

DENVER SUSTAINABLE FOOD POLICY COUNCIL



RESOLUTION NO. 021-2019 Adopting Mayoral Advisory for City Food Purchasing

WHEREAS, the Denver Sustainable Food Policy Council (SFPC) is one of Denver's Mayor-appointed Boards and Commissions; and

WHEREAS, one key purpose of the SFPC is to "Provide Recommendations to the City on Regulations and Policies" by identifying and recommending regulatory and policy changes that would advance the Denver Food Vision and Action Plan; and

WHEREAS, the SFPC is tasked with providing the Mayor and city staff detailed policy analysis and recommendations that are both responsive to the Mayor/city and stakeholders by identifying interested parties, identifying pro and con arguments, identifying key stakeholders, and assessing the impact of the policy and legislation; and

WHEREAS, Article VI, Section 2 (f) of the By Laws allows the SFPC to designate Policy Working Groups to carry forward specific tasks of the Council for specific periods of time; and

WHEREAS, the SFPC created the City Food Purchasing Working Group (aka Good Food Purchasing Program (GFPP)) on August 15, 2017 by adoption of Resolution 007-2017; and

WHEREAS, per the Charter for Policy Working Groups adopted through Resolution 006-2017 on June 21, 2017 a key task of Policy Working Groups is to develop an Issue Brief and a Mayoral Advisory; and

WHEREAS, the City Food Purchasing Working Group (GFPP) has met multiple times, had its Issue Brief adopted on June 20, 2018 by Resolution 014-2018 by the SFPC; and

WHEREAS, the City Food Purchasing Working Group (GFPP) shared a draft of the Mayoral Advisory at the regular meeting of the SFPC on October 15, 2019 and with relevant City agencies and other stakeholders, and incorporated feedback into the Mayoral Advisory;

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED that the SFPC Adopts the City Food Purchasing Mayoral Advisory (GFPP) for the City Food Purchasing Working Group (PWG). Minor modifications will be made to standardize formatting, citations, appendices, and branding.

Official Record of SFPC Decision:

Vote: yes; no; abstain