## BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HINSDALE COUNTY, COLORADO

## A RESOLUTION PERMITTING THE LAWFUL POSSESSION OF FIREARMS IN GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS IN HINSDALE COUNTY

## Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Series 2024

WHEREAS, pursuant to C.R.S. § 30-11-101(2), the Hinsdale County Board of County Commissioners ("Board") has the duty and authority to provide for public health, safety, and welfare; and

WHEREAS, the Colorado General Assembly passed Senate Bill 24-131, which prohibits the carrying of firearms in sensitive places, including certain local government buildings. See C.R.S. § 18-12-105.3; and

WHEREAS, despite the firearms prohibition cited immediately above, C.R.S. §18-12-105.3(4)(b) also provides authority for a local government to adopt a resolution to permit the lawful carrying of firearms on the property or within any building in which: (i) the chambers or galleries of a local government's governing body is located; (ii) a meeting place where the local government's governing body is being conducted and located; (iii) the locations of the official office of any elected member of a local government's governing body or the official office of the local government's chief executive officer; and/or (iiii) a courthouse or any other building or portion of a building used for court proceedings.

WHEREAS, the Board deems this Resolution to be in the best interests of the public health, safety and welfare of Hinsdale County, Colorado and its residents and visitors.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Hinsdale County, Colorado that pursuant to the authority contained in C.R.S. § 18-12-105.3(4)(b), firearms are hereby permitted in the following Hinsdale County governmental buildings and areas:

- 1. The Coursey Annex located at 311 Henson St., Lake City, Colorado 81235, and which includes the Hinsdale County Board of County Commissioners' public meeting room and the Hinsdale County government administration offices;
- 2. Any other location within the jurisdictional limits of Hinsdale County in which the Hinsdale County Board of County Commissioners conducts its public meetings, provided a public meeting is occurring; and
- 3. The locations of the official offices of any member of the Hinsdale County Board of County Commissioners; and
  - 4. The Hinsdale County courthouse, not including the second floor courtroom.

INTRODUCED by Commissioner	Robert	Hurd	, seconded by
Commissioner <u>Greg Levin e</u> August_, 2024.			215+ day of
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Board of County Commissioners of Hinsdale County, Colorado

ATTEST:

Joan Roberts, Hinsdale County Clerk
By August Defuty Clerk

