

**RESOLUTION APPROVING THE RENEWED INTERGOVERNMENTAL
AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF COMMERCE CITY AND THE CITY
OF BRIGHTON ESTABLISHING A SHARED SEX ASSAULT TASK FORCE**

WHEREAS, C.R.S. § 29-1-203 authorizes governments to cooperate and contract with one another to provide any function, service, or facility lawfully authorized to each;

WHEREAS, the police departments of the City of Commerce City and the City of Brighton seek the means to provide improved and consistent sexual assault investigations by creating a joint task force having specially trained and focused investigators to improve service to victims, improve quality of investigations, and to successfully prosecute offenders;

WHEREAS, the cities of Commerce City and Brighton wish to continue the combined task force created in 2017, that will investigate all sexual assaults and manage the sex offender registry within the cities; and

WHEREAS, the cities of Commerce City and Brighton desire to enter into an intergovernmental agreement to address the cost sharing, structure, administration, funding, and authority of a shared sexual assault task force, substantially in the form attached as **Exhibit A** (“Intergovernmental Agreement for Shared Sexual Assault Task Force”);

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

1. The Intergovernmental Agreement for Shared Sexual Assault Task Force is found to be in the best interests of the public and for a valid public purpose and is hereby approved.
2. The Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to sign the Intergovernmental Agreement for Shared Sexual Assault Task Force, substantially in the form attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.
3. The City Manager is hereby authorized to execute other documents and agreements consistent with accomplishing the purposes of the Intergovernmental Agreement for Shared Sexual Assault Task Force.

SECTION 1. Effective Date. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

SECTION 2. Repealer. All resolutions, or parts thereof, in conflict with this resolution are repealed, provided that such repealer shall not repeal the repealer clauses of such resolution nor revive any resolution thereby.

RESOLVED AND PASSED THIS 6TH DAY OF NOVEMBER 2023.

CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

Benjamin A. Huseman, Mayor

ATTEST

Dylan A. Gibson, City Clerk