

ORDINANCE NO. 09 - 10

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING HIDEOUT TOWN CODE SECTION 1A.05.102 (ELECTION TERMS; VACANCY); PROVIDING FOR REPEALER; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the Town Council to appropriately designate terms for the offices of Mayor and Town Council in the Town Code in conformance with State Code; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town Council finds it necessary to make minor amendment of Section 1A.05.102 of the Town Code in order to provide for staggered and balanced rotation of terms of these offices and establish terms to coincide with the Utah State Election Code which requires municipal elections to be held in odd number years.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF HIDEOUT, UTAH:**

**SECTION I: Repealer.** If any provisions of the Town's Code heretofore adopted are inconsistent herewith they are hereby repealed.

**SECTION II: Enactment.** That the Town Council of Hideout, Wasatch County, State of Utah, does hereby amend Section 1A.05.102 of the Town Code as follows:

**1A.05.102: ELECTION, TERMS; VACANCY:**

A. Election; Terms: The election and terms of office shall be as follows:

1. The offices of mayor and five (5) council members shall be filled in the municipal election held at the next general municipal election after incorporation of the Town of Hideout, Utah.
2. The terms for the offices of mayor and ~~three (3)~~ two (2) other council members shall be for four (4) years. These offices shall be filled every four (4) years in municipal elections.
3. The terms for the offices of the remaining ~~two (2)~~ three (3) council members elected in the first town election shall be for ~~three (3)~~ two (2) years. Henceforth, these offices shall be filled every ~~three (3)~~ four (4) years in municipal elections, and the duly elected council members shall serve four (4) year terms.
4. The offices shall be filled in the manner provided for electing municipal officers.

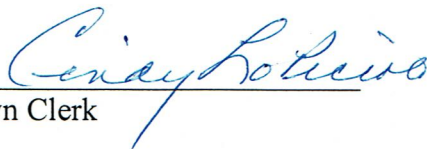
B. Vacancy In Office: Mayor or town council vacancies shall be filled as provided in Utah Code Annotated section 20A-1-510.

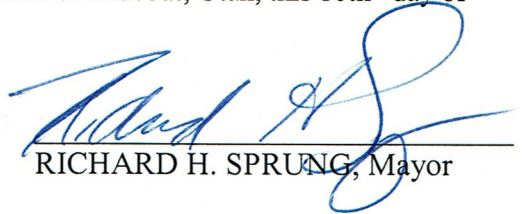
**SECTION III: Severability.** If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is declared invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, said portion shall be severed and such declaration shall not affect the validity of the remainder of this ordinance.

**SECTION IV: Effective Date.** This ordinance, being necessary for the effective administration of the Town of Hideout, and for the peace, health, safety and welfare of the town, shall become effective immediately upon posting.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Town Council of Hideout, Utah, this 10<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2009.

ATTEST:

  
Town Clerk

  
RICHARD H. SPRUNG, Mayor

Approved: June 10, 2009  
Posted: June 11, 2009