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## Board of County Commissioners

January 23, 2024

Mayor and City Council  
c/o Sharon Jakubowski Wolz, City Administrator  
City of Walsenburg  
525 S. Albert Ave.  
Walsenburg, CO 81089

RE: Law Enforcement Services Agreement Extension

To the Mayor and City Council,

We write to confirm that the County is willing to continue to provide Law Enforcement Services to the City of Walsenburg, per our existing agreement which would have expired on December 31, 2023, for the first 6 months of 2024.

We also confirm our agreement to provide those services at a rate of \$67,816 per month as discussed and agreed in the meeting held January 19, 2024 between the City, represented by Mayor Gary Vezzani, Council Member Veronica Maes, and City Administrator Sharon Jakubowski Wolz, and the County, represented by Chairman John Galusha, Sheriff Bruce Newman, County Administrator Carl Young, and Management Fellow Robert Gilbert. This amounts to a 14% increase in the monthly payment during this 6 month extension period.

Lastly, we want to confirm that the County will continue to provide services while your legal team prepares the addendum that memorializes our agreement. Our next regular meeting is February 13<sup>th</sup> and if the addendum is ready by then that is when we would sign. Please reach out to John Galusha or Carl Young if you need anything from the County to help prepare that addendum.

This extension will allow the City and the County time to negotiate a new long-term contract. We look forward to working with you to finalize a new agreement before this nonrenewable extension expires.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF HUERFANO COUNTY, COLORADO

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