

ORDINANCE NO. / SERIES 1982

AN ORDINANCE DEFINING THE VOTING RIGHTS AND VETO POWERS OF THE MAYOR OF THE TOWN OF JAMESTOWN, COLORADO.

The Board of Trustees of the Town of Jamestown, Colorado wish to preserve the voting rights and veto powers of the mayor of Jamestown as outlined in the Colorado revised statutes 1973, 1977 Repl. Vol. (31-4-102; 31-4-107; 31-4-302; 31-16-104) before amendment by House Bill No. 1332 (1981).

To this end it is ordained that:

Section 1. The governing body of the Town of Jamestown will consist of the Board of Trustees (exclusive of the mayor). The mayor will be the presiding officer of the Board of Trustees and shall vote when there is a tie vote, except in passing ordinances.

Section 2. Any ordinance adopted and all resolutions authorizing the expenditure of money or the entering into of a contract require the approval and signature of the mayor before they become valid. Such ordinance or resolution shall be presented to the mayor within forty-eight hours after the action of the governing body for his signature approving the same. If he disapproves, he shall return such ordinance or resolution to the governing body at its next regular meeting with his objections in writing. The governing body shall cause such objections to be entered at large upon the record and shall proceed at the same or next subsequent meeting to consider the question: "Shall the ordinance or resolution, notwithstanding the mayor's objections, be passed?" If two-thirds of the members elected to the governing body vote in the affirmative, such resolution shall be valid, and such ordinance shall become a law the same as if it had been approved by the mayor. If the mayor fails to return to the next subsequent meeting of the governing body any resolution or ordinance presented to him for his approval, the same shall become a valid ordinance or resolution, as the case may be, in like manner as if it had been approved by him.

Section 3. This ordinance becomes effective on April 7, 1982.

Passed and adopted by the members of the Board of Trustees
of Jamestown, Colorado at the regular meeting held on
March 1, 1982 and approved by the mayor on
March 5, 1982.



Delores Buffle
Mayor

Attest:

Arthur P. Stewart