

RESOLUTION NO. 3

SERIES 2012

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE DESIGNATION OF GUNNISON COUNTY AS A COLORADO CREATIVE DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the Colorado General Assembly passed HB11-1031 encouraging the formation of Creative Districts in communities, neighborhoods, or contiguous geographic areas; and

WHEREAS, the Arts Alliance of the East River Valley is seeking the State of Colorado's designation of Gunnison County as a Creative District; and

WHEREAS, a Creative District provides a focal point for celebrating and strengthening a community's artistic and cultural identity; and

WHEREAS, a Creative District will attract more visitors, artists, performers and cultural events to the area, thereby stimulating the community's economic and cultural base; and

WHEREAS, the designation of Gunnison County as a Creative District will help spotlight the numerous artists, cultural activities and creative ventures occurring in Gunnison County; and

WHEREAS, a Creative District is a venue for showcasing cultural, educational, and artistic organizations, events, and amenities and will further enhance Gunnison County's reputation as an appealing place to live, visit and conduct business.

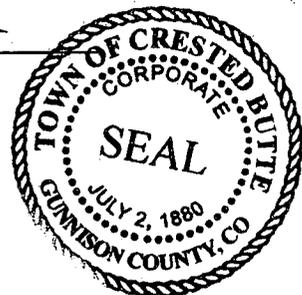
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CRESTED BUTTE, COLORADO THAT THE TOWN:

- 1) Endorses the submission of the application by the East River Valley Arts Alliance and agrees to participate in the development of a Creative District.
- 2) Endorses the goal of economic development of the Creative District.
- 3) Agrees to appoint a Town official to represent the Town on the governing board of the Creative District.
- 4) Will direct Town Staff to support and cooperate with the Arts Alliance of the East River Valley to develop and maintain the Creative District.
- 5) Asks all residents, property owners and business owners in the Town of Crested Butte to support and promote the cultural activities and events occurring in the District.

INTRODUCED, READ AND ADOPTED UPON FIRST READING THIS 17th DAY OF JANUARY, 2012.

TOWN OF CRESTED BUTTE, COLORADO

By: 
Aaron J. Huckstep, Mayor



ATTEST:


Eileen Hughes, Town Clerk

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