

ORDINANCE NO. 2783

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2026 BUDGET OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO BY THE RECOGNITION OF GRANT FUNDING FROM THE COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL AFFAIRS, THE COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, AND THE DENVER REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS AND THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE EXPENDITURE THEREOF

WHEREAS, the Colorado Department of Local Affairs (“DOLA”) administers the Accessory Dwelling Unit Grant Program (“ADUG”) to provide grants to certified ADU Supportive Jurisdictions for activities that promote the construction of ADUs;

WHEREAS, the City of Commerce City (“City”) applied for ADUG funding to assist with the Commerce City Accessory Dwelling Unit Technical Assistance Document Project and was awarded \$16,500 by DOLA, which was not originally included in the 2026 adopted budget;

WHEREAS, the Colorado Department of Transportation (“CDOT”) administers the High Visibility Enforcement (“HVE”) Grant Program to fund overtime for driving under the influence enforcement efforts;

WHEREAS, the City applied for HVE funding for Commerce City Police Department (“CCPD”) overtime hours to support driving under the influence enforcement efforts and was awarded \$8,500 by CDOT, which was not originally included in the 2026 adopted budget;

WHEREAS, the Denver Regional Council of Governments (“DRCOG”) administers Climate Pollution Reduction Grant (“CPRG”) Program funds received from the United States Environmental Protection Agency (“EPA”) to develop climate action plans in coordination with regional stakeholders; and

WHEREAS, the City of Commerce City (“City”) applied for CPRG funding to increase staffing capacity, upskill current building staff by providing training and certification opportunities, and provide technical assistance to pursue and promote building decarbonization policies that improve building energy efficiency and reduce building emissions and was sub-awarded a maximum amount of \$1,182,753, which was not originally included in the 2026 adopted budget.

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

SECTION 1. Findings. The recitals to this ordinance are incorporated as findings of the City Council. This ordinance is found to be supported and authorized by law and in the best interests of and necessary for the protection of the health, safety, and welfare of the public.

SECTION 2. Amendment. An amendment is made to the 2026 Budget of the City of Commerce City, Colorado for the recognition of multiple grant funding sources listed below, that total \$1,207,753 (Fund 180).

- DOLA in the amount of \$16,500
- CDOT in the amount of \$8,500

- DRCOG in the amount of \$1,182,753

SECTION 3. Repealer. All other ordinances or portions thereof inconsistent or conflicting with this ordinance or any portion hereof are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION 4. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage on second and final reading.

INTRODUCED, PASSED ON FIRST READING AND PUBLIC NOTICE ORDERED
THIS 20TH DAY OF JULY, 2026.

PASSED ON SECOND AND FINAL READING AND PUBLIC NOTICE ORDERED
THIS 17TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2026.

CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

Steve J. Douglas, Mayor

ATTEST

Stephen J. Ruger, City Clerk