

**TOWN OF MARBLE, COLORADO
ORDINANCE NO. 5
SERIES OF 1997**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF MARBLE,
COLORADO, CONCERNING THE ELECTION AND TERMS
OF THE TRUSTEES AND THE MAYOR, AND TO ALLOW
FOR STAGGERED TERMS

WHEREAS, the Town of Marble, Colorado is a statutory town (hereinafter "Town");
and

WHEREAS, the Town currently elects all Trustees and Mayor at the same election for two-year terms pursuant to Colorado Statutes, Sec. 31-4-301(2), Town Ordinance No. 1, Series of 1973, and Municipal Code, Sec. 4-1-01; and

WHEREAS, the Board wishes to increase the terms of certain positions from two years to four years; and

WHEREAS, the Town wishes to provide continuity on the Town Board and to do so by lengthening staggering terms; and

WHEREAS, Colorado Statutes § 31-4-301(5) allows the Town to provide by ordinance for four-year terms for the Mayor and Trustees; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has four Trustees and one Mayor.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF MARBLE, COLORADO, THAT:

1. The number of Town Board members shall remain at four Trustees and one Mayor, and be changed to serve as follows: two Trustees to serve 4-year terms, two Trustees to serve 2-year terms, and one Mayor to serve a 4-year term.

2. At any Town election for Trustees, all persons shall run at large. The person who obtains the most votes shall be elected to the 4-year term. In the event of a tie, the person to serve for four years shall be selected by lot, the method to be selected by the Mayor.

3. At the next succeeding Town election, April 1998, the Mayor and one Trustee shall be elected to serve 4-year terms and three Trustees shall be elected to serve 2-year terms. At the election to be held in April 2000 three Trustees shall be elected, with one position being for a 4-year term, and two positions for 2-year terms.

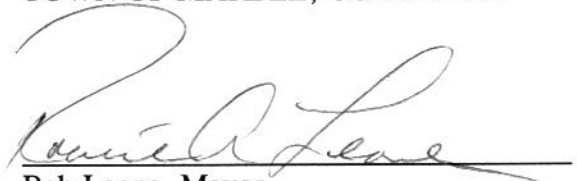
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4. At all elections thereafter, three Trustees shall be elected (one 4-year term and two 2-year terms) and the Mayor will be elected every four years from 1998.

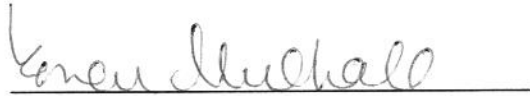
Read, adopted and ordered published by title by a vote of 5 to 0 by the Town of Marble, Board of Trustees, this 2nd day of September, 1997.

TOWN OF MARBLE, COLORADO

By


Bob Leone, Mayor

ATTEST:



Karen Mulhall, Clerk