## ORDINANCE NO. 2174

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2-44 AND ADDING CHAPTER 8-45 TO THE BROOMFIELD MUNICIPAL CODE REQUIRING THAT COUNCIL ADOPT A NOXIOUS WEED MANAGEMENT PLAN

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF BROOMFIELD, COLORADO:

Section 1. Section 2-44-0101 of the Broomfield Municipal Code is hereby amended to state as follows:

## 2-44-010 - Committee established.

There is hereby established a parks, recreation and senior services advisory committee, which will advise the city council on amendments to the parks and recreation portions of the master plan **and serve as the Broomfield Noxious Weed Advisory Board**. The parks, recreation and senior services advisory committee is charged with the responsibility of making recommendations to the city council regarding the following:

- (A) Review and provide feedback on the parks, recreation, and senior services long range plan for the development of programs and services.
- (B) In consultation with the appropriate City and County of Broomfield staff, identifying and prioritizing potential land acquisitions.
- (C) Review annual parks, recreation, and senior services CIP plan and review recommendations for new or upgraded departmental assets.
- (D) Upon the request of the department, participate, assist, and provide feedback on the Open Space, Parks, Recreation and Trails Master Plan or other special projects.
- (E) Review and provide feedback on issues relating to the Broadlands Golf Course or any cemetery in the City and County of Broomfield.
- (F) Possess and exercise the duties and authority of a local noxious weed advisory board as provided by the Colorado Noxious Weed Act, as it may be amended from time to time.
- (G) Prepare a noxious weed management plan, pursuant to Chapter 8-45.

Section 2. Chapter 8-45 of the Broomfield Municipal Code is added to read as follows:

## Section 8-45-010 - Noxious Weed Management Plan

(a) The Noxious Weed Advisory Board, as established by Section 2-44-010 of the Code, as it may be amended, shall cause to be prepared a noxious

weed management plan which may include approved and recommended measures and practices for the management, control, elimination and disposal of local and state noxious weeds. Such management plan, including amendments, shall be approved by the City Council and shall govern the management, control, elimination and disposal of local and state noxious weeds by landowners within the City and County of Broomfield.

(b) The noxious weed management plan shall be reviewed at regular intervals by the Noxious Weed Advisory Board but at least once every three years as required by the Colorado Noxious Weed Act.

## Section 8-45-020 - Noxious Weeds Deemed Nuisance

Any weeds classified as Type A, B or C noxious weeds by the State of Colorado or weeds classified by the City and County of Broomfield as noxious weeds found growing in any lot or tract of land in the city are a public nuisance and shall be removed, contained or managed as deemed appropriate by the City. Failure to comply with the City's notices or orders issued pursuant to this chapter is a violation of this code.

<u>Section 3</u>. This ordinance shall be effective seven days after publication following final passage.

INTRODUCED AND APPROVED after first reading on February 8, 2022, and ordered published in full.

INTRODUCED A SECOND TIME and approved on February 22, 2022, and further ordered published.

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