

RESOLUTION NO. _____ - 22

A RESOLUTION APPROVING A MAJOR AMENDMENT TO THE BANNING LEWIS RANCH MASTER PLAN CHANGING LAND USE DESIGNATIONS FROM RESIDENTIAL-MEDIUM HIGH, NEIGHBORHOOD RETAIL, SCHOOL, AND PARK TO RESIDENTIAL-MEDIUM, COMMERCIAL, MIXED COMMERCIAL/RESIDENTIAL-HIGH, PARK AND OPEN SPACE USES CONSISTING OF 184.29 ACRES LOCATED EAST OF THE NORTH MARKSHEFFEL ROAD AND BARNES ROAD INTERSECTION.

WHEREAS, the Land Use Review Division staff of the City of Colorado Springs (“City”), has reviewed, analyzed, and processed for substantial conformance with the review criteria contained in § 7.5.408 of the City Code, an application for a major amendment to the Banning Lewis Ranch Master Plan (the “Plan”); and

WHEREAS, City staff recommends approval of the major amendment to the Plan and finds that the Plan, as amended, substantially conforms to the review criteria contained in § 7.5.408 of the City Code; and

WHEREAS, the Plan, as amended, is consistent with other community plans and visions including the City’s “Comprehensive Plan”; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to City Code § 7.5.407, at a public hearing the major amendment to the Plan has been reviewed and recommended for approval by the City’s Planning Commission.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS:

Section 1. The above and foregoing recitals are incorporated herein by reference and are adopted as findings and determinations of the City Council.

Section 2. City Council finds that the Plan, as amended through the major amendment application, substantially conforms to the review criteria contained in City Code § 7.5.408 and hereby approves the Plan as attached in Exhibit A.

Section 3. City Council further recommends that upon adoption, this Plan also be utilized, as appropriate, to guide and inform the community with respect to City Strategic Plan goals and objectives, updates to other planning studies, and any necessary ordinances in support of the Plan.

Section 4. This resolution shall be effective upon its approval by City Council.

Dated at Colorado Springs, Colorado, this ___ day of _____ 2022.

Council President

ATTEST:

Sarah Johnson, City Clerk