

## ORDINANCE NO. 409

### AN ORDINANCE REPEALING AND REVISING CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE CITY OF CREEDE, A COLORADO TOWN, MUNICIPAL CODE

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Trustees seeks to preserve and facilitate the safety, health and well-being of the community;

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Trustees seeks consistency and uniformity with the laws of the State of Colorado pertaining to employment;

**WHEREAS**, existing provisions within the Creede Municipal Code pertaining to appointed officers are internally inconsistent and the Board of Trustees seeks to clarify such provisions.

**NOW THEREFORE**, be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the City of Creede, Colorado, that the *Creede Municipal Code* shall be amended in the following manner:

**Section 1.** Section 2-3-10 (b) is repealed in its entirety and readopted to read as follows:

Vacancies shall be filled by appointment of the Board of Trustees.

**Section 2.** Section 2-3-40, entitled “Salaries and compensation of officers” is repealed in its entirety and readopted to read as follows:

The Board of Trustees shall fix the compensation of all officers of the City. The Mayor shall execute written contracts with each officer which enumerates said compensation and may detail duties of the appointed position as determined by a majority vote of the Board of Trustees.

**Section 3.** Section 2-3-50 is repealed in its entirety and readopted to read as follows:

Any officer appointed by the Board of Trustees shall serve at the pleasure of the Board and may be removed from office or suspended, with or without pay, by a majority vote of all Trustees.

**Section 4.** Recording and Authentication. This ordinance, immediately upon its passage, shall be authenticated by the signatures of the Mayor and City Clerk, recorded in the Town Book of Ordinances kept for that purpose, and published according to law.

**Section 5.** Publication and Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after publication following final passage.

**Section 6.** Declaration of Public Interest. This ordinance is necessary to preserve the peace, health, safety welfare, and to serve the best interests of the citizens of the City of Creede, Colorado.

**Section 7:** Codification Amendments. The codifier of the City's Municipal Code is hereby authorized to make such numerical and formatting changes as may be necessary to incorporate the provisions of this Ordinance within the Creede Municipal Code. The Town Clerk is authorized to correct, or approve the correction by the codifier, of any typographical error in the enacted regulations, provided that such correction shall not substantively change any provision of the regulations adopted in this Ordinance. Such corrections may include spelling, reference, citation, enumeration, and grammatical errors.

**INTRODUCED, APPROVED, PASSED ON FIRST AND FINAL READING, ON THIS 5<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF DECEMBER, 2017.**

  
Jeffrey Larson, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Randi Snead, City Clerk/Treasurer