RESOLUTION 2018-02

A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING CHRISTOPHER URBINA, M.D., M.P.H., AS THE MEDICAL OFFICER FOR BOULDER COUNTY

WHEREAS, Senate Bill (SB) 08-194, the Public Health Act of 2008, was signed into law in July 2008 to improve public health infrastructure and ensure that essential public health and environmental services are provided throughout the state of Colorado; and

WHEREAS, the Colorado Revised Statutes (C.R.S.) were amended to incorporate the requirements of SB 08-194. As such, C.R.S. Section §25-1-508(5)(c)(l) requires a medical officer to be employed or contracted in each Colorado county to advise the public health director on medical decisions if the public health director is not also a physician; and

WHEREAS, BCPH Public Health Director Jeff Zayach is not himself a physician; and

WHEREAS, Christopher Urbina, M.D., M.P.H., is a licensed physician and entered into a contract with BCPH to serve as the medical officer for Boulder County effective November 17, 2014, following the resignation of former Boulder County Medical Officer Bernadette Albanese, M.D., and

WHEREAS, Dr. Urbina and BCPH have continuously renewed Dr. Urbina’s Boulder County medical officer contract, which shall remain active and in effect until such time that Dr. Urbina ceases to serve as Boulder County’s medical officer.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOULDER COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH, BOULDER, COLORADO, hereby recognizes Dr. Urbina as Boulder County medical officer effective November 17, 2014, and that Dr. Urbina shall continue serving in such capacity until he and/or BCPH terminate Dr. Urbina’s Boulder County medical officer contract with Boulder County Public Health.

ADOPTED, this 9th day of July, 2018.

Gregg Thomas, President
Boulder County Board of Health