

RESOLUTION NO. 67

SERIES 2017

A RESOLUTION OF THE CRESTED BUTTE TOWN COUNCIL SETTING THE DATE FOR A RUN-OFF ELECTION IF SUCH ELECTION IS NECESSARY; DETERMINING THAT THE ELECTION IS TO BE CONDUCTED AS A MAIL BALLOT ELECTION UNDER THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION CODE; DESIGNATING THE TOWN CLERK AS THE DESIGNATED ELECTION OFFICIAL; AND GIVING AUTHORITY TO HIRE ELECTION JUDGES

WHEREAS, the Town of Crested Butte, Colorado (the Town) is a home rule municipality duly and regularly organized and now validly existing as a body corporate and politic under and by virtue of the Constitution and laws of the State of Colorado; and

WHEREAS, the Town Charter provides at Section 3.3 that the candidate receiving a majority of the votes cast for office shall be elected Mayor; and that in the event that no candidate shall have received a majority of votes cast for office, then a run-off election shall be held; and

WHEREAS, there are four candidates for Mayor, and the possibility exists that none of the four will reach the majority threshold; and

WHEREAS, if this threshold is not met, it will trigger the requirement for a run-off election pursuant to the Town's Charter in Section 2.8;

WHEREAS, the final certification of the November 7 2017 Regular Election is due November 24, 2017; and

WHEREAS, the timing required in the Charter Section 2.8 is such that election preparations must begin prior to certification of the election; and

WHEREAS, this Resolution will be effective only on the condition that a run-off election is required due to no sole Mayor candidate receiving a majority of votes cast;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CRESTED BUTTE, COLORADO, THAT:

1. A run-off election to occur if necessary is hereby set for the third Tuesday in December, December 19, 2017, as required in Section 2.8 of the Charter.

2. The run-off election shall be conducted pursuant to the Municipal Election Code, CRS 31-10-101 et seq.
3. The election shall be conducted as a Mail Ballot election in order to fulfill the requirement in the Town's Charter in Section 2.8, specifying that the run-off election shall be held in the same manner as the municipal election.
4. Town Clerk Lynelle Stanford shall serve as the Designated Election Official.
5. The Town Clerk is granted authority to appoint Election Judges pursuant to CRS 31-10-401.
6. This Resolution will be effective only if none of the candidates receives a majority of votes cast for the office of Mayor upon the certification of the November 7, 2017 Regular Election.

INTRODUCED, READ AND ADOPTED BEFORE THE TOWN COUNCIL
THIS 6th DAY OF November, 2017.

TOWN OF CRESTED BUTTE, COLORADO

By: Glenn Michel
Glenn Michel, Mayor

ATTEST

Lynelle Stanford
Lynelle Stanford, Town Clerk

(SEAL)

