BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR ADAMS COUNTY, STATE OF COLORADO

RESOLUTION APPROVING AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN ADAMS COUNTY AND THE CITY OF THORNTON REGARDING STEELE STREET EXTENSION FROM EAST 86TH AVENUE TO EAST 88TH AVENUE AND THE WELBY ROAD INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS AT EAST 88TH AVENUE

WHEREAS, pursuant to Colorado Constitution Article XIV, § 18(2)(a) and § 29-1-203, C.R.S., as amended, the County of Adams, a political subdivision of the State of Colorado, located at 4430 South Adams County Parkway, Brighton, Colorado 80601, hereinafter referred to as the "County", and the City of Thornton, located at 9500 Civic Center Drive, Thornton, Colorado 80229, hereinafter referred to as the "City", collectively hereinafter referred to as the "Parties", wish to cooperate and contract with each other as described in the Intergovernmental Agreement Between Adams County and the City of Thornton Regarding Steele Street Extension from East 86th Avenue to East 88th Avenue and the Welby Road Intersection Improvements at East 88th Avenue hereinafter referred to as the "Agreement"; and,

WHEREAS, the Parties recognize the importance of safe, efficient roadways, and functional drainage systems for their constituents; and,

WHEREAS, the Parties recognize a need for the extension of Steele Street from East 86th Avenue to East 88th Avenue to include road, pedestrian, stormwater improvements, and traffic signal modifications at the intersections of Steele Street and East 88th Avenue and Welby Road and East 88th Avenue, hereinafter referred to as the "Project"; and,

WHEREAS, the minimum width road section and the conceptual alignment of Steele Street from East 86th Avenue to East 88th Avenue, acceptable to the Parties, is attached hereto as "Exhibit A"; and,

WHEREAS, the Parties recognize the cooperation needed for design, review, and construction coordination of the Project; and,

WHEREAS, each Party is prepared to provide its respective staff and resources as described in the Agreement; and,

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to set forth their understandings during design, construction, ownership, and maintenance of the Project as described in the Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners, County of Adams, State of Colorado, that the Intergovernmental Agreement Between Adams County and the City of Thornton Regarding Steele Street Extension from East 86th Avenue to East 88th Avenue and the Welby Road Intersection Improvements at East 88th Avenue be approved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chair is hereby authorized to sign said Intergovernmental Agreement on behalf of Adams County.