## **RESOLUTION NO. 8 (2023)**

## A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE FORMATION AND OPERATION OF A USEFUL PUBLIC SERVICE PROGRAM

## **RECITALS:**

The City of Craig, through the Municipal Court, sentences Juvenile offenders and Defendants when they have been found in violation of the Craig Municipal Code. The City of Craig wishes to implement a useful public service program that would benefit the public and will involve a minimum of direct supervision or other public cost.

The City of Craig believes it will benefit the community by permitting the Craig Municipal Court to sentence an offender to such work assignments as may be deemed appropriate for each offending person and that person shall complete the same within a time frame to be established by the Court.

In addition to any other penalty the offender may receive, it is necessary for the Court to assess an amount, not to exceed one hundred twenty dollars, upon any person required to perform useful pubic service. Such amount shall be used by the City of Craig for overseeing such person's useful public service program and other costs associated with the performance of the work assignments.

For the foregoing reasons, the City Council deems the authorization of a Useful Public Service Program will advance the public interest and its health, safety and welfare for the citizens of the City.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF CRAIG, COLORADO:

- 1. The City of Craig Council hereby authorizes the formation and operation of a Useful Public Service Program.
- 2. The City of Craig Council authorizes the City of Craig to assess a fee, not to exceed one hundred twenty dollars, upon any person required to perform useful public service that shall be used to defray any costs associated with the performance and supervision of useful public service by offenders.
- 3. All actions heretofore taken by the officers, employees and agents of the City relating to the formation and operation of a Useful Public Service program which are consistent with the provisions of this Resolution are hereby ratified, approved and confirmed.
- 4. The formation and operation of a Useful Public Service program will benefit the City and its residents. Accordingly, all actions taken or to be taken by the officers, employees and agents of the City relating to the formation and operation of the Useful

Public Service program, which are consistent with the provisions of this Resolution, are ratified, approved and confirmed.

READ AND APPROVED THIS 28<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MARCH 2023 BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF CRAIG, COLORADO.

ATTEST:

Ryan Hess, Mayor

Liz White, City Clerk