

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-121

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING TOWN COUNCIL ELECTRONIC PARTICIPATION,
CONNECTED, AND HYBRID MEETING POLICY**

WHEREAS, Town Council established a policy permitting remote attendance and meetings by Council and the public while placing reasonable qualifications and limitations on such use on March 17, 2020 by Resolution 2020-040; and

WHEREAS, Town Council subsequently amended said policy to allow for quasi-judicial applications to occur during remotely attended meetings on April 7, 2020 by Resolution 2020-44; and

WHEREAS, Town Council extended the use of said policy on September 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020 by Resolution 2020-081; and

WHEREAS, such remotely attended meetings have been used successfully since the passage of Resolutions 2020-040 and 2020-44; and

WHEREAS, members of Town Council desire to ensure that the public, Town staff, and Town Council have the ability to meaningfully participate during Council meetings using advances in technology on a permanent basis; and

WHEREAS, Town Council has determined that it is in the best interest of the public health, safety, and welfare of the residents, employees, and officials of the Town of Castle Rock to adopt the Town Council Electronic Participation, Connected, and Hybrid Meeting Policy permanently.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CASTLE ROCK, COLORADO AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Adopted. The Town Council Electronic Participation, Connected, and Hybrid Meeting Policy, in the form attached as *Exhibit 1* is hereby adopted and incorporated into existing Town Council Procedures.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 15th day of December, 2020 by the Town Council of the Town of Castle Rock, Colorado, on first and final reading, by a vote of ____ for and ____ against.

ATTEST:

TOWN OF CASTLE ROCK

Lisa Anderson, Town Clerk

Jason Gray, Mayor

Approved as to form:

Approved as to content:

Michael J. Hyman, Town Attorney

David L. Corliss, Town Manager