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Department of Natural Resources

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City of Fort Collins City Council

City of Fort Collins Urban Lakes Water Quality Management Policy and Guidance

Dear City of Fort Collins City Council,

Colorado Parks and Wildlife (CPW) would like to provide this letter of support for the City of Fort Collins Urban Lakes Water Quality Management Policy and Guidance. CPW appreciates being consulted as a subject matter expert, speaking to the relationship between fisheries management and water quality. Input was provided by CPW to inform City of Fort Collins staff and consultants as to where negative impacts to fisheries have been observed due to water quality issues.

CPW appreciates the City of Fort Collins acknowledging the importance of water quality and taking steps to improve water quality as it is critical to managing successful fisheries.

Sincerely,

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