

ORDINANCE # 2010-004

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ORDINANCE ADOPTED ON JANUARY 5, 1977,
CREATING THE PLANNING COMMISSION AND SETTING FORTH MEMBERSHIP
AND DUTIES THEREOF

WHEREAS, The Town of Crestone adopted an Ordinance on January 5, 1977, creating the Planning Commission and setting forth membership and duties thereof; and

WHEREAS, attendance of the Planning Commission does not always constitute a quorum;
and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees would like to be able to appoint "alternate" members of the Planning Commission for the purpose of "filling in" as necessary; and

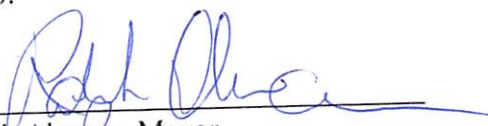
WHEREAS, additional and/or alternate members of the Town Planning Commission require amendment of the provisions of the Ordinance adopted on January 5, 1977, relating to the membership of the Commission.

NOW THEREFORE, be it hereby ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Crestone that the Section entitled Planning Commission Created of the Ordinance creating a Planning Commission, and adopted on January 5, 1977, be amended to read as follows:

Pursuant to the powers and duties conferred upon the Town of Crestone by the provisions of Title 31, Article 23 of the Colorado Revised Statutes, 1973, as amended, there is hereby created and established a municipal planning commission in ~~the~~ **and** for the Town of Crestone. The Crestone Planning Commission shall consist of five members: the Mayor and one (1) member of the Town Board as ex-officio members, and three (3) members other than members of the Town Board to be appointed by the Mayor with Town Board approval as soon as this ordinance becomes effective. **The Board of Trustees may appoint not more than five (5) alternate members of the Commission who shall be eligible to serve in the absence of a regular member(s) and entitled to vote in the order of the appointment.** The terms of each appointed member shall be six years, except that, for the initial appointments, one member shall be appointed for a term of two years, one member for a term of four years, and one member for a term of six years. Thereafter, all appointed members shall serve for terms of six years. The terms of the ex-officio members shall correspond to their respective tenures.

THE TOWN BOARD FINDS THAT THIS ORDINANCE IS NECESSARY FOR THE IMMEDIATE PRESERVATION OF THE PUBLIC PEACE, HEALTH, AND SAFETY, DUE TO THE NECESSITY OF A QUORUM BEING GUARANTEED TO CONDUCT THE MEETINGS OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE RESIDENTS OF THE TOWN OF CRESTONE, AND SHALL TAKE EFFECT AND BE ENFORCED FROM AND AFTER PASSAGE OF THE SAME.

Done and signed this 14th day of June, 2010.

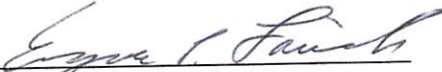

Ralph Abrams, Mayor

ATTEST:



Akia Tanara, Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Eugene L. Farish, #2557

Crestone Town Attorney

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the within Ordinance was introduced, read in full, approved and adopted at the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Crestone, Colorado on the 14th day of June, 2010 and published by title in the Crestone Eagle, a legal newspaper in the Town of Crestone on July 1, 2010.



Akia Tanara, Town Clerk