



**TOWN OF JAMESTOWN  
TOWN SPECIAL BOARD MEETING  
August 19, 2021, MINUTES**

Mayor Box called the roll at 7:00 p.m. Present at roll call were Trustees Loving, Brancato, Yahnke, Boehms, Mueller. Trustee Bedell joined at 7:04 p.m.

**Approval of Agenda**

**Trustee Mueller made a motion to approve the agenda. Trustee Yahnke 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion, which was approved unanimously.**

**BOARD ACTION ITEMS**

**Discussion and Approval of Resolution 2021 8-14, A Resolution A Resolution Opposing the Proposed State of Colorado Re-Districting for District 2**

There board made some changes to the draft Resolution. One point the board wanted to further convey is that Jamestown is not connected to the Western part of the state so there are proximity issues. The following wording was added:

“Given the immense geographical barrier between ourselves and house District 3 comprised of the continental divide with no all-weather road traversing it, it would be extremely dysfunctional to place our community in District 3. We would have nothing important in common with that district from emergency response, taxation, roads, schools, electrical grid, medical facilities, watershed, jobs and so on”. There was another change to the ending of the Resolution to state that the Town is “strongly opposed” to the proposed redistricting.

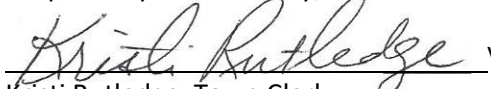
**Trustee Mueller made a motion to approve Motion to approve Resolution 2021 8-14, A Resolution A Resolution Opposing the Proposed State of Colorado Re-Districting for District 2 with the proposed changes. The motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Trustee Brancato, which was approved unanimously.**

The Board gave the Clerk direction to provide this resolution as a comment on the Colorado Independent Redistricting Committee website.

**ADJOURN**

Trustee Bedell made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Trustee Boehms 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion, which passed unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 7:34 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,

  
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Kristi Rutledge, Town Clerk

Approved,

  
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Mayor, Michael Box

*\*The 8/19/21 Board Meeting was recorded in its entirety. Audio recordings are accessible by the public and are officially kept in the Town Office. They may also be kept on the Town Web site.*