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FIFA Cup Letter of Support

### Summary and Background Information:

The FIFA Cup is a world-wide event that brings together soccer teams from many different nations. Denver has the opportunity to host the 2026 FIFA World Cup matches and has been selected as a final host candidate.

The Metro Mayors Caucus has drafted a letter in support of Denver's candidacy. The Mayor is seeking Council's authorization to sign the letter.

The financial benefit to the Denver metro area is estimated to be \$360 million.

**Staff Responsible (Department Head):** Roger Tinklenberg, Interim City Manager  
**Staff Member Presenting:** N/A

**Financial Impact:** N/A  
**Funding Source:** N/A

**Staff Recommendation:** Authorize the Mayor to sign the letter.

**Suggested Motion:** I move to ratify the FIFA Cup Letter of Support and to affix the Mayor's signature thereon.