

R-2025-30

A RESOLUTION

APPROVING AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF LAKEWOOD AND THE BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER D/B/A DENVER WATER FOR LEAD SERVICE LINE REPLACEMENTS.

WHEREAS, pursuant to C.R.S. § 29-1-203 and § 29-1-203.5, as amended, the City of Lakewood ("Lakewood") has the authority to enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement ("IGA") with other governmental entities;

WHEREAS, Lakewood and the Board of Water Commissioners of the City and County of Denver ("Denver Water") desire to enter into the IGA to provide for lead service line ("LSL") replacements within the City of Lakewood in the Lakewood Water Utility service area;

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that it is in the best interest of the residents of Lakewood to participate in this program to protect public health, replace aging infrastructure, and coordinate construction activities efficiently;

WHEREAS, the IGA establishes the responsibilities of Lakewood and Denver Water regarding construction, reimbursement, coordination, communication, and compliance related to LSL replacements for the 2024/2025 program years; and

WHEREAS, the IGA stipulates that there will be no monetary cost to the City of Lakewood for any of the eligible LSL replacements performed under this program, as Denver Water will reimburse the contractor directly.

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

SECTION 1. The City Council hereby finds and determines that authorizing the City Manager or designee to enter into an IGA, attached hereto as Attachment A and incorporated herein, between the City of Lakewood and the Board of Water Commissioners of the City and County of Denver for lead service line replacements in the Lakewood Water Utility service area is in the best interest of the residents of the City.

SECTION 2. The IGA is hereby approved, and the City Manager or designee is hereby authorized to execute said agreement on behalf of the City of Lakewood.

SECTION 3. This resolution shall become effective immediately upon signature following adoption.

INTRODUCED, READ, AND ADOPTED by a vote of 10 for and 0 against at a hybrid regular meeting of the Lakewood City Council on June 9, 2025, at 7 o'clock p.m. at the Lakewood Civic Center, 480 S. Allison Parkway, Lakewood, Colorado.



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Wendi Strom, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Jay Robb, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Alison McKenney Brown, City Attorney