

# Council Agenda Summary

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## Title:

Consideration of a resolution of the City Council of the City of Greeley, Colorado, extending the City of Greeley Local Disaster Declaration of March 16, 2020 (updated on April 21, 2020, June 2, 2020, August 11, 2020, November 17, 2020, January 19, 2021) related to the COVID-19 Pandemic

## Summary:

The Mayor declared a disaster emergency on March 16, 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The declaration has been extended five times and the current declaration expires on June 15, 2021. While COVID-19 infection rates in the community are decreasing and vaccination rates are increasing, the City remains in a Recovery Phase to the pandemic. The City continues to incur reimbursable expenses supporting COVID-19 Vaccination Clinics in the City of Greeley until July 17, 2021. Weld County and the State of Colorado are currently under COVID-19 disaster declarations, and they are not expected to expire until the end of June. According to the City Attorney, the City needs to remain under a local disaster emergency (LDE) declaration to enable City Council the ability to conduct remote meetings if necessary. The Council's hybrid meeting technology should be operational after June 22, 2021. The Office of Emergency Management (OEM) recommends that the COVID-19 LDE declaration be extended until July 20, 2021.

## Fiscal Impact:

Does this item create a fiscal impact on the City of Greeley?	Yes
If yes, what is the initial, or, onetime impact?	Federal Grant Funding
What is the annual impact?	Unknown
What fund of the City will provide Funding?	NA
What is the source of revenue within the fund?	NA
Is there grant funding for this item?	Yes
If yes, does this grant require a match?	No, as of January 2021
Is this grant onetime or ongoing?	Ongoing
Additional Comments:	

## Legal Issues:

None.

## Other Issues and Considerations:

None.

## Applicable Council Priority and Goal:

*Image:* Reinforce Greeley's vision as an attractive and vibrant community in which to live, learn, work and play.

*Safety:* Manage the health, safety and welfare in a way that promotes a sense of security and well-being for residents, businesses and visitors.

*Economic Health & Development:* Foster and maintain public and private investment in business development.

*Infrastructure & Growth:* Establish the capital and human infrastructure to support and maintain a safe, competitive, appealing and successful community.

**Decision Options:**

- 1) Adopt the resolution as presented; or
- 2) Amend the resolution and adopt as amended; or
- 3) Deny the resolution; or
- 4) Continue consideration of the resolution to a date certain.

**Council's Recommended Action:**

A motion to adopt the Resolution.

**Attachments:**

Resolution