

RESOLUTION NO. R-025- 078

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

**A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT MONTH DURING
SEPTEMBER 2025**

WHEREAS, the world of work continues to evolve rapidly and Douglas County's current and future workforce remains critical to our economy and prosperity. The dedicated workforce development professionals of Arapahoe/Douglas Works!, in partnership with many organizations throughout the County, work tirelessly to deliver no-cost workforce solutions to support individuals on their path to employment and help businesses find the talent they need; and

WHEREAS, how and where we work is forever changing, due to advancements in technology, automation, artificial intelligence, globalization, and sustainable energy. A/D Works! offers an array of tools to be successful in today's job market, including resources and workshops, one-on-one employment counseling, labor market navigation and training assistance; and

WHEREAS, acknowledging that the work landscape continues to evolve means our workforce development strategies must also evolve. A/D Works! has partnered with the Colorado Apprenticeship Hub to expand and support registered apprenticeship programs within the state, offering additional services to employers and jobseekers; and

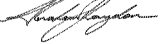
WHEREAS, A/D Works! has been the recipient of numerous awards including, the Mark Sanders Award for Exceptional Veteran Services, the Economic Development Council of Colorado's Partner of the Year, the Colorado Workforce Development Council's High Performing Board Recognition, the Arapahoe/Douglas Workforce Development Board and the Douglas County EDC Large Sized Business of the Year demonstrates the impact workforce development has on the County's workforce; and

WHEREAS, the last two years have seen the highest use of the Arapahoe/Douglas Works! Workforce Center with access to in-demand and growing career pathways for finding and recruiting skilled workers; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR THE COUNTY OF DOUGLAS, STATE OF COLORADO, hereby proclaim that September 2025, shall be commemorated as Workforce Development Month.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 23rd day of September 2025, in Douglas County, Colorado.

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

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Deputy Clerk to the Board

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