

2024-14

A RESOLUTION

ENDORSING THE 2024-2025 HEAD START GRANT APPLICATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING A REQUEST TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT FOR GRANT FUNDS AVAILABLE TO PROVIDE HEAD START AND EARLY HEAD START PROGRAMS FOR THE FINAL YEAR OF THE FIVE-YEAR GRANT CYCLE AND NOTIFYING THE OFFICE OF HEAD START THAT THE CITY DOES NOT INTEND TO APPLY FOR GRANT FUNDS WHEN THE NEXT FIVE-YEAR GRANT CYCLE BEGINS

WHEREAS, the City of Lakewood (the "City") is a provider of the Federal Head Start program to qualifying Lakewood children;

WHEREAS, Head Start funds are appropriated by the U.S. Administration of Children and Families, Office of Head Start (the "Head Start Office");

WHEREAS, the City's Mayor or designee, as the City's official representative, is authorized to submit documents and assurances as required to administer the programs and expend Head Start funds;

WHEREAS, the Lakewood City Council (the "City Council") has reviewed the City's 2024-2025 Grant application (the "Head Start Grant Application") presented to the appointed Head Start Advisory Committee and the program budget; and

WHEREAS, the City Council hereby finds and determines that endorsing the City's 2024-2025 Head Start Grant Application is in the best interest of the residents of the City.

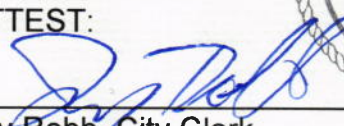
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Lakewood, Colorado, that:

SECTION 1. The City Council hereby endorses the City's 2024-2025 Head Start Grant Application in the amount of One Million Five Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand Four Hundred Ninety-seven Dollars (\$1,555,497.00).

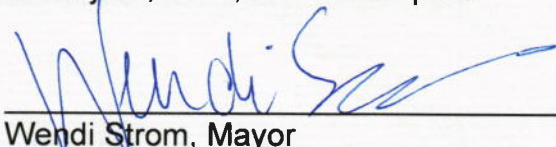
SECTION 2. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

INTRODUCED, READ AND ADOPTED by a vote of 9 for and 1 against at a hybrid regular meeting of the City Council on February 26, 2024, at 7 o'clock p.m.

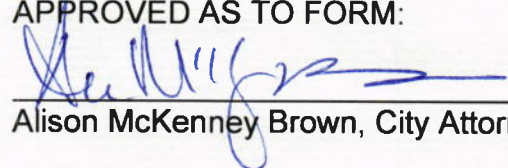
ATTEST:


Jay Robb, City Clerk




Wendi Strom, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Alison McKenney Brown, City Attorney