

**September 20, 2018**

**Open Letter to Kremmling Residents,**

On Wednesday evening, September 19<sup>th</sup>, several Kremmling residents attended the Kremmling Board of Trustees meeting to voice their concerns about the Town's current code enforcement policy or lack thereof. The spokesperson for the group presented a petition to the Board with 55 signatures supporting concerns similar to that of the spokesperson.

The residents primary concern focused on the need to have a Town wide code enforcement policy that is administered fairly and equitably THROUGHOUT the community regardless of location, type of infraction or prior history.

The second related concern raised the issue of the health, safety and welfare of the residents in areas where the current code has not been enforced or where town residents perceive it has not been enforced equitably. The Board of Trustees listened to the speakers, and received the petition. Several Trustees expressed their frustration with the lack of a Town-wide enforcement policy and generally supported and agreed with the concerns presented to the Board by the residents. The Board of Trustees has directed Town staff to develop a Town-wide code enforcement policy for immediate implementation. This policy will be presented to the Board of Trustees for review, comment, revision and consideration for adoption at the regular Board of Trustees meeting on October 3, 2018. The Draft proposal will be posted on the Town's Web site on the preceding Monday, October 1<sup>st</sup>, for your information. Please contact the Mayor, a Trustee or the Town Manager with your comments.

The Board recognizes that code enforcement is a serious community-wide concern directly affecting the quality of life of Town residents and the economic vitality of the Town. Town residents deserve a comprehensive, Town-wide policy and program that embodies our common values, preserves and enhances property values, and restores pride in our community; and Town residents deserve a solution that can begin now!

Thank you for voicing your concerns and we look forward to working with all of you to address the community-wide code enforcement issues. Working together, we can reflect the beauty that is Kremmling throughout the entire Town!

Yours Truly

**Mayor Pryor and the Kremmling Board of Trustees**