

**Town of Erie
Ordinance No. 031-2023**

An Ordinance of the Town Council of the Town of Erie Amending the Erie Municipal Code to Replace All References to "Board of Trustees" with "Town Council" and to Replace All References to "Town Administrator" with "Town Manager"

Whereas, on November 7, 2023, the registered electors of the Town approved the Town of Erie Home Rule Charter (the "Charter");

Whereas, the Charter changes the form of the Town's governing body from a Board of Trustees to a Town Council, and changes the position of Town Administrator to Town Manager; and

Whereas, the Town Council wishes to update the Erie Municipal Code accordingly.

Now Therefore be it Ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Erie, Colorado, as follows:

Section 1. In the Erie Municipal Code, all references to "Board of Trustees" shall be changed to "Town Council", all references to "Board" when referencing the Board of Trustees, shall be changed to "Council", all references to "Trustee" shall be changed to "Council Member", in the singular or plural, as appropriate, and all references to "Town Administrator" shall be changed to "Town Manager."

Section 2. Severability. 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 Town Council hereby declares that it would have passed this Ordinance and each part or parts hereof irrespective of the fact that any one, or part, or parts be declared unconstitutional or invalid.

Section 3. Safety. The Town Council finds that the adoption of this Ordinance is necessary for the protection of the public health, safety and welfare.

Section 4. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect 10 days after publication following adoption.

Introduced, Read, Passed and Ordered Published this 28th day of November, 2023.

Justin Brooks, Mayor

Attest:

Debbie Stamp, Town Clerk