

**RESOLUTION NO. R-024 -064**  
**THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**  
**OF THE COUNTY OF DOUGLAS, COLORADO**

**A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING MAY 2024 AS ARCHAEOLOGY AND  
HISTORIC PRESERVATION MONTH**

**WHEREAS**, the National Trust for Historic Preservation created Preservation Week in 1971 to spotlight grassroots preservation efforts in America, which has grown into an annual celebration observed by small towns and big cities with events ranging from architectural and historic tours and award ceremonies, to fundraising events, educational programs and heritage travel opportunities; and

**WHEREAS**, in 2005 the National Trust has extended the celebration to the entire month of May and declared it Preservation Month to provide an even longer opportunity to celebrate the diverse and unique heritage of our Country's cities and states and enable more Americans to become involved in the growing preservation movement; and

**WHEREAS**, the National Historic Preservation Act has had a profound impact on Colorado, and historic places listed on the Douglas County, State, and National Registers contribute to the revitalization and recognition of communities through heritage tourism and the preservation of historic places which honor the diverse cultural, agricultural, natural and built environments of our State; and

**WHEREAS**, in Colorado, Archaeology and Historic Preservation Month is a celebration of our State's heritage.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR THE COUNTY OF DOUGLAS, STATE OF COLORADO, hereby proclaim that May 2024 shall be commemorated as Archaeology and Historic Preservation Month.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 21<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024, in Castle Rock, Douglas County, Colorado.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF THE COUNTY OF DOUGLAS, COLORADO

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