

**TOWN OF BASALT, COLORADO
RESOLUTION NO. 50
Series 2015**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BASALT, COLORADO,
DETERMINING THAT THE REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON
TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 2016, SHALL BE A MAIL BALLOT ELECTION.**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2.1 of the Home Rule Charter for the Town of Basalt, Colorado, "All Town elections shall be governed by the Colorado Municipal Election Code of 1965, as now existing or hereafter amended or modified, except as otherwise provided in this Charter, or by ordinance."

WHEREAS, the Colorado Municipal Election Code of 1965 is set forth in the Colorado Revised Statutes as Title 31, Section 10; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Basalt has traditionally held polling place elections for its regular biennial municipal elections; and

WHEREAS, Title 31, Section 10 was amended in 2014 to add sections 31-10-907 to 31-10-913 governing Municipal Mail Ballot Elections; and

WHEREAS, at its regular meeting on September 29, 2015, the Basalt Town Council found that in the best interests of the citizens of Basalt, the April 5, 2016 election shall be conducted by Mail Ballot;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BASALT, COLORADO:

Section 1. The Town Council of the Town of Basalt has determined that the election to be held on April 5, 2016 shall be by Mail Ballot. The Council hereby authorizes and directs the Town Clerk, as the designated election official for the Town, to conduct the election as a Mail Ballot election, pursuant to the provisions of the Colorado Municipal Election Code Title 31 Article 10 *et seq.*

RESOLVED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 29th day of September, 2015.

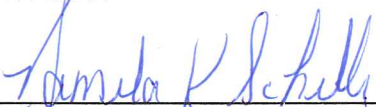
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TOWN OF BASALT, COLORADO

By: _____

Jacque Whitsitt, Mayor

ATTEST:



Pamela K Schilling, Town Clerk