

## **ORDINANCE NO. 2018-001**

### **AN ORDINANCE CALLING A SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION OF THE TOWN OF CASTLE ROCK ON MAY 15, 2018 FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE REGISTERED ELECTORS OF THE TOWN PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE TOWN OF CASTLE ROCK HOME RULE CHARTER AND PROVIDING FOR THE CONDUCT OF SUCH ELECTION**

**WHEREAS**, Section 7-2 of the Town of Castle Rock Home Rule Charter (“Charter”) prescribes that the Town Council shall call a special municipal election by ordinance, and

**WHEREAS**, by separate ordinance, the Town Council has concurrently proposed amendments to the Charter to the electorate pursuant to §31-2-210(b), C.R.S., and

**WHEREAS**, it is necessary and advisable for the special municipal election on such Charter amendments to be conducted by the Town on May 15, 2018 in accordance with Chapter 2.01 of the Castle Rock Municipal Code, and

**WHEREAS**, certain election services and assistance may be provided by Douglas County, Colorado.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CASTLE ROCK, COLORADO:**

**Section 1. Call and Purpose of the Special Election.** A special municipal election of the Town of Castle Rock, Colorado is called for Tuesday, May 15, 2018. The purpose of the special municipal election is to ask the electorate to approve Charter amendments prescribed by Ordinance No. 2018-002, adopted by the Town Council on second and final reading on February 20, 2018.

**Section 2. Conduct of the Special Election.** The special municipal election shall be governed by and conducted in conformance with the Charter and Chapter 2.01 of the Castle Rock Municipal Code. Certain election services and assistance may be provided by Douglas County, Colorado pursuant to an Intergovernmental Agreement between the Douglas County Clerk and Recorder and the Town of Castle Rock (“IGA”). Town officials are authorized to execute the IGA in the form required by the Douglas County Clerk and Recorder.

**Section 3. Ballot.** The proposed Charter amendments and the ballot titles for such measures to be placed on the special municipal election ballot are prescribed by Ordinance No. 2018-002.

**Section 4. Actions by Officials.** Officers and employees of the Town are authorized to take all actions necessary to effectuate the provisions of this Ordinance and conduct the special municipal election on May 15, 2018 in accordance with Chapter 2.01 of the Castle Rock Municipal Code.

**Section 5. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall take effect upon its adoption on second and final reading.

**Section 6. 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 the remaining provisions of this ordinance.

**Section 7. Safety Clause.** The Town Council finds and declares that this ordinance is promulgated and adopted for the public health, safety and welfare and this ordinance bears a rational relation to the legislative object sought to be obtained.

**APPROVED ON FIRST READING** this 6<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2018 by a vote of 6 for and 0 against, after publication in compliance with Section 2.02.100.C of the Castle Rock Municipal Code; and

**PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED ON SECOND AND FINAL READING** this 20<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2018, by the Town Council of the Town of Castle Rock by a vote of \_\_\_\_ for and \_\_\_\_ against.

**ATTEST:**

**TOWN OF CASTLE ROCK**

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Lisa Anderson, Town Clerk

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Jennifer Green, Mayor

**Approved as to form:**

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Robert J. Slentz, Town Attorney

