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The Colorado Municipal League is pleased to partner with Adams State University in the production of this important resource guide for municipal and other local government leaders. The mission of both our organizations is to serve and inform, striving to develop effective partnerships and support collaboration. Higher education and the interests of community leaders go hand in hand.

Sam Mamet, Executive Director
Colorado Municipal League

Adams State University values our relationship to the communities we serve. We believe by working together we can leverage limited resources to help us all to grow and to prosper. As you look over the various programs the University offers and resources we have, if you think there may be an opportunity to work collaboratively, I invite you to contact the individuals listed to share in a conversation. By working together locally, we can be more competitive globally.

Dr. Beverlee J McClure, President
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