

## **Proclamation**

### **“Economic Development Week”**

**May 8 - May 12, 2023**

**Whereas**, communities rely on economic development professionals to promote and improve economic well-being and quality of life; and,

**Whereas**, economic developers are engaged in a wide variety of settings, including rural and urban, local, state, provincial, and federal governments, public-private partnerships, chambers of commerce, universities, and a variety of other organizations and institutions in both the public and private sectors; and,

**Whereas**, economic developers work to support and enhance existing businesses, as well as stimulate and incubate entrepreneurship in order to help establish the next generation of new businesses; and,

**Whereas**, economic development is rooted in critical community partnerships between the public and private sectors to promote a shared vision for developing resilient communities; and,

**Whereas**, for communities like Adams County, that means coordinating activities that create, retain, and expand businesses and employment opportunities in order to facilitate sustainable growth, promote the economic and social well-being of residents, and provide a stable tax base; and,

**Whereas**, the County’s Economic Development Division works to support all businesses and residents of Adams County with direct business engagement in unincorporated areas, and also in partnership with the economic development professionals within our cities, as well as with state and regional partners, to attract and retain high-quality jobs and improve the quality of life for our community.

**Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved**, that the Board of County Commissioners, of the County of Adams, State of Colorado, proclaims May 8-May 12, 2023 as

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and reminds individuals of the importance of this community celebration, which supports expanding business opportunities and contributes to a robust and resilient local economy.

*In witness whereof, we have set our hands and caused the seal of the county to be affixed May 9, 2023.*