JEFFERSON COUNTY WELCOMES THE BLM

(Golden, CO – July 16, 2019) – The Jefferson County Board of County Commissioners, the City of Lakewood and the Jefferson County Economic Development Corp. (Jeffco EDC) applaud the Bureau of Land Management’s decision to relocate its headquarter employees to Lakewood and Grand Junction, Colorado.

“Jefferson County is honored to welcome the Bureau of Land Management team to Colorado. The transition of the headquarters to Colorado is an excellent example of the pragmatic approach the Bureau of Land Management is taking to manage its resources,” said Jefferson County Commissioner Libby Szabo. “It just makes sense to have the employees near the lands they are managing.”

“Welcome to Lakewood,” pronounced Mayor Adam Paul of the City of Lakewood. “Lakewood has a rich history of working with the U.S. Department of Interior and Bureau of Land Management and we are pleased that they will be entrusting us with more of their talented employees.”

“We are thrilled to welcome our new neighbors from Washington, D.C. to Jefferson County,” said Kristi Pollard, President and CEO for the Jefferson County Economic Development Corp. “Jefferson County is the gateway to the Rocky Mountains and the phenomenal resources that the Bureau of Land Management oversees. We look forward to working with the BLM and helping to make their transition west as smooth as possible.”

About Jefferson County – Once an agricultural and mining area, Jefferson County, Colorado, is a thriving suburban, business, industrial, recreational and residential community. The mission of Jefferson County is to promote the safety, health and well-being of the Jefferson County community and the stewardship of its resources.

About Jeffco EDC – Jeffco EDC is the premier economic development organization creating and enhancing the economic vitality for businesses and citizens of Jefferson County, Colorado through the retention, expansion, and attraction of primary jobs. Created in 1955, Jeffco EDC is the oldest economic development organization in the state and continues to provide excellence and leadership within the industry. Jeffco EDC serves as a leader on policies and matters impacting the economy, businesses and the overall business climate in Jefferson County, Colorado.

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