RESOLUTION NO. 34-15

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE 2015 PROGRAM YEAR ACTION PLAN AS A PART OF THE CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION FIVE-YEAR CONSOLIDATED PLAN FOR THE GRAND JUNCTION COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) PROGRAM

RECITALS.

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Junction was designated as an Entitlement Community by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development in 1996;

WHEREAS, this designation entitles Grand Junction to an annual grant of funds under the CDBG Program;

WHEREAS, to be eligible for funding, the City of Grand Junction must submit an annual Program Year Action Plan to be adopted as part of the City's Five-Year Consolidated Plan which serves as a federally-required planning document that guides community development efforts in Grand Junction;

WHEREAS, the primary objective of the City's Consolidated Plan and CDBG Program is the development of viable urban communities by providing decent housing and a suitable living environment and expanding economic opportunities, principally for persons of low and moderate income:

WHEREAS, the planning process in developing the 2015 Program Year Action Plan included an emphasis on Citizen Participation and interagency involvement:

WHEREAS, the Five-Year Consolidated Plan included a process of setting local priority needs and objectives through a coordinated effort with non-profit and government agencies in the community that serve the low income and special needs populations; and

WHEREAS, the Five-Year Consolidated Plan established a strategic plan that addresses the priority needs, goals and strategies identified by the community that will be undertaken between 2011 and 2015.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO that the CDBG 2015 Program Year Annual Action Plan, as a part of the Five-Year Consolidated Plan is hereby adopted.

(Adopted/this 1st day of July, 2015,

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