

RESOLUTION 15-09

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THE TOWN OF BERTHOUD, COLORADO,
SUPPORTING THE BALLOT ISSUE CONCERNING A NEW MILL LEVY AND
ANNEXATION TO THE AIMS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Town of Berthoud, Colorado, called an election to be held on November 3, 2009, to refer to the eligible electors of the Town, the question of whether all of the Town of Berthoud that is not already a part of the Aims Community College District should be annexed to the District and to refer the question of whether, upon approval of annexation, a new tax shall be approved by a new mill levy assessed and payable to the Aims Community College District of 6.299 mills upon taxable property in Larimer County which lies within the Town of Berthoud; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees (Board) agrees that the inclusion of the Town of Berthoud into the Aims Community College District will provide an invaluable educational asset to the community; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees have been actively promoting and supporting the growth of our local economy in order to reduce the cost of municipal services to our existing residents and improve their quality of life; and

WHEREAS, the Board believes that a community with a reputable educational institution provides a solid foundation for economic development and the creation of primary jobs; and


WHEREAS, the Board supports both the reduction of tuition that will accompany a positive vote, and the minimal tax investment of approximately \$8.33 per month for a resident with a \$200,000 house in Berthoud; and

WHEREAS, the Board believes that Aims Community College will provide a significant boost to our local economy; and

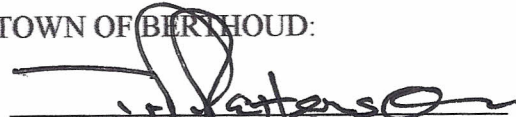
WHEREAS, the Board finds that Aims Community College is the premier community college in Northern Colorado and having Aims Community College locate in Berthoud is indeed a privilege.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees of the Town of Berthoud, Colorado, hereby supports the inclusion of the Aims Community College District into the Town of Berthoud along with the accompanying 6.299 mill levy increase, and encourages all registered electors in the Town to vote YES on the ballot question on November 3rd.

ATTEST:


Mary K. Cowdin - Town Clerk

TOWN OF BERTHOUD:


T.P. Patterson - Mayor