## INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TOWN OF ERIE COLORADO AND LOST CREEK FARMS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into by and between the **Town of Erie**, a municipal corporation of the State of Colorado ("Town"), and **Lost Creek Farms Metropolitan District**, a quasi-municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of Colorado (the "District").

### RECITALS

WHEREAS, the District was organized to provide those services and to exercise powers as are more specifically set forth in the District's Service Plan dated August 25, 2016, as amended from time to time by Town approval ("Service Plan"); and

WHEREAS, the Service Plan and Section 9-4-6 of the Town Code requires the execution of an intergovernmental agreement between the Town and the District; and

WHEREAS, the Town and the District have determined it to be in their best interests to enter into this Intergovernmental Agreement;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the covenants and mutual agreements herein contained, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

#### **COVENANTS AND AGREEMENTS**

1. <u>Incorporation by Reference</u>. The Service Plan and Title 9, Chapter 4 of the Town Code (the "Special District Code") are hereby incorporated in this agreement by this reference. The District agrees to comply with all provisions of the Service Plan and the Special District Code.

2. <u>Enforcement</u>. The parties agree that this agreement may be enforced in law, or in equity for specific performance, injunctive, or other appropriate relief. The parties also agree that this agreement may be enforced pursuant to Section 32-1-207, C.R.S. and other provisions of Title 32, Article 1, C.R.S., granting rights to municipalities or counties approving a service plan of a special district.

3. <u>Entire Agreement of the Parties</u>. This written agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties and supersedes all prior written or oral agreements, negotiations, or representations and understandings of the parties with respect to the subject matter contained herein.

4. <u>Amendment</u>. This agreement may be amended, modified, changed, or terminated in whole or in part only by a written agreement duly authorized and executed by the parties hereto.

5. <u>Governing Law; Venue</u>. The internal laws of the State of Colorado shall govern the interpretation and enforcement of this agreement, without giving effect to choice of law or conflict of law principles. The parties hereby submit to the jurisdiction of and venue in the district court in Boulder County, Colorado. In any proceeding brought to enforce the provisions of this agreement, the prevailing party therein shall be entitled to an award of reasonable attorneys' fees, actual court costs and other expenses incurred.

6. <u>Beneficiaries</u>. Except as otherwise stated herein, this agreement is intended to describe the rights and responsibilities of and between the named parties and is not intended to, and shall not be deemed to confer any rights upon any persons or entities not named as parties.

7. <u>Effect of Invalidity</u>. If any portion of this agreement is held invalid or unenforceable for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction as to either party or as to both parties, such portion shall be deemed severable and its invalidity or its unenforceability shall not cause the entire agreement to be terminated.

8. <u>Assignability</u>. Neither the Town nor the District shall assign their rights or delegate their duties hereunder without the prior written consent of the other party.

9. <u>Notices</u>. All notices, certificates or other communications hereunder shall be sufficiently given and shall be deemed given when given by hand delivery, overnight delivery, mailed by certified or registered mail, postage prepaid, delivered electronically (if confirmed promptly telephonically) or dispatched by telegram or telecopy (if confirmed promptly telephonically), addressed to the following address or at such other address or addresses as any party hereto shall designate in writing to the other party hereto:

Town of Erie 645 Holbrook Street P.O. Box 750 Erie, Colorado 80516

Lost Creek Farms Metropolitan District

c/o Icenogle Seaver Pogue, P.C. Attn: Jennifer L. Ivey
4725 S. Monaco Street, Suite 225 Denver, Colorado 80209 Telephone: 303-867-3003 E-Mail: jivey@isp-law.com

Successors and Assigns. This agreement and the rights and obligations created 10. hereby shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.

## LOST CREEK FARMS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

By: \_\_\_\_\_ President

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_\_Secretary

# **TOWN OF ERIE, COLORADO**

By: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Mayor

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Town Clerk