## **RESOLUTION NO. 2111**

## A RESOLUTION OF THE GOLDEN CITY COUNCIL DESIGNATING THEIR MAJOR PRIORITIES, OTHER PRIORITIES AND PROJECTS FOR 2011

WHEREAS, the Golden City Council periodically establishes annual priorities; and

WHEREAS, City Council has a number of ongoing priorities and projects and several other projects queued up for 2011.

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

- <u>Section 1</u>. The City Council designates the following five items as major priorities in 2011:
- 1) Protecting the city's financial health and sustaining the community's economic vitality.
- 2) Supporting and strengthening our neighborhoods ("The Year of the Neighborhood"). Specific priorities include:
  - a. Implementing our new neighborhood grant program.
- b. Completing pending neighborhood plans, and considering and potentially implementing all the policy recommendations in the adopted neighborhood plans.
- c. Emphasizing the importance of neighborhoods and our neighborhood-focused theme in the Informer and in general in city communications.
- 3) Maintaining our aggressive efforts to keep the beltway out of Golden and working to protect Golden from the impacts of growing regional through the Golden Plan or similar improvements.
- 4) Updating the Comprehensive Plan and revamping/updating the land use process to give neighborhoods a stronger voice in shaping their own future and to make the process less adversarial and combative.
  - 5) Revisiting and updating the city's long-term streets plan:
- a. Staff should lay out a range of options with pros and cons of each and a cost/benefit value assessment of each, including approaches used by other cities.
- b. The schedule should accommodate City Council taking time to digest, deliberate, and seek community input.
  - Section 2. Other 2011 Priorities Include:
- 1) Light rail. Take all appropriate steps in advance of 2013 light rail line launch (including community bus planning).
- 2) Integrated Transportation Plan . Complete and adopt preliminary plan (in preparation for a full plan in 2012.
- 3) Metrics. Finalize the metrics and evaluating metrics reporting and discuss 2012 community survey plan.
- 4) Recreational facilities. Review and update the long-term plans for the city's major recreational facilities.

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- 5) Economic development structures and strategy. Update the city's economic development tools, structures, and strategies. This may extend into 2012.
- 6) Quiznos Pro Challenge Professional Bicycle Race. Supporting the Quiznos Pro Challenge effort.

## Section 3. Additional 2011 Projects:

- 1) CSM Master Plan (timing is up to Colorado School of Mines)
- 2)1 Clear Creek Master Plan
- 3) Evaluate and consider sewer/waterline insurance.
- 4) Consider adjusting the cost of special use permits for chickens.
- 5) Evaluate and potentially update the strategy for managing amplified outdoor

## music.

- 6) Evaluate and consider updating traffic fine schedule.
- 7) Evaluate and consider updating leash laws.
- 8) Initiate long-term city financial health evaluation.
- 9) Evaluate and update medical marijuana regulations.
- 10) Update noise mitigation priorities.
- 11) Complete the City of Golden web site revamp.
- 12) Further development, testing, and training on the new Emergency Operations

Plan (primarily staff).

13) Plan for major software updates (finance, planning, police, fire, courts) (primarily

staff).

- 14) Major public works projects: South Reservoir and office building reconstruction (primarily staff).
  - 15) East Downtown (potentially).

Adopted this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March, 2011.

Susan M. Brooks, MMC

City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

David 8. Wilkamson City Attorney Resolution No. 2111 Page 3

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 business meeting thereof held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March, A.D., 2011.



ATTEST:

Susan M. Brooks, City Clerk of the City of

Golden, Colorado