

1 BY AUTHORITY

2 ORDINANCE NO. _____
3 SERIES OF 2024

COUNCIL BILL NO. _____
COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE:

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5 A BILL

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7 **For an ordinance amending Division 5, Article VI of Chapter 49 of the Revised**
8 **Municipal Code, delaying the effective date of the Sidewalk Program and Sidewalk**
9 **Fund.**

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11 **WHEREAS**, voters approved the "Denver Deserves Better Sidewalks" initiated ordinance in
12 November 2022;

13 **WHEREAS**, Denver Charter § 8.3.1(F) grants City Council the power to amend or repeal an
14 initiated ordinance six months after passage;

15 **WHEREAS**, the ordinance does not require the manager of the Department of Transportation
16 and Infrastructure to bill and collect the sidewalk service charge by a specified date and the manager
17 has not started such billing or collection;

18 **WHEREAS**, the intent of this ordinance is to clarify that the manager may not collect the
19 sidewalk service charge or otherwise implement the ordinance prior to January 1, 2025;

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21 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF**
22 **DENVER:**

23 **Section 1.** That Chapter 49, Article VI, Division 5, shall be amended to read as follows:

24 **Sec. 49-156. Effective Date.**

25 This division 5 shall be effective ~~July 1, 2024~~ January 1, 2025.

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27 COMMITTEE APPROVAL DATE: _____, 2024.

28 MAYOR-COUNCIL DATE: _____, 2024.

29 PASSED BY THE COUNCIL _____ 2024

30 _____ - PRESIDENT

31 APPROVED: _____ - MAYOR _____ 2024

32 ATTEST: _____ - CLERK AND RECORDER,
33 EX-OFFICIO CLERK OF THE
34 CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER
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1 NOTICE PUBLISHED IN THE DAILY JOURNAL _____ 2024; _____ 2024

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3 PREPARED BY: Anshul Bagga, Assistant City Attorney DATE: May 9, 2024

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5 Pursuant to section 13-9, D.R.M.C., this proposed ordinance has been reviewed by the office of the
6 City Attorney. We find no irregularity as to form and have no legal objection to the proposed
7 ordinance. The proposed ordinance is not submitted to the City Council for approval pursuant to §
8 3.2.6 of the Charter.

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10 Kerry Tipper, City Attorney

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12 BY: _____, _____ City Attorney DATE: _____

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