



Proclamation No. 25-1150

A Proclamation Honoring Senior Council Aide Owen Brigner for Dedicated Service to the Office of Councilmember Amanda Sawyer and the People of the City and County of Denver

WHEREAS, Owen Brigner has dedicated over three years of exceptional service to City Council, demonstrating infectious positivity, unwavering commitment, diligence and professionalism; and

WHEREAS, Owen started his journey with City Council as an intern in the Office of Councilmember Amanda Sawyer, transitioning seamlessly to being a Council Aide and then ultimately Senior Council Aide; and

WHEREAS, Owen played a key role in the passage of a first-of-its kind law in Denver, and one of the first in a major American city, that thoughtfully limits the placement of gas stations in Denver to free-up much-needed land that could be used for housing; and

WHEREAS, Owen also played a key role in passing unanimously an update to the city's Neglected and Derelict Buildings ordinance that gives Denver more tools for enforcement, including a service response fee, to bring these properties into compliance much quicker; and

WHEREAS, Owen's contributions to Councilmember Sawyer's Office extend far beyond his official duties, as he has consistently gone above and beyond for the People of District 5 and of the City and County of Denver; and

WHEREAS, Owen has been an invaluable asset to Councilmember Sawyer's Office and to Denver City Council as a whole.

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

Section 1. That the Denver City Council honors and acknowledges Owen Brigner's extraordinary work in service to the residents of Council District 5 and Denver.

Section 2. That the Clerk and Recorder of the City and County of Denver shall affix the seal of the City and County of Denver to this proclamation and that a copy be transmitted to Owen Brigner.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL August 11, 2025

Amanda P. Sandoval

PRESIDENT

