RESOLUTION 2023-068

OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT COLLINS DIRECTING AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH LARIMER COUNTY AND CERTIFICATION OF BALLOT QUESTIONS FOR THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE CONDUCTED BY LARIMER COUNTY IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE NOVEMBER 7, 2023, COORDINATED ELECTION

WHEREAS, Section 31-2-210, Colorado Revised Statutes, provides that Charter amendments may be initiated by the adoption of an ordinance by the City Council submitting a proposed amendment to a vote of the registered electors of the City of Fort Collins; and

WHEREAS, the City's regular municipal election will be conducted on Tuesday, November 7, 2023, by Larimer County in conjunction with the coordinated election on the same date ("City Election"); and

WHEREAS, on April 18, 2023, City Council adopted on second reading Ordinance No. 062, 2023, submitting a City Charter amendment to the voters at the City Election; and

WHEREAS, additional discussion of potential Charter amendments that may be submitted to the voters at the City Election is scheduled for this date; and

WHEREAS, in order for the coordinated election to proceed, the County requires execution of an intergovernmental agreement setting out the terms and conditions for the process, including the commitment to pay the costs of the election attributable to the City Election; and

WHEREAS, in order for particular questions to be included in the ballot for the City Election, the City must certify the ballot content to the Larimer County Clerk and Recorder prior to the final deadline of September 8, 2023.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT COLLINS as follows:

- Section 1. That the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to enter into an intergovernmental agreement with Larimer County for the City Election, pursuant to Section 1-7-116(2) of the Colorado Revised Statutes.
- Section 2. That the City Clerk is hereby directed to certify the ballot content for the City Election, to be held in conjunction with the Larimer County coordinated election, to the Larimer County Clerk and Recorder no later than September 8, 2023, for any ballot titles set by the City Council prior to said date.

day of	Passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the July, 2023.	he Council of the City of Fort Collins this 18th
ATTE	ST:	Mayor
Depu	ty City Clerk	