

STATE OF COLORADO

COUNTY OF

JEFFERSON



PROCLAMATION

Building Safety Month - May 2026

WHEREAS, Jefferson County is committed to safe buildings, which are fundamental to the health, welfare, and prosperity of our communities, protecting lives, property, and the environment; and

WHEREAS, Building Safety Month provides an important opportunity to raise public awareness about the critical role that building codes, standards, inspections, and maintenance play in creating resilient and secure structures; and

WHEREAS, properly designed, constructed, and maintained buildings help prevent tragedies caused by structural failures, fire hazards, electrical issues, natural disasters, and other risks, while also promoting energy efficiency, accessibility, and sustainability; and

WHEREAS, building safety professionals—including architects, engineers, code officials, inspectors, contractors, and emergency responders—work diligently every day to uphold the highest standards of safety and to adapt to new challenges such as climate change, emerging technologies, and evolving construction practices; and

WHEREAS, “Built to Last” the theme for Building Safety Month 2026, encourages us all to get involved and raise awareness about building safety on a personal, local and global scale.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, by the Jefferson County Board of Commissioners, of the State of Colorado, that May 2026 is Building Safety Month in this county.

Andrew Kerr, Chair

Rachel Zenzinger, Commissioner

Lesley Dankemper, Commissioner



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