

TOWN OF NEW CASTLE, COLORADO
RESOLUTION NO. TC 2026-12

A RESOLUTION OF THE NEW CASTLE TOWN COUNCIL APPROVING SUPPORTING THE AVAILABILITY OF HEALTHIER BEVERAGE CHOICES AND ALTERNATIVE OFFERINGS TO SUGARY BEVERAGES AND PROMOTING PUBLIC HEALTH

WHEREAS, the Town Council of New Castle, Colorado recognizes that the health and well-being of its residents is a matter of vital importance; and

WHEREAS, excessive consumption of sugary beverages has been scientifically linked to increased risks of obesity, type 2 diabetes, cardiovascular disease, and dental decay, all of which place a significant burden on families and the healthcare system; and

WHEREAS, children and youth are particularly susceptible to the marketing and availability of sugary drinks, and early intervention is essential to establishing lifelong healthy habits; and

WHEREAS, restaurants and food service establishments play a critical role in shaping community health by determining the default beverage options offered with children's meals; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council acknowledges its responsibility to promote public health through initiatives that encourage healthier choices and environments.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE NEW CASTLE TOWN COUNCIL COLORADO THAT:

1. Recitals. The foregoing recitals are incorporated by reference as findings and determinations of the Council.
2. Adoption. Pursuant to Section 14.4 of the Town Charter, the Town Council hereby approves the IGA attached as Exhibit A and authorizes the Mayor to execute the same.

INTRODUCED, PASSED, AND ADOPTED by a vote of ___ to ___ at a regular meeting of the New Castle Town Council held on May 21, 2026.

TOWN COUNCIL OF TOWN OF
NEW CASTLE, COLORADO

Mayor Grady Hazelton

ATTEST:

Town Clerk Mindy Andis, CMC