

Proclamation
“Workforce Development Month”
September 2022

Whereas, the Adams County Workforce and Business Center is part of the statewide workforce development system in Colorado; and,

Whereas, Colorado is ranked number one in the nation for workforce development; and,

Whereas, workforce development services for workers, employers, and communities are, and will continue to be critical as the economy continues to recover from the COVID-19 pandemic; and,

Whereas, the Adams County Workforce and Business Center has helped over 5,000 residents earn jobs resulting in over \$100 million dollars in increased wages impacting the local economy; and,

Whereas, apprenticeships, internships, and experiential learning are proven strategies to close the skills gap, build self-esteem, and develop an alternative pathway to a rewarding career; and,

Whereas, the careers of tomorrow require a job-driven approach to ensure a talent pipeline of qualified workers is in place; and,

Whereas, when workers, students, educators, workforce professionals, and employers are united in addressing the challenges that lie ahead, and no one is shut out or left behind, Adams County can become the best county in Colorado to gain employment; and,

Whereas, Adams County residents are encouraged to celebrate the diversity of our workforce and commit ourselves to ensuring Colorado workplaces are inclusive to all qualified workers; and,

Whereas, the Adams County Workforce Development Board is aligned with educators, businesses, and economic developers to enhance regional workforce development, expand apprenticeships, encourage more inclusive hiring, and promote the state’s competitive advantage.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the Adams County Board of Commissioners, of the County of Adams, State of Colorado, proclaims the month of September 2022 as

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In witness whereof, we have set our hands and caused the seal of the county to be affixed September 13, 2022.