<u>**BY AUTHORITY**</u>

ORDINANCE NO. _____   COUNCIL BILL NO. CB16-0569

SERIES OF 2016   COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE:

                                                                                        Governance & Charter Review

<u>**A B I L L**</u>

For an ordinance amending Section 2-3 of Chapter 2 of the Denver Revised Municipal Code regarding electronic signatures.

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

Section 1.   That Section 2-3 of the Denver Revised Municipal Code shall be amended by deleting the language stricken and adding the language underlined as follows:

Sec. 2-3. - Electronic signatures.

(a)   *Definitions.* For the purposes of this section, the words and terms used shall be defined as set forth in the Colorado ~~Government~~ <u>Uniform</u> Electronic Transactions Act, currently contained in <u>Title 24,</u> article 71.~~13~~ of the Colorado Revised Statutes, as the same may be amended from time to time. The definitions of words and terms set forth in the remainder of this chapter shall also apply herein to the extent that they are not inconsistent therewith.

(b)   *Authorization.* Whenever any provision of <u>the charter,</u> this Revised Municipal Code or any ordinance, rule, regulation, executive order, or policy of the City and County of Denver expresses a requirement for a signature of any person<u> or the city seal</u> to be affixed or associated with any form or document, that requirement shall be deemed to be fully satisfied by an electronic signature <u>or seal</u> when supplied in the manner specified by the city.

1 COMMITTEE APPROVAL DATE: August 4, 2016 by Consent

2 MAYOR-COUNCIL DATE:

3 PASSED BY THE COUNCIL: _____, 2016

4 _____ - PRESIDENT

5 APPROVED: _____ - MAYOR _____, 2016

6 ATTEST: _____ - CLERK AND RECORDER,
7   EX-OFFICIO CLERK OF THE
8   CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER

9 NOTICE PUBLISHED IN THE DAILY JOURNAL: _____, 2016; _____, 2016

10 PREPARED BY: Deanne Durfee, Assistant City Attorney   DATE: August 4, 2016

11 Pursuant to section 13-12, D.R.M.C., this proposed ordinance has been reviewed by the office of
12 the City Attorney. We find no irregularity as to form, and have no legal objection to the proposed
13 ordinance. The proposed ordinance is not submitted to the City Council for approval pursuant to
14 §3.2.6 of the Charter.

15 Denver City Attorney

16 BY: _____, _____ City Attorney   DATE: _____, 2016