

ORDINANCE NO. 7

**AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING COMPENSATION FOR ELECTED OFFICIALS DURING
DISASTER EMERGENCIES**

WHEREAS, the Town's Mayor and Trustees serve without compensation; and

WHEREAS, during disaster emergencies, such as the September 2013 floods, it may be necessary for the Mayor and Trustees to commit additional time and assume additional duties in order to respond to such emergencies; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees desires to clarify that the Mayor and Trustees shall not be precluded from receiving compensation for services performed during a federal or state-declared disaster emergency, whenever such services are compensable pursuant to applicable federal or state laws, regulations, policies or procedures and where the source of such compensation is federal or state monies or from sources other than the Town;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE
TOWN OF JAMESTOWN, COLORADO:**

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are hereby affirmed and incorporated herein by this reference as findings of the Town Board of Trustees.

Section 2. During federal or state-declared disaster emergencies, the Mayor and Trustees of the Town shall not be precluded from receiving compensation for services performed during said emergencies, whenever such services are compensable pursuant to applicable federal or state laws, regulations, policies or procedures and where the source of such compensation is federal or state monies or monies from sources other than the Town.

Section 3. If any article, section, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is held to be unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, such decision shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of the remaining portions of this ordinance. The Board of Trustees hereby declares it would have passed this ordinance and each part or parts hereof irrespective of the fact that any one part or parts be declared unconstitutional or invalid.

Section 4. All other ordinances or portions thereof inconsistent or conflicting with this Ordinance or any portion hereof are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency or conflict.


INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED, ADOPTED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED this 18th day of March, 2014.

TOWN OF JAMESTOWN, COLORADO



Tara Schoedinger, Mayor

ATTEST:



Mary Ellen Burch, Town Clerk