

ORDINANCE NO. 837

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY CHARTER REGARDING DEPARTMENT HEAD TITLES AND PROVIDING FOR THE SUBMISSION OF THE ORDINANCE TO A VOTE OF THE REGISTERED ELECTORS AT THE NOVEMBER 7, 2017 REGULAR ELECTION.

WHEREAS, Section 7-3 of the City of Dacono Home Rule Charter established the office of Treasurer, which is currently filled by the City's Director of Finance; and

WHEREAS, Section 7-7 of the City of Dacono Home Rule Charter provides for appointment by the City Council of a City Administrator; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it to be in the best interest of the City to amend the Home Rule Charter to reflect office titles for certain department heads in the administrative service of the City that more accurately reflect their day-to-day duties and responsibilities, as set forth herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DACONO, COLORADO:

Section 1. Section 7-3 of the City of Dacono Home Rule Charter is hereby amended to read as follows (words to be deleted are ~~stricken through~~; words to be added are underlined):

Section 7-3. Office of ~~Treasurer~~ Director of Finance.

(a) The office of the ~~Treasurer~~ Director of Finance is hereby established, consisting of the ~~Treasurer~~ Director of Finance and any personnel subordinate to the ~~Treasurer~~ Director of Finance.

(b) The ~~Treasurer~~ Director of Finance shall be responsible to the Council for the proper administration of the City treasury and for the performance of such other functions and duties as may be required by the ordinances and resolutions of the Council.

Section 2. Section 7-7 of the City of Dacono Home Rule Charter is hereby amended to read as follows (words to be deleted are ~~stricken through~~; words to be added are underlined):

Section 7-7. City ~~Administrator~~ Manager.

(a) The Council may appoint a City ~~Administrator~~ Manager to serve at the pleasure of the Council, after consideration of the recommendations of the Personnel Board. The appointment or removal of the City ~~Administrator~~ Manager shall require at least four (4) affirmative votes.

(b) Throughout the duration of the appointment of any City ~~Administrator~~ Manager appointed by the Council:

(1) Neither the Council, nor any elected official, nor any Council committee, shall dictate the appointment of any person to or removal of any person from employment by the City ~~Administrator~~ Manager except as otherwise provided in this Charter, or in any other way interfere with such employment;

(2) Except for the purpose of inquiry, the Council, each elected official, and each Council committee, shall deal with the administrative service solely through the City ~~Administrator~~ Manager, and neither the Council, nor any elected official, nor any Council committee, shall give orders to any employee of the City; and

(3) Except for the purpose of inquiry, the Council, each Councilmember, and each Council committee, shall deal with the City ~~Administrator~~ Manager solely through the Mayor.

Section 2. The charter amendments provided for herein shall be submitted to a vote of the registered electors at the November 7, 2017 regular municipal election to determine whether the amendments shall take effect.

Section 3. The charter amendments provided for herein shall not take effect unless and until a majority of the registered voters voting at the November 7, 2017 regular election vote "yes" in response to the following ballot title:

SHALL THE CITY OF DACONO HOME RULE CHARTER CONCERNING THE TREASURER AND CITY ADMINISTRATOR BE AMENDED TO REFLECT NEW TITLES OF DIRECTOR OF FINANCE AND CITY MANAGER, IN ORDER TO MORE ACCURATELY REFLECT THE DAY-TO-DAY DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF SUCH POSITIONS?

Section 4. If any article, section, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance is held to be unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, such decision shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of the remaining portions of this ordinance. The City Council

hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance and each part or parts hereof irrespective of the fact that any one part or parts be declared unconstitutional or invalid.

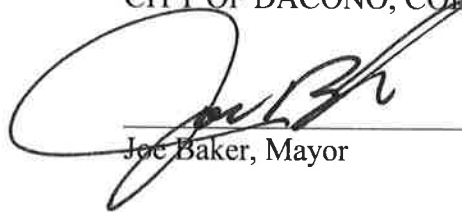
Section 5. All other ordinances or portions thereof inconsistent or conflicting with this Ordinance, or any portion hereof, are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency or conflict.

INTRODUCED, READ, ADOPTED ON FIRST READING, AND ORDERED PUBLISHED BY TITLE AND POSTED IN FULL THIS 14th day of August, 2017.

PUBLIC HEARING AND SECOND READING WILL BE THE 28th day of August, 2017 AT 6:00 P.M. AT DAcono CITY HALL, 512 CHERRY STREET, DAcono, CO.

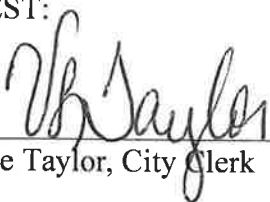
READ, ADOPTED ON SECOND READING, APPROVED, SIGNED, AND ORDERED PUBLISHED BY TITLE THIS 28th day of August, 2017.

CITY OF DAcono, COLORADO



Joe Baker, Mayor

ATTEST:



Valerie Taylor, City Clerk

Summary of Ordinance No. 837, **“AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY CHARTER REGARDING ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF TITLES AND PROVIDING FOR THE SUBMISSION OF THE ORDINANCE TO A VOTE OF THE REGISTERED ELECTORS AT THE NOVEMBER 7, 2017 REGULAR ELECTION.”**: Submits to the registered electors at the November 7, 2017 regular election amendments to the City’s home rule charter to conform the titles of Director of Finance and City Manager, to more accurately reflect the day-to-day duties and responsibilities of such positions.