2023-44

A RESOLUTION

APPROVING PARTICIPATION BY THE CITY OF LAKEWOOD IN A COORDINATED ELECTION TO BE CONDUCTED ON NOVEMBER 7, 2023, BY THE JEFFERSON COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER

WHEREAS, November 7, 2023, is a designated coordinated election date under state law and the date of Lakewood's regular municipal election;

WHEREAS, the Jefferson County Clerk and Recorder (the "Jefferson County Clerk") is the coordinated election official responsible for conducting the coordinated election on behalf of the participating governmental jurisdictions;

WHEREAS, Jefferson County and the City of Lakewood must enter into an intergovernmental agreement to provide for coordinated election services and for formal approval for participation in the coordinated election (the "IGA"); and

WHEREAS, the City Council hereby finds and determines that execution of the IGA and participation in the coordinated election are and shall be 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. Participation by the City of Lakewood in the coordinated election to be held on November 7, 2023, is hereby approved.

SECTION 2. The City Clerk is hereby authorized to execute with the Jefferson County Clerk an IGA approved as to form by the City Attorney and to take all appropriate action to hold the election, including compliance with applicable election laws.

SECTION 3. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

INTRODUCED, READ, AND ADOPTED by a vote of 10 for and 0 against at a hybrid regular meeting of the City Council on August 14, 2023, at 7 o'clock p.m. at the Lakewood Civic Center, 480 South Allison Parkway, 480 South Allison Parkway,

ATTEST:

Adam Paul, Mayor

Jay Robb, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Alison McKenney Brown, City Attorney