

2022-56

A RESOLUTION

RECOGNIZING THE OUTSTANDING SERVICE OF CITY MANAGER KATHLEEN HODGSON AND AUTHORIZING A PERFORMANCE AWARD IN ACKNOWLEDGMENT THEREOF

WHEREAS, Kathleen Hodgson has served the City of Lakewood in the capacity of City Manager for 13 years;

WHEREAS, the City Council recognizes that the City of Lakewood's future is inextricably tied to the success of the community, and that Ms. Hodgson has tirelessly worked to achieve the best possible outcomes for the Lakewood community throughout her entire career as City Manager;

WHEREAS, Ms. Hodgson focuses attention upon critical needs of the community including developing responses to unprecedented public health, social justice, and economic and financial upheavals experienced by the community;

WHEREAS, Ms. Hodgson provided the effective and compassionate leadership necessary to address the many impacts of the pandemic experienced throughout the City, allowing residents and employees alike to more quickly regain stability and normalcy in their daily lives;

WHEREAS, Ms. Hodgson has achieved significant successes in carrying out her responsibilities as City Manager, including, but not limited to: developing and executing a fiscally responsible budget during the period of downturn created by the pandemic, maintaining a positive employee culture critical to attracting and retaining high quality employees, working diligently with community partners to address the challenges of homelessness, creating partnerships with other state and local governments, and representing the City at all times with professionalism and commitment; and

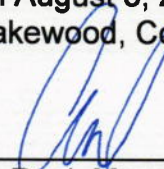
WHEREAS, Ms. Hodgson has provided strong leadership to the nearly 900 full-time professionals who work every day in service of this great community, assuring that all of those who live, work and play in Lakewood are afforded the best experience possible.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Lakewood:

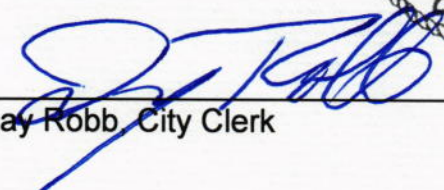
1. Formally extends its acknowledgement of Ms. Hodgson's outstanding work as the City Manager for the City of Lakewood.
2. A bonus in the amount of \$10,000 is hereby awarded to Ms. Hodgson in recognition for providing service above and beyond her established duties.

INTRODUCED, READ AND ADOPTED by a vote of 7 for and 3 against at a hybrid regular meeting of the Lakewood City Council held on August 8, 2022 at 7 o'clock p.m. at Lakewood City Hall, 480 South Allison Parkway, Lakewood, Colorado.

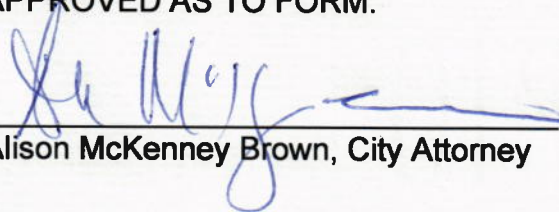



Adam Paul, Mayor

ATTEST:


Jay Robb, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Alison McKenney Brown, City Attorney