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Dear Mr. Kelley:

On behalf of the Housing & Building Association of Colorado Springs (HBA), we would like to thank you for giving us the opportunity to review and discuss the proposed drainage basin fee increase.

We appreciate the staff's readiness to research drainage construction costs, which provided a better assessment of the actual construction cost increases. The proposed increase is in line with bids our members have received as well. The HBA supports moving forward with the recommended increase of 6.7% over the 2018 drainage, bridge, and detention pond facility fees. We look forward to continuing a collaborative partnership with the City of Colorado Springs.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions about our organization's support.

Respectfully,
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