

**TOWN OF PALISADE, COLORADO
ORDINANCE NO. 2021-11**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF PALISADE, COLORADO,
AMENDING CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE VIII OF THE PALISADE
MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING FIRE CHIEF RESIDENCY
REQUIREMENTS.**

WHEREAS, the Town of Palisade (“Palisade” or the “Town”) is a Colorado municipality organized pursuant to Title 31 of the Colorado Revised Statutes and with the authority set forth therein; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-182(c) of Article VIII of Chapter 2 of the Palisade Municipal Code requires the Fire Chief of the Palisade Fire Department to establish residency within the Fire District within 3 months of promotion or hire; and

WHEREAS, the Town entered into an intergovernmental agreement with the Clifton Fire Protection District (“CFPD”) for the sharing of fire service personnel and equipment whereby CFPD provides a Fire Chief and Deputy Chief for command over all personnel, including Palisade Fire Department personnel; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees finds and determines that it is in the interest of the Town to amend the Palisade Municipal Code to account for the new organizational structure with CFPD.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF PALISADE, COLORADO THAT:

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein as if set forth in full.

Section 2. Section 2-182(c) of Article VIII of Chapter 2 of the Palisade Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows, with underlined text added and ~~strike through language deleted~~:

Sec. 2-182. Sec. 2-182. - Fire Department organization.

- (c) The Fire Chief shall be appointed by the Town Administrator by an appropriate selection process established by the Town Administrator. ~~The Fire Chief shall establish residency within the Fire District within three (3) months of promotion or hire.~~

INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED, APPROVED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED BY

TITLE, at the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Palisade, Colorado held on October 12, 2021.

TOWN OF PALISADE, COLORADO

By: 
Greg Mikolai, Mayor

ATTEST:


Keli Frasier, Town Clerk

