



PROCLAMATION United Power 85th Anniversary

WHEREAS, United Power celebrates 85 years of providing cooperative electric service to residential, agricultural, and business members along Colorado's northern front range this year; and

WHEREAS, the rural electric movement prompted to action the innovative and pioneering spirit that built United Power, the locally-owned, not-for-profit electric cooperative powering our community and its residents; and

WHEREAS, United Power has remained steadfast in its dedication to providing reliable, affordable, and sustainable electricity to our citizens, contributing significantly to our region's growth and prosperity; and

WHEREAS, the eighty-fifth anniversary of United Power symbolizes a remarkable milestone in our shared history illustrating the hard work, vision, and dedication of its founders, leaders, employees, and members who have contributed to its success and had a positive impact on the lives of our citizens; and

WHEREAS, the cooperative principles guiding United Power, which emphasize democratic member control, member participation, and community engagement, have fostered a spirit of collaboration with the Town of Mead; and

WHEREAS, United Power has been a longstanding and trusted energy advisor, offering resources and rebates to local citizens to help them save energy, and supporting local businesses with their unique energy needs; and

WHEREAS, the electric cooperative continues to innovate and adapt to meet the evolving needs of our community, embracing new technologies and practices to enhance efficiency, resilience, and environmental stewardship; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Mead and its more than 2,800 meters being served by United Power, have benefitted from the values of cooperation, stewardship, and community engagement.

NOW, THEREFORE, **I, Colleen Whitlow, Mayor**, do hereby recognize and congratulate United Power on its 85th Anniversary. We celebrate this milestone and express our gratitude to the electric cooperative for its enduring contributions to our community.

Given under my hand and Seal of the Town of Mead, Colorado
On this 8th day of April 2024

Colleen G. Whitlow
Mayor