## **RESOLUTION NO. 35-22**

## A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING APRIL 4<sup>TH</sup> TO APRIL 10<sup>TH</sup> AS NATIONAL PUBLIC HEALTH WEEK

WHEREAS, the week of April 4th-10th, 2022, is National Public Health Week; and

WHEREAS, the theme for National Public Health Week 2022 is "Public Health is Where You Are," and the places where residents live, work, learn, play, and worship impact community and individual health;

WHEREAS, public health professionals help make communities healthier, stronger and safer by working to make it easier for residents to access the public health resources they need to achieve the highest level of health; and

WHEREAS, the mission of El Paso County Public Health is to promote and protect public health and environmental quality across El Paso County through people, prevention and partnerships; and

WHEREAS, the vision of El Paso County Public Health is for all El Paso County residents to live in thriving communities where every person has the opportunity to achieve optimal health; and

WHEREAS, El Paso County Public Health promotes resiliency, community connectedness, and health to assure the well-being of all our populations and communities; and

WHEREAS, El Paso County Public Health works to build safe, healthy communities by developing policy and collaborating with multi-sector partners across the county to assure health is a priority in our communities; and

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

Section 1. April 4<sup>th</sup> to April 10<sup>th</sup> is recognized as National Public Health Week and it is more important than ever to observe this week by helping our families, friends, neighbors, coworkers and leaders to better understand the value of public health and to celebrate, support and advance the work of public health in light of this year's theme, "Public Health is Where You Are."

Dated at Colorado Springs, Colorado this 22rd day of March, 2022.

Council President