

Proclamation No. 16-0804 In recognition of Paul A. Hindman, Executive Director of Urban Drainage and Flood Control District, upon his retirement

WHEREAS, Paul A. Hindman holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Agricultural Engineering from Colorado State University, and Masters' Degree in Business Management from the University of Colorado at Denver, as a Professional Engineer licensed in the State of Colorado he has over 37 years of experience in the field of water resources both in the private and public sector; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hindman began his esteemed career with the Urban Drainage and Flood Control District on January 7, 1985 as a project engineer for the Maintenance Program, he has held a variety of positions, rising through the ranks to become Executive Director of the District in 2008, and has decided to retire, effective September 16, 2016; and

WHEREAS, in over his 31 years with the District he served with dedication, and his legacy will forever be remembered through the numerous projects that were completed during his time with the district, which include: the Goldsmith Gulch, the Storm Sewer Pipe Material Technical Memorandum, Lakewood Gulch and the University/Mexico Storm Sewer; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hindman's unwavering commitment to the District and the safety of every Colorado resident was witnessed firsthand in September 2013, when many counties in the metro area suffered historic flooding, these same floods also displayed the great work that has been done in Mr. Hindman's time, much of which goes underappreciated until it is needed; and

WHEREAS, through his leadership, responsiveness to citizens and elected officials, volunteer work within the community, and dedication to improving policies, procedures, and best practices for flood mitigation, Mr. Hindman has helped strengthen a culture and infrastructure that will continue to protect residents and property for decades to come.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER:

Section 1. That the Council of the City and County of Denver honors the work of Paul A. Hindman and expresses its sincere appreciation for his outstanding career of service to the people of the City and County of Denver, the seven counties served by the Urban Drainage and Flood Control District, and the State of Colorado.

Section 2. That the Clerk of the City and County of Denver shall attest and affix the seal of the City and County of Denver to this proclamation and that a copy be transmitted to Mr. Paul A. Hindman and the Urban Drainage and Flood Control District.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL September 12, 2016

ALBL PRESIDENT