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AGENDA

Delta City Council Special Meeting April 30, 2024 6:00 p.m.

- A. Pledge of Allegiance
- B. Changes to the Agenda
- C. Consideration of Proclamation Regarding Non-Sanctuary City

Please preregister for the meeting: Join Zoom Meeting https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87387410482

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Proclamation

After careful consideration including three public meetings, and following opportunity for community comment during a public meeting held on April 30, 2024, the City of Delta hereby issues this proclamation.

This declaration is made to address concerns that our small community and its many service providers would be overwhelmed should a large influx of persons requiring public assistance or services arrive in our community. The City of Delta itself provides few services to those in need whether that be medical, mental health, shelter, food, or job assistance. These human services are provided by many other public and private organizations, and are frequently strained under existing demand. The City is experiencing the same housing crisis that much of Colorado faces with affordable housing quickly eluding many that call Delta home. The City lacks year round emergency shelter; mental health and medical services are constrained. Food banks and food services are heavily utilized, and frequently inadequate.

This proclamation is a message to those seeking assistance, or those seeking to provide transportation for anyone in need. The City of Delta does not have the resources to meet the needs of a large influx of persons needing shelter, food, medical or mental health, and job assistance.

This proclamation is also a call to our federal legislators to work urgently towards a bipartisan solution to the ongoing humanitarian crisis along the U.S. border. Small communities, such as Delta, should not have to bear the burden of failed federal immigration controls.

The City of Delta remains committed to its core value of inclusivity and diversity and recommits to the following as part of this proclamation:

- The City of Delta continues to prioritize the well-being and protection of all of its residents regardless of immigration status, and is committed to equitable access to available services.
- The City of Delta is committed to fostering a safe and welcoming environment for everyone in our City.

CITY OF DELTA

BY: _____

Mayor

ATTEST:

Deputy City Clerk