

**RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF BALLOT MEASURES 1A AND 1B TO PRESERVE
ADAMS COUNTY OPEN SPACE FUNDING**

NO. 2020-83

WHEREAS, Adams County is projected to become the third largest county in Colorado, surpassing the County of Denver in population size, making it mandatory for the County to responsibly plan for the projected growth.

WHEREAS, Adams County Open Space has referred a ballot measure to the 2020 ballot issue proposing to renew the existing sales taxes in Adams County for (i) parks, trails, and open space (Issue 1A) and (ii) road, bridge, and facilities (Issue 1B) to ensure responsible growth planning and management.

WHEREAS, the ballot measure proposes to preserve land that protects water quality, maintain and improve roads and bridges, protect water sources, ease congestions, protect open space to limit urban sprawl, and maintain and improve parks without raising taxes.

WHEREAS, the funding Commerce City receives from Adams County Open Space supports Park, Recreation, and Golf projects that facilitate healthy lifestyles and promote a Quality Community for a Lifetime.

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

The City Council of the City of Commerce City supports the Adams County Open Space Ballot Issues 1A and 1B and encourages a vote of “yes” for both measures on the ballot in the November 2020 Adams County Colorado, General Election.

RESOLVED AND PASSED THIS 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2020.

CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

Benjamin A. Huseman, Mayor

ATTEST

Dylan A. Gibson, City Clerk