



**MINUTES
TOWN OF PARACHUTE
TOWN COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING
222 GRAND VALLEY WAY, PARACHUTE, CO
MARCH 19, 2020 6:30 PM**

- (A) CALL TO ORDER: 6:30 PM**
TRUSTEES PRESENT
Fred Andersen
Tom Rugaard
John Loschke
Juanita Williams – Via phone
Tim Olk
- MAYOR:** Roy McClung
TRUSTEES ABSENT: None
- STAFF PRESENT:**
Town Administrator, Stuart McArthur
Finance Director, Teresa Beecraft
Public Works Director, Mark King
Police Chief, Sam Stewart
Community Development, Lauralee Patton
Economic Development Specialist, Jessica Paugh

AUDIENCE LIST ATTACHED

- (B) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
(C) APPROVE AGENDA

MOTION 1: Motion to approve Agenda
Vocal vote passed unanimously

(D) CONSENT AGENDA:

Items of a routine nature are placed on the consent agenda to allow the town council to spend its time and energy on more important items on a lengthy agenda. Any councilmember or any member of the public may request that an item be “removed” from the consent agenda and considered on the regular agenda.

1. **MINUTES FROM THE FEBRUARY 20, 2020, REGULAR MEETING**
2. **EXPENDITURES PAID FEBRUARY 13, THROUGH MARCH 10, 2020**
3. **RESOLUTION NO. 2020-13** A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PARACHUTE, COLORADO, ACCEPTING THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE PETITION FOR ANNEXATION FROM GREEN HEAD INVESTMENTS I, LLC, BATTLEMENT MESA LAND INVESTMENTS, LLC, AND BATTLEMENT MESA PARTNERS, LLC AND CANCELLING THE PUBLIC HEARING ON PETITION.
4. **RESOLUTION NO. 2020-14** A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PARACHUTE, COLORADO, IN SUPPORT OF THE GOVERNOR DECLARING A STATEWIDE EMERGENCY AND DECLARING A LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY.
5. **RESOLUTION NO. 2020-15** A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PARACHUTE, COLORADO, ADOPTING AN ELECTRONIC PARTICIPATION POLICY FOR USE IN THE EVENT OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY DECLARATION.
6. **LICENSE RENEWAL FOR A RETAIL MARIJUANA PRODUCTS MANUFACTURER**

APPLICANT: DIVISIONNAL SOLUTIONS, LLC
1187 GORE TRAIL
EDWARDS, CO 81632

LOCATION: 101 CARDINAL WAY #6

7. LICENSE RENEWAL FOR A HOTEL & RESTAURANT LIQUOR LICENSE

APPLICANT: EL TAPATIO, LLC
DBA: EL TAPATIO
PO BOX 604
RIFLE, CO 816358
LOCATION: 393 E 2ND STREET
PARACHUTE, CO 81635

MOTION 2: Moved and seconded by Loschke / Rugaard to approve consent agenda
Motion passed with a 5-0 vote

(E) PUBLIC COMMENTS ON ISSUES NOT ON THE AGENDA

No Public Comment

(F) DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS:

- 1) Mayor and Town CouncilMayor and Council Members
- 2) Town Manager Update.....Stuart McArthur, Town Manager
Town Manager McArthur went over his monthly report.
- 3) Public Works Update Mark King, Public Works Director
Public Works Director King went over his monthly report.
- 4) Police Department UpdateSamuel Stewart, Police Chief
Police Chief Stewart went over his monthly report.
- 5) Economic Development Update Jessica Paugh, Economic Development
Economic Development Specialist Paugh went over her monthly report.

(G) PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE TOWN COUNCIL TO CONSIDER REPEALING AND REPLACING ITS' MUNICIPAL CODE: TITLE 6 (TOWN OF PARACHUTE BUSINESS REGULATIONS AND LICENSES) SECTION 6.11 MARIJUANA LICENSING.

APPLICANT/OWNER: Town of Parachute
222 Grand Valley Way, Parachute, CO 81635

PROJECT NAME: Repeal & Replace Section 6.11 Marijuana Licensing

Mayor McClung opened public hearing
Town Manager Stuart McArthur went over his staff report and recommendation of approval
No public comment.
Public comment portion of public hearing closed.
Council discussion ensued.
Public hearing closed.

TOWN COUNCIL CONSIDERATION OF ORDINANCE NO. 782-2020

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PARACHUTE, COLORADO, REPEALING AND REPLACING CHAPTER 6.11 OF THE PARACHUTE MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING MARIJUANA LICENSING.

STAFF: STUART McARTHUR, TOWN MANAGER

MOTION 3: Moved and seconded by Olk / Andersen to approve Ordinance No. 782-2020
AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PARACHUTE, COLORADO, REPEALING AND REPLACING CHAPTER 6.11 OF THE PARACHUTE MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING MARIJUANA LICENSING.

Motion passed with a 4-1 vote, with a no from Council Member Rugaard

(H) PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE TOWN COUNCIL TO CONSIDER AMENDING TITLE 15 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE CONCERNING CLASSIFICATION AND LOCATION OF MARIJUANA HOSPITALITY ESTABLISHMENTS AND RETAIL MARIJUANA HOSPITALITY AND SALES ESTABLISHMENTS

APPLICANT/OWNER: Town of Parachute
222 Grand Valley Way, Parachute, CO 81635

PROJECT NAME: Title 15 Amendment

Mayor McClung opened public hearing
Town Manager Stuart McArthur went over his staff report and recommendation of approval
No public comment.
Public comment portion of public hearing closed.
Council discussion ensued.
Public hearing closed.

TOWN COUNCIL CONSIDERATION OF ORDINANCE NO.783-2020

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PARACHUTE, COLORADO, AMENDING TITLE 15 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE CONCERNING CLASSIFICATION AND LOCATION OF MARIJUANA HOSPITALITY ESTABLISHMENTS AND RETAIL MARIJUANA HOSPITALITY AND SALES ESTABLISHMENTS

STAFF: STUART McARTHUR, TOWN MANAGER

MOTION 4: Moved and seconded by Andersen / Olk to approve Ordinance No. 783-2020
AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PARACHUTE, COLORADO, AMENDING TITLE 15 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE CONCERNING CLASSIFICATION AND LOCATION OF MARIJUANA HOSPITALITY ESTABLISHMENTS AND RETAIL MARIJUANA HOSPITALITY AND SALES ESTABLISHMENTS
Motion passed with a 4-1 vote, with a no from Council Member Rugaard

(I) TOWN COUNCIL CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL OF AGREEMENT WITH GARFIELD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONER FOR A GRANT OF FUNDS FOR THE PARACHUTE AREA TRANSIT SYSTEM.

STAFF: STUART McARTHUR, TOWN MANAGER

MOTION 5: Moved and seconded by Loschke / Rugaard to approve agreement with Garfield County Board of County Commissioners for Parachute Area Transit System (PATS)
Motion passed with a 5-0 vote

(J) EXECUTIVE SESSION (IF NECESSARY)

No executive session necessary

(K) ADJOURN

MOTION 6: Motion to adjourn
Vocal vote passed unanimously
