WHEREAS, Adams County (the "County") and the Colorado Department of Transportation ("CDOT") intend to design and implement a series of transportation solutions along the I-270 corridor through the City of Commerce City, for the purpose of modernizing the I-270 corridor to accommodate present and future transportation demands ("Project");

WHEREAS, in a separately executed agreement between the County and CDOT, the County has agreed to contribute \$3,500,000 to CDOT, which funds shall be used for the development of preliminary design and environmental analysis services and documents for the Project;

WHEREAS, given that the Project will benefit the residents of the City, the City has agreed to partially reimburse the County in the amount of \$1,000,000.00 towards the County's funding obligations to CDOT;

WHEREAS, the City and the County wish to enter into an agreement, substantially in the form attached hereto, memorializing the City's agreement to reimburse the County in the amount of \$1,000,000.00, which funding shall be used for the environmental assessment and preliminary design work necessary for the Project ("Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, the City's financial contribution to the County for the Project has previously been lawfully appropriated for such purpose, and the City is authorized pursuant to § 29-1-203, C.R.S., as amended, and Section 4.13 of the Charter of the City of Commerce City, to enter into intergovernmental agreements.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO, AS FOLLOWS:

- **SECTION 1. Findings.** The recitals to this resolution are incorporated as findings of the City Council. This resolution is found to be necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, and welfare and in the public interest.
- **SECTION 2. Approval.** The Agreement, substantially in the form attached, is hereby approved.
- **SECTION 3. Signatures.** The Mayor and the City Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to sign and attest the Agreement, substantially in the form attached, on behalf of the City.

RESOLVED AND PASSED THIS 20TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2021.

## CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

ATTEST	Benjamin A. Huseman, Mayor	