## **RESOLUTION NO. 1473**

A RESOLUTION OF THE GOLDEN CITY COUNCIL SUPPORTING A REQUEST TO SUPPORT A MORE EQUITABLE ALLOCATION OF TRANSPORTATION DOLLARS FOR THE CITIZENS AND JURISDICTIONS IN JEFFERSON COUNTY

WHEREAS, Colorado's roadways have become increasingly strained as the population has grown; and

WHEREAS, transportation needs have increased while our ability to pay for necessary upgrades and expansion projects has decreased; and

WHEREAS, although the nearly 535,000 Jefferson County citizens have paid their fair share of tax dollars to help fund transportation projects, these funds are sometimes diverted to projects that have less impact on their lives; and

WHEREAS, Jefferson County transportation projects are an important component of the regional transportation grid; and

WHEREAS, the Northwest Quadrant Feasibility Study determined that the future mobility of Jefferson County residents requires arterial solutions;

WHEREAS, available highway funds should be channeled to the areas of greatest need, as determined by current and anticipated future traffic congestion and impacts; and

WHEREAS, Golden City Council supports alternative transportation, such as transit;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOLDEN, COLORADO:

Section 1) The Golden City Council does hereby support efforts for transportation equity funding at both the State and County level for Jefferson County and its residents.

Section 2) This resolution will become effective only after the list of critical and priority projects for Jefftag no longer includes toll road for State Highway 93.

Adopted this 12 day of February, 2004.

Charles Baroch

Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk

Approved as to form:

Windholz James A. Windhol. City Attorney

I, Susan M. Brooks, City Clerk of the City of Golden, Colorado, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a certain Resolution adopted by the City Council of the City of Golden, Colorado at a regular meeting thereof held on the 12th day of February, A.D., 2004.

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

Susan M. Brooks, City Clerk of the City Golden, Colorado