

ORDINANCE NO. 836

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY CHARTER REGARDING THE COMPOSITION OF THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION AND PROVIDING FOR THE SUBMISSION OF THE ORDINANCE TO A VOTE OF THE REGISTERED ELECTORS AT THE NOVEMBER 7, 2017 REGULAR ELECTION.

WHEREAS, Section 11-3 of the City of Dacono Home Rule Charter establishes the composition of the City's Planning and Zoning Commission as five (5) members, with three (3) members being registered electors of the City, one (1) member being the Mayor, and one (1) member being a Councilmember; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it to be in the best interest of the City to provide more opportunity for citizen involvement by revising the composition of the Commission to allow for an additional registered elector instead of the Mayor.

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

Section 1. Section 11-3(b) 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 11-3. Planning and Zoning Commission.

(b) ~~Three (3)~~ Four (4) members of the Planning and Zoning Commission shall be registered electors of the City, shall have been residents of the City for at least one (1) year immediately preceding the date of their appointment, and shall not be elected officials or employees of the City. One (1) member of the Commission shall be ~~the Mayor, and one (1) member shall be~~ a Councilmember.

Section 2. The charter amendment 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 amendment shall take effect.

Section 4. The charter amendment 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 COMPOSITION OF THE PLANNING AND ZONING

COMMISSION BE AMENDED TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF RESIDENT REGISTERED ELECTORS FROM THREE (3) TO FOUR (4) AND ELIMINATE THE MAYOR AS A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION?

Section 5. 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.

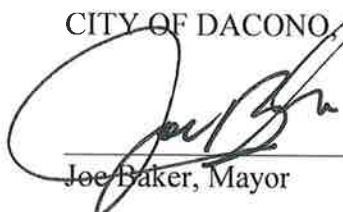
Section 6. All other ordinances or portions thereof inconsistent or conflicting with this Ordinance, or any portion hereof, are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency or conflict.

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.

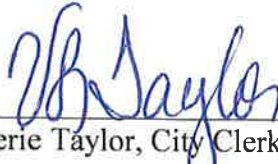
READ, ADOPTED ON SECOND READING, APPROVED, SIGNED, AND ORDERED PUBLISHED BY TITLE THIS 28th day of August, 2017.

CITY OF DACONO, COLORADO



Joe Baker, Mayor

ATTEST:



Valerie Taylor, City Clerk

Summary of Ordinance No. 836, **“AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY CHARTER REGARDING THE COMPOSITION OF THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION 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 an amendment to the City’s home rule charter to increase the number of resident registered electors on the Planning and Zoning Commission from three to four, and eliminate the Mayor as a member of the Commission.