RESOLUTION OF THE REPUBLICAN RIVER COMPACT ADMINISTRATION HONORING GORDON W. "JEFF" FASSETT

Whereas, Gordon W. "Jeff' Fassett of Cheyenne, Wyoming, has resigned his position as Director of the Nebraska Department of Natural Resources (NeDNR) and the Nebraska Commissioner of the Republican River Compact Administration (RRCA) after having served faithfully in that position for more than 4 years while serving the people of Nebraska through his committed public service at NeDNR; and

Whereas, as the Nebraska Commissioner to the RRCA and the Director of NeDNR, Jeff diligently represented the Compact interests of the State of Nebraska and the residents of the Republican River basin in Nebraska; and

Whereas, while representing the State of Nebraska and its constituents, Jeff exhibited professionalism and integrity and provided leadership and guidance towards addressing the complexities of water administration and compact compliance, continually reaching out and communicating straightforwardly with the States of Colorado and Kansas to reach fair and reasonable solutions to the many issues associated with the Republican River Compact; and

Whereas, Jeff led NeDNR with openness and directness and consistently guided competing Nebraska water interests and Republican River Basin stakeholders through collaborative efforts including the State of Nebraska's ongoing Republican River Compact compliance under his leadership; and

Whereas, Jeff promoted increased certainty and predictability in water supply to allow for broader investment within the Republican River basin to more efficiently and effectively manage water, our most precious natural resource, and grow the State of Nebraska.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Republican River Compact Administration does hereby express its sincerest gratitude and appreciation to Gordon W. "Jeff" Fassett for his dedicated service to the RRCA in his position of Nebraska Commissioner and extends its best wishes to Mr. Fassett in all his future endeavors; and that the RRCA honors Mr. Fassett's service by including this resolution and appropriate dedicatory remarks in the 2020 RRCA Annual Report Meeting Minutes and hereby instructs the Nebraska Commissioner to send copies of this resolution to Mr. Fassett and the Governor of the State of Nebraska.

Adopted by the Republican River Compact Administration at the 2020 annual meeting of the RRCA.

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