

ORDINANCE NO. 1145 (2023)

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 12.04.020 OF THE CRAIG MUNICIPAL CODE TO INCREASE PERMIT FEES TO \$25.00

WHEREAS, the City of Craig is a home rule municipality;

WHEREAS, the City requires a permit to be obtained prior to a duly licensed contractor cutting, opening or excavating any street, alley or thoroughfare within the corporate limits of the City;

WHEREAS, the permit fee has not increased since 1981;

WHEREAS, the City Council determines that it is in the best interest of the City of Craig to raise the permit fee from \$5.00 to \$25.00 as to maintain consistency with other permitting fees charged by the City;

AND WHEREAS, the City Council agrees it is necessary for the preservation of the general welfare of the people of the City of Craig to modify the Code as follows.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF CRAIG, COLORADO:

Section 1. Section 12.04.020 of the Craig Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

12.04.020 - Permit fee.

There shall be paid to the city clerk the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for the permit required by Section 12.04.010.

Section 2. If any subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this Ordinance. All other provisions of Title 12 of the Craig Municipal Code shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. The City Council deems it appropriate to publish the title of this ordinance, together with a summary of the ordinance and with a statement that the text is available for public inspection and acquisition in the office of the City Clerk.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage.

Section 5. This Ordinance is enacted pursuant to the City's authority to act under its police power to protect and preserve the general welfare of the City and its citizens.

READ, APPROVED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED ON FIRST READING THIS 8th DAY OF AUGUST 2023, BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CRAIG, COLORADO.

Derek Duran, Mayor

ATTEST:

Liz White, City Clerk

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED AFTER HEARING ON SECOND READING THIS 22nd DAY OF AUGUST, 2023 BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CRAIG, COLORADO.

Derek Duran, Mayor

ATTEST:

Liz White, City Clerk