## **RESOLUTION 2024-28**

## A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF FRUITA, COLORADO ELECTING TO JOIN THE COLORADO RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION AND ADOPTING 401(A) AND 457 RETIREMENT PLANS

**WHEREAS**, Colorado law provides for the adoption of a retirement plan or system by a group of Colorado local governments, and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fruita has a need for retirement broker resources and support services for its staff benefits package, and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fruita issued a Request for Proposals ("RFP") on or about May 1, 2024, in accordance with the City's procurement policies and procedures, and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fruita received eleven proposals from interested firms and those proposals were reviewed pursuant to the evaluation criteria set forth in the RFP,

**WHEREAS**, staff has evaluated the services of retirement providers and have recommended the City of Fruita utilize Colorado Retirement Association for these services,

**WHEREAS**, the advantage of participating in the Colorado Retirement Association, with multiple counties, municipalities and special districts in Colorado joining together to adopt a retirement system, it lowers individual costs and thereby saves tax payers' money and employees' money, and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council finds and determines that it is in the best interest of the employees of the City to join the Colorado Retirement Association (the "CRA").

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRUITA, COLORADO AS FOLLOWS:

Effective December 22, 2024 the City of Fruita hereby elects to become a part of the Colorado Retirement Association, providing access to their 401(a) Money Purchase Pension Plans, Executive 401(a) Plan and 457(b) Deferred Compensation plan.

## PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE FRUITA CITY COUNCIL THIS 1<sup>ST</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER, 2024

Cityof Fruita
Matthew Breman, Mayor