STATE OF MONTANA OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 22-2018

EXECUTIVE ORDER FORMALLY TRANSFERRING ADMINISTRATIVE AND MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITY FOR SPECIFIED NON-TRUST LAND FROM THE MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO THE MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

WHEREAS, until 1997, the Montana Department of Transportation (MDT) administered and managed certain State of Montana non-trust land (Property) located in Helena, Montana, described as follows:

- 1) FLOWEREE ADDN, S29, T10 N, R03 W, BLOCK 20, Lot 1 3;
- 2) FLOWEREE ADDN, S29, T10 N, R03 W, BLOCK 20, Lot 4 7;
- 3) FLOWEREE ADDN, S29, T10 N, R03 W, BLOCK 20, Lot 14, & 35' CLSD 8TH AVE;
- 4) FLOWEREE ADDN, S29, T10 N, R03 W, BLOCK 20, Lot 13, & 35' CLSD 8TH AVE;
- 5) FLOWEREE ADDN, S29, T10 N, R03 W, BLOCK 20, Lot 11 12, & 35' CLSD 8TH AVE;
- 6) FLOWEREE ADDN, S29, T10 N, R03 W, BLOCK 20, Lot 8 10, & 35' CLSD 8TH AVE; and,
- 7) CW CANNON ADDITION, S29, T10 N, R03 W, BLOCK 37, Lot 1, & CLOSED ALLEY LTS 1-4;

WHEREAS, since MDT moved its motor pool to the MDT headquarters site, the Montana Department of Administration (DOA) has cared for and managed the Property. Various state agencies also utilize portions of the Property for parking;

WHEREAS, under § 2-17-811, MCA, the DOA is custodian of all state property and grounds within a 10-mile radius of the State Capitol, and the Property is within this radius; and

WHEREAS, MDT and DOA have signed an agreement in which MDT has transferred administrative responsibility for and control over the Property to DOA, contingent on receiving approval of this transfer by Executive Order.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, STEVE BULLOCK, Governor of the State of Montana, pursuant to the authority vested in me under the Constitution and laws of the State of Montana, Title 2, Chapter 15, MCA, and other applicable statutes, do hereby declare, approve and ratify the transfer of administration and management responsibility of the Property from MDT to DOA as described in this Executive Order and the attached agreement.

This Order is effective immediately and shall remain in effect until amended or rescinded by future Executive Order of the Governor.



GIVEN under my hand and the GREAT SEAL of the State of Montana this 23 day of October 2018.

STEVE BULLOCK, Governor

ATTEST:

COREY STAPLETON, Secretary of State