



**City of Arvada Sales and Use Tax
Resolution of Support**

WHEREAS, the Arvada City Council has authorized an election for November 1, 2005, referring a TABOR ballot issue to provide an additional city-wide sales and use tax, that if approved by registered voters will provide for increased funding for the City of Arvada Police Department; and

WHEREAS, Jeffco Public Schools has more than 35 schools, approximately 5,332 students, and 2,488 employees within the city limits of Arvada, all of which and who will benefit from an increase to the police department budget; and

WHEREAS, the passage of such an ordinance will strengthen the Arvada Police Department's management of programs that affect our youth and school safety; and

WHEREAS, passage will ensure the continuance of school resource officers in Arvada public schools, thus providing necessary security, safety and education to students, staff, families and visitors;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Jefferson County Board of Education supports the passage of the City of Arvada ballot question 2A and urges Arvada voters to demonstrate their support for their city, police department, and schools by voting "Yes" on 2A in the November 1, 2005 election.

Adopted this 15th day of September, 2005.

JEFFERSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
NO. R-1

By: _____
Jane Barnes
President, Board of Education

Attest:

Stephen C. Dixon
Secretary, Board of Education