

RESOLUTION NO. 70-21

A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION OF THOMAS J. FLORCZAK, DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY IN THE CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, FOR HIS SERVICE TO THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS UPON HIS RETIREMENT

WHEREAS, Tom Florczak is a native of Holmdel, New Jersey, a graduate of Rutgers University with a degree in Anthropology, and of the University of Colorado School of Law; and

WHEREAS, Tom Florczak has had a diverse and distinguished legal career spanning 45 years and virtually every legal job under the sun; and

WHEREAS, Tom Florczak wisely left the Pueblo City Attorney's Office to join the Colorado Springs City Attorney's Office on October 15, 2012; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure with the City Attorney's Office, Tom Florczak's unquestioned loyalty to the client and unapologetic pursuit of the best interests of said client has set an example of excellence; and

WHEREAS, Tom Florczak's command of municipal law is unrivaled in Colorado, and his experience and knowledge on TABOR, financing, fleet services, ambulance contracts, construction contracts, ballot question drafting, and the occasional minutia with which we deal has been incredibly beneficial to the client; and

WHEREAS, Tom Florczak has been a dedicated and loyal attorney, mentor, and friend to his extended City family, and is always available to offer advice on buying tires, cars, and houses; and

WHEREAS, Tom Florczak has a huge heart and a great sense of humor that has endeared him to many; and

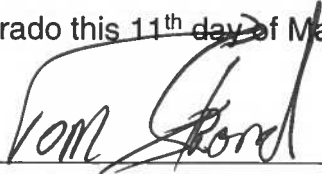
WHEREAS, despite the gruff exterior, Tom Florczak is a Jersey peach, the heart and soul of the City Attorney's Office, and his retirement leaves us at a loss for words; and

WHEREAS, the City appreciates and recognizes Tom Florczak for his dedication, commitment, and stewardship of taxpayer dollars, for his ability to survive and thrive amongst lawyers, government staff, elected officials, and the public, and wishes him nothing but happiness and success in his future endeavors.



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

Section 1. That City Council recognizes THOMAS J. FLORCZAK for his 8 years, 7 months, and 10 days of service, leadership, and contributions to the City of Colorado Springs.

DATED at Colorado Springs, Colorado this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2021.

  
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Council President

ATTEST:

  
  
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Sarah B. Johnson, City Clerk