

**TOWN OF JOHNSTOWN, COLORADO  
RESOLUTION NO. 2021-27**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A MAIL BALLOT ELECTION  
FOR THE TOWN OF JOHNSTOWN'S REGULAR MUNICIPAL  
ELECTION SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 5, 2022.**

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Johnstown, Colorado is a Colorado home rule municipality, duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Colorado and the Town's Home Rule Charter; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Home Rule Charter, a regular municipal election is to be conducted on April 5, 2022 and

**WHEREAS**, except as otherwise provided in the Home Rule Charter, the election is to be governed by state statutes, including the Colorado Municipal Election Code of 1965, C.R.S. §§ 31-10-101, *et seq.* ("Municipal Election Code"); and

**WHEREAS**, C.R.S. § 31-10-908 provides that a municipality may determine that an election be conducted by mail ballot; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town Council of the Town of Johnstown desires to utilize the mail ballot procedure to increase the likelihood that the election will result in higher voter participation; and

**WHEREAS**, the conduct of a mail ballot election is governed by C.R.S. §§31-10-907-913; and

**WHEREAS**, the Home Rule Charter further provides that the Town Clerk shall be in charge of all activities and duties relating to the conduct of the election; and

**WHEREAS**, Town Council finds that it is in the best interest of the Town of Johnstown to conduct its regular municipal election on April 5, 2022 as a mail ballot election, and to adopt the procedures set forth herein.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF JOHNSTOWN, COLORADO, THAT:**

**Section 1.** Town Council hereby determines that the regular election of the Town of Johnstown to be held on April 5, 2022 shall be conducted as a mail ballot election.

**Section 2.** The Town Clerk is hereby directed to take all action necessary with respect to the conduct of the April 5, 2022 election, following the provisions of the Home Rule Charter and the Municipal Election Code.

**Section 3.** The Accu-vote electronic system shall be used to record votes at said election.

**Section 4.** This Resolution shall be effective as of the date hereof.

PASSED, SIGNED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

**TOWN OF JOHNSTOWN, COLORADO**

**ATTEST:**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Diana Seele, Town Clerk

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Gary Lebsack, Mayor