## **PROCLAMATION**

## Recognizing the Service of Daniel M. (Dan) Campbell As Raton Water Works General Manager July 28, 2020

WHEREAS, Dan Campbell has retired as General Manager of Raton Water Works, the municipal water utility of the City of Raton, New Mexico, effective June 30, 2020; and

WHEREAS, Dan Campbell joined the Raton Water Department in August 1991 and worked a total of 28 years in service to the community of Raton; and

WHEREAS, Dan Campbell was appointed as General Manager of Raton Water Works in January 1997; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure as RWW General Manager, Dan effectively guided the utility to a high performance level that included an award for the Outstanding Water Treatment Plant for medium-sized city in the Rocky Mountain Section from American Water Works Association, an award for Excellence in Environmental Achievement from the New Mexico Rural Water Association, and the Governor's Environmental Excellence Award, as well as other recognition for outstanding services; and

WHEREAS, Dan Campbell has been active in New Mexico Municipal Environmental Quality Association, serving several terms as the Association President and numerous terms as Director and significantly influenced state policy, rulemaking and implementation of issues such as plant operator training and certification and treated effluent nutrient temporary standards; and

WHEREAS, Dan Campbell developed unique knowledge and excellent management strategies in the areas of water rights and water resource management, surface water treatment, technical and engineering systems, watershed improvement and rehabilitation, and dam safety and improvement; and

WHEREAS, Dan Campbell lead successful efforts to rehabilitate the Lake Maloya watershed area following the 2011 Tract Fire and protect Raton's primary water supply, including the Segerstrom Creek Restoration Project; and

WHEREAS, Dan Campbell provided extraordinary leadership and an unwavering commitment to the community's needs that include accomplishments such as reconstruction of the City's water treatment facility and the wastewater treatment facility, extensive modernization of the water distribution system, improvement of chronic issues with the City's wastewater collection system, and continued City of Raton commitment to water conservation and recycling.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** do I, James Neil Segotta, Jr., Mayor of the City of Raton, New Mexico on behalf of the City of Raton and the Raton City Commission, recognizes and expresses appreciation to Daniel M. Campbell for his exceptional devotion to public service and his many years of hard work, professionalism, successful results and dedication to the community of Raton.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal and caused the Seal of the City of Raton to be affixed this 28<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2020.

CITY OF RATON

ATTEST:

Michael Anne Antonicei, City Clerk

James Neil Segotta Jr. Mayor