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2 **BY AUTHORITY**

3 ORDINANCE NO.
4 SERIES OF 2020

COUNCIL BILL NO. 20-0516
COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE:
Finance and Governance Committee

6 **A BILL**

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8 **For an ordinance submitting to a vote of the qualified and registered electors of**
9 **the City and County of Denver at a special municipal election to be held in**
10 **conjunction with the coordinated election of November 3, 2020, a proposed**
11 **amendment to the Charter of the City and County of Denver creating a Board of**
12 **Transportation and Infrastructure.**

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14 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER:**

15 **Section 1.** There is hereby submitted to the registered electors of the City and County of
16 Denver for their approval or rejection at a special municipal election held in conjunction with the
17 coordinated election on November 3, 2020, a proposed amendment to the Charter of the City and
18 County of Denver, as follows:

19 **Effective upon publication and filing with the Secretary of State pursuant to the**
20 **Constitution and laws of the State of Colorado, the following sections of Article II of**
21 **the 2002 Charter of the City and County of Denver shall be and are hereby amended to**
22 **read as follows:**

23 Part 3 of Article II shall be amended to add a new section to read as follows:

24 **Part 3. – Transportation and Infrastructure**

25 **§2.3.5 – Board of Transportation and Infrastructure**

26 There is hereby created a Board of Transportation and Infrastructure (hereinafter called the
27 "Board") consisting of nineteen members. Six members of the Board shall be appointed by the
28 Mayor. Thirteen of the members shall be appointed by City Council. Members shall serve at the
29 pleasure of their respective appointing authorities. Members of the Board should represent a variety
30 of interests, backgrounds and geography. Members of the Board shall serve without pay. The
31 Board shall advise the Manager with respect to the policy and operation of the Department and
32 shall review and comment on the proposed annual budget for the Department.

1 **Section 2.** The ballot shall contain the following title and submission clause:

2 **REFERRED QUESTION _____**

3 Shall the Charter of the City and County of Denver be amended to create the Board of
4 Transportation and Infrastructure to advise the Manager with respect to the policy and
5 operation of the Department and shall review and comment on the proposed annual
6 budget for the Department?
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8 **Section 3.** The proper officials of the City and County of Denver as are charged with duties
9 relating to the election shall, before the election, issue such calls, make such certifications and
10 publications, give such notices, make such appointments, and do all such other acts and things in
11 connection with the submission of this Charter amendment to the registered electors of the City and
12 County of Denver at the election as are required by the Constitution and laws of the State of
13 Colorado and the Charter and ordinances of the City and County of Denver.

14 **Section 4.** The ballots cast at such election shall be canvassed and the results ascertained,
15 determined, and certified in accordance with the requirements of the Constitution and laws of the
16 State of Colorado and the Charter and ordinances of the City and County of Denver.

17 **Section 5.** If any section, paragraph, clause, or other portion of this ordinance is held to be
18 invalid or unenforceable for any reason, the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance shall
19 not be affected.

20 COMMITTEE APPROVAL DATE: June 2, 2020

21 MAYOR-COUNCIL DATE: June 9, 2020

22 PASSED BY THE COUNCIL _____ June 22, 2020

23 _____ - PRESIDENT

24 APPROVED: _____ - MAYOR _____ Jun 23, 2020

25 ATTEST: _____ - CLERK AND RECORDER,
26 EX-OFFICIO CLERK OF THE
27 CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER

28 NOTICE PUBLISHED IN THE DAILY JOURNAL _____;

29 PREPARED BY: Jonathan Griffin, Assistant City Attorney DATE: June 10, 2020

30 Pursuant to section 13-12, D.R.M.C., this proposed ordinance has been reviewed by the office of the
31 City Attorney. We find no irregularity as to form, and have no legal objection to the proposed
32 ordinance. The proposed ordinance **is not** submitted to the City Council for approval pursuant to §
33 3.2.6 of the Charter.
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35 Kristin Bronson Denver City Attorney,

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37 BY: Kristin J. Crawford, Assistant City Attorney DATE: Jun 10, 2020