

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND SUPPORTING THE MAIN STREET PROJECT
IN THE CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO**

NO. 2021-70

WHEREAS, the Colorado Department of Local Affairs (“DOLA”) has established a “Main Street: Open for Business” to support efforts by local governments and regional collaborations to engage in small business relief, including a grant program for supporting façade improvements and energy efficient projects for non-chain commercial building owners;

WHEREAS, the grant application requires, among other things, a resolution of support from the City Council of the City of Commerce City (“City”);

WHEREAS, the City Council fully supports the program and desires to make it available to businesses in the City;

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. Support. The City Council of the City of Commerce City strongly supports the application of the City to the Main Street: Open for Business (MSOB): Façade Improvements and Energy Efficiency Program. If the grant is awarded, the City Council strongly supports the completion of all projects undertaken.

SECTION 3. Funding and Authorization. The City Council supports the expenditure of funding necessary to meet the terms and obligations of any grants awarded, subject to the appropriation of funds for such purposes. Upon award of any grant and appropriation of funding as needed, the City Manager is authorized to execute the grant agreement with DOLA, subject to the approval of the City Attorney as to form and legality.

RESOLVED AND PASSED THIS 16TH DAY OF AUGUST 2021.

CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

Benjamin A. Huseman, Mayor

ATTEST

Dylan A. Gibson, City Clerk