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### 13, JANUARY, A.D. 2016.

And that the last publication of said notice was in the issue of said newspaper dated:

## 13, JANUARY, A.D. 2016.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 13th day of January, A.D. 2016.

Publisher/Authorized Agent

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a notary public in and for the County of El Paso, State of Colorado, this 13th day of January, A.D. 2016.

ROBYN KIRK NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF COLORADO NOTARY ID 20114063677 MY COMMISSION EXPIRES OCTOBER 5, 2019

**PUBLIC NOTICE** OF HEARING ON

PETITION THE FOR **ORGANIZATION** OF THE CREEKWALK MARKETPLACE BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT IN THE CITY OF DISTRICT SPRINGS, EL COLORADO PASO COUNTY, COLORADO, AND CONSIDERATION OF AN ORDINANCE ORGANIZING THE CREEKWALK MARKETPLACE BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT, PROVIDING FOR THE ELECTION OF THE DIRECTORS THEREOF, AND APPROVING THE INITIAL OPERATING PLAN AND PRELIMINARY 2016 BUDGET THEREFOR

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that there was filed in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Colorado Springs, Colorado a Petition for the Organization of the Creekwalk Marketplace Business Improvement District Proposed District") in accordance with the provisions of the Business Improvement District Act, Part 12 of Article 25 of Title 31, C.R.S. Said Petition is pending the hearing on the sufficiency of said Petition and action on an ordinance to organize the Proposed District by the Mayor and City Council as the governing body of the City of Colorado Springs. Colorado (the "City").

Said Petition states, among other

things:

(a) A general description of the boundaries and service area of the Proposed District, as follows and incorporated herein by reference: the commercial property in the commercial areas of the Creekwalk Marketplace development located generally in the area with frontage along Cheyenne Road between Nevada Avenue and Cascade Avenue and frontage along Nevada Avenue, in the City of Colorado Springs, Colorado. (b) The Proposed District shall be

empowered to provide all or part of the services and improvements allowed under Colorado law for improvement districts,
"Improvements" as that business including term is defined in Section 31-25-1203(5), C.R.S., services as described in Section 31-25-1212(1) (f) C.R.S. and other powers granted to such districts under Section 31-25-1212, C.R.S., to the extent set forth in

its Operating Plan;

(c) That a five (5) member Board of Directors of the Proposed District will be elected at an election to be held on May 3, 2016, pursuant to Section 31-25-1209(1)(d), C.R.S.

The petition is on file at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Colorado Springs, Colorado, and is available

for public inspection.
NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that by order of the Clerk to the Board of Trustees, a public hearing on said Petition shall be held at the hour of 1:00 p.m., on Tuesday, the 26th day of January, 2016, at the City Hall, 107 N. Nevada Avenue, Colorado Springs, Colorado, at which time and place any interested party may appear and be heard on the sufficiency of the Petition.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Colorado Springs, at the conclusion of said hearing, if it determines that the Petition satisfies the requirements of the Business Improvement District Act, will consider the adoption of a proposed ordinance creating and establishing the Creekwalk Marketplace Business Improvement District, providing for the election of Board members of the District, and approving the Initial Operating Plan and preliminary 2016 budget therefor,

By: Sarah Johnson, City Clerk City of Colorado Springs, Colorado Publication Date: January 13, 2016 Published in The Transcript DT28743