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**WHEREAS**, the United States Department of Transportation (USDOT) established the Safe Streets for All (SS4A) Grant Program to support local governments in the development of comprehensive safety strategies aimed at reducing roadway fatalities and serious injuries; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Douglas applied for SS4A funding to create a Safety Action Plan that will guide future transportation safety improvements, promote equitable mobility, and position the city for future federal implementation grants; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Douglas has been awarded \$440,000 in federal funds under the SS4A Grant Program for the development of the Safety Action Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, the SS4A Grant Program requires a 20% local match, and the City of Douglas has identified \$110,000 in eligible matching funds to meet this requirement, bringing the total project cost to \$550,000; and

**WHEREAS**, the Safety Action Plan will enable the city to assess current roadway safety, identify high-risk areas, incorporate social equity, engage the community, and prioritize safety investments aligned with Complete Streets principles; and

**WHEREAS**, to meet program deadlines and ensure timely acceptance of the grant award, the City Manager executed the necessary documents accepting the grant funds on behalf of the city; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council desire to formally ratify and approve the City Manager's signature accepting the SS4A grant award and authorize the continued administration of the grant.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the City of Douglas, Arizona, as follows:

**Section 1.** The Mayor and Council hereby ratify and approve the City Manager’s signature accepting the Safe Streets for All (SS4A) grant award in the amount of \$440,000.

**Section 2.** The City Manager and the City Clerk are authorized to execute all necessary documents, agreements, and reports required to accept and administer the grant.

**Section 3.** The city agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and grant conditions.

**Section 4.** The city commits to providing matching funds in the amount of \$110,000 to satisfy the 20% cost-share obligation.

**Section 5.** This resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the City of Douglas expresses its sincere gratitude to the Department of Transportation Office of the Secretary of Transportation for their support, which will significantly contribute to the development of the community.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Mayor and Council of the City of Douglas, Arizona, this 14<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026.

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Jose Grijalva, Mayor

Attest:

Approved as to Form:

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Alma Andrade, City Clerk

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Denis Fitzgibbons, City Attorney

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