

ORDINANCE NO. 2561

INTRODUCED BY: CHACON, DOUGLAS, DOUGLAS, DUKES, FORD, KIM, MADERA, NOBLE, TETER

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2024 BUDGET OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO BY THE RECOGNITION OF THE ADAMS COUNTY OPEN SPACE GRANT FOR THE PIONEER PARK SPRAY GROUND REFURBISHMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$750,000 AND THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE EXPENDITURE THEREOF.

WHEREAS, in November 1999, the citizens of Adams County passed a county-wide one-fifth of one percent Open Space Sales Tax (the “Tax”);

WHEREAS, in November 2004, the citizens of Adams County reauthorized the Tax and increased it to one-fourth of one percent;

WHEREAS, in November 2020, the citizens of Adams County authorized the permanent extension of the existing county-wide sales tax of one-fourth of one percent for the continuing purpose of preserving open space and creating and maintaining parks and recreation facilities;

WHEREAS, the majority of the revenues collected are distributed to qualifying jurisdictions through a competitive grant process;

WHEREAS, on September 29, 2023, the City of Commerce City applied for an Adams County Open Space Grant for the Pioneer Park Spray Ground Refurbishment for the City of Commerce City’s Parks, Recreation & Golf Department;

WHEREAS, on December 12, 2023, Adams County awarded the City of Commerce City an Adams County Open Space Grant to complete the project; and

WHEREAS, Adams County awarded 46.88% of the total project cost, not to exceed \$750,000.00.

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

Section 1. The 2024 budget of the City of Commerce City, Colorado, is amended to recognize the Adams County Open Space Grant in the amount of \$750,000.00 and to appropriate such funds in a General Capital Projects Fund (Fund 395) for a total of \$750,000.00.

Section 2. This ordinance is in the best interests of the City and the general public.

INTRODUCED, PASSED ON FIRST READING AND PUBLIC NOTICE ORDERED THIS 5TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2024.

PASSED ON SECOND AND FINAL READING AND PUBLIC NOTICE ORDERED
THIS 4TH DAY OF MARCH, 2024.

CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

Steven J. Douglas, Mayor

ATTEST

Dylan A. Gibson, City Clerk