

ORDINANCE NO. 2684

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2025 BUDGET OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO BY THE RECOGNITION OF GREAT OUTDOORS COLORADO GRANT FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$500,000 ON BEHALF OF SAND CREEK REGIONAL GREENWAY PARTNERSHIP FOR THE WETLAND DESTINATIONS PROJECT AND THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE EXPENDITURE THEREOF.

WHEREAS, the Sand Creek Regional Greenway Partnership (“Sand Creek”) desires to complete the Wetland Park Destination Project (“Project”) in Commerce City;

WHEREAS, the Project will include the installation of swings and painting the existing loop path to create a safe, natural space for families to gather;

WHEREAS, Sand Creek identified Great Outdoors Colorado (“GOCO”) as a possible grant funding opportunity to construct the Project;

WHEREAS, to be eligible for GOCO grant funding opportunities, Sand Creek requested the City of Commerce City (“City”) serve as a Co- Grantee;

WHEREAS, Sand Creek and the City applied for and received \$500,000 of GOCO grant funds for the Project; and

WHEREAS, in serving as the Co-Grantee with Sand Creek, the City will accept and disburse the grant funds to Sand Creek.

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 necessary for the preservation of public health, safety, and welfare and in public interest.

**SECTION 2. Authorization.** The 2025 budget of the City of Commerce City, Colorado, is amended to Great Outdoors Colorado grant funds totaling \$500,000 and to appropriate such funds in the Grant Fund (Fund 180) for a total of \$500,000.

**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other ordinances or portions thereof inconsistent or conflicting with this ordinance or any portion hereof are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.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 pursuant to Section 5.3 of the Charter.

INTRODUCED, PASSED ON FIRST READING AND PUBLIC NOTICE ORDERED THIS  
6TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2025.

PASSED ON SECOND AND FINAL READING AND PUBLIC NOTICE ORDERED THIS  
3RD DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2025.

CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

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Steve J. Douglas, Mayor

ATTEST

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Kim Garland, Acting City Clerk