

**TOWN OF GREEN MOUNTAIN FALLS**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2018-08**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 2-2 OF THE GREEN MOUNTAIN FALLS MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING ELECTIONS**

WHEREAS, the state deadlines for filing of write-in candidate affidavits and cancellation of elections have changed; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees desires to amend Sections 2-2 of the Green Mountain Falls Municipal Code to comport with state election law.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF GREEN MOUNTAIN FALLS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 2-2 of the Green Mountain Falls Municipal Code is hereby repealed and reenacted to read as follows:

**Sec. 2-2. Write-in candidate affidavit required.**

No write-in vote for a Town office shall be counted unless an affidavit of intent has been filed with the Town Clerk, by the person who desires the office and is qualified to assume the duties of that office if elected. The affidavit of intent shall be filed with the Town Clerk sixty-five (65) days prior to the date of the election indicating that such person desires the office and is qualified to assume the duties of that office if elected.

Section 2. Safety Clause. The Board of Trustees hereby finds, determines and declares that this Ordinance is promulgated under the general police power of the Town of Green Mountain Falls, that it is promulgated for the health, safety and welfare of the public and that this Ordinance is necessary for the preservation of health and safety and for the protection of public convenience and welfare. The Board of Trustees further determines that this Ordinance bears a rational relation to the proper legislative object sought to be attained.

Section 3. Severability. If any clause, sentence, paragraph, or part of this Ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstances shall for any reason be adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction invalid, such judgment shall not affect application to other persons or circumstances.

Section 4. Effective Date. Section 1 of this Ordinance shall be effective thirty (30) days after passage.

INTRODUCED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED the 7<sup>th</sup> day of August 2018, at the Green Mountain Falls Town Hall, 10615 Green Mountain Falls Road, Green Mountain Falls, Colorado.

ADOPTED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2018.

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Jane Newberry, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Judy Egbert, Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Town Attorney

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