

**CITY OF RIFLE, COLORADO
ORDINANCE NO. 2
SERIES OF 2014**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF RIFLE, COLORADO, AMENDING
SECTION 2-7-20 OF THE RIFLE MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING
MEMBERSHIP AND QUALIFICATIONS OF THE SENIOR CENTER
ADVISORY BOARD.

WHEREAS, the Rifle Senior Center (the “Center”) was established to promote and aid in the establishment of certain programs for senior citizens; and

WHEREAS, the Center is operated and maintained by the Rifle Senior Center Advisory Board (the “Board”)

WHEREAS, the Board consists of seven full members and two alternate members who are appointed by the city council to overlapping terms of three years pursuant to Section 2-7-20 of the Rifle Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-7-20 of the Rifle Municipal Code in its current form requires the appointment of the two alternate members in the same year; and

WHEREAS, the Rifle City Council finds and determines the best interests of Rifle citizens will be met by amending RMC Section 2-7-20 to stagger the appointment of alternates, so that their terms overlap.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIFLE, COLORADO, THAT:

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein as if set forth in full.

Section 2. Section 2-7-20(a) of the Rifle Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows, with additions shown in bold, double underlined text.

2-7-20. Membership and qualifications.

(a) The Senior Center Advisory Board shall consist of seven (7) members and two (2) alternates, to be appointed by the City Council, ~~for three year terms. The term of each member of the Senior Center Board shall expire on April 15 of each year.~~ **The board will be divided into three classes for** For the purposes of providing overlapping terms of office, ~~the initial Senior Center Advisory Board shall~~ **will be deemed to have** **The first class shall** consist of two (2) members **and one (1) alternate** to be appointed for a term of one (1) year, **the second class shall consist of** two (2) members **and one (1) alternate** to be appointed for a term of two (2) years, and **the third class shall consist of** three (3) members ~~and two (2) alternates to be appointed for a term of three (3) years.~~ **Each class will serve a term of three years, expiring**

on April 15th of the final year of the term. The members and alternates of a class whose term is expiring will serve until their successors are appointed by the City Council.

Section 3. Section 2-7-20 of the Rifle Municipal Code is hereby amended to include a new subsection (c), which will provide as follows:

(c) The City Council shall apportion or reapportion members or alternates serving as of January 1, 2014 to the classes established under Subsection (a), prior to April 15, 2017. Such apportionment or reapportionment shall be conducted in a manner targeted to minimize disruption of the terms of the members appointed and serving as of January 1, 2014. This Subsection (c) will expire on April 16, 2017 and will then be removed from the Code without further act by City Council.

INTRODUCED on February 5, 2014, read by title, passed on first reading, and ordered published by title as required by the Charter.

INTRODUCED a second time at a regular meeting of the Council of the City of Rifle, Colorado, held on February 19, 2014, passed without amendment, approved, and ordered published in full as required by the Charter.

Dated this ____ day of _____, 2014.

CITY OF RIFLE, COLORADO

BY _____
Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk