

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-04-05

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE FILING OF AN APPLICATION WITH THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION FOR A LOCAL EMERGENCY TELEPHONE CHARGE INCREASE

WHEREAS, The City of Fort Morgan (the "City"), Morgan County, the City of Brush, and the Towns of Wiggins, Hillrose, and Log Lane Village jointly contribute to the operations of the Morgan County Communications Center, the regional 911 dispatch center for Morgan County; and,

WHEREAS, the governing bodies each impose the local emergency telephone charge pursuant to C.R.S. § 29-11-102(2)(f)(II), which is currently \$2.12; and,

WHEREAS, the local emergency telephone charges imposed by the governing bodies are insufficient to pay the operational costs of the Morgan County Communications Center as permitted pursuant to C.R.S. § 29-11-104; and,

WHEREAS, the governing bodies have determined that an additional local emergency telephone charge is necessary to provide continued and adequate emergency telephone service; and,

WHEREAS, adequate emergency telephone service is essential to the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of the City; and,

WHEREAS, the governing bodies desire to jointly file an application with the PUC to seek approval of an increase to the local emergency telephone charge to \$3.00 pursuant to C.R.S. § 29-11-102(2)(c).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT MORGAN, COLORADO:

SECTION 1: The local emergency telephone charges imposed by the governing bodies of Morgan County, the Cities of Fort Morgan and Brush, and the Towns of Wiggins, Hillrose, and Log Lane Village are insufficient to pay the operation costs of the Morgan County Communications Center and an increase in the local emergency telephone charge to \$3.00 is necessary to provide continued and adequate emergency telephone service to the residents of Morgan County.

SECTION 2: Morgan County is hereby appointed to act as the agent for the City of Fort Morgan for the purpose of filing an application for emergency telephone charge increase with the PUC pursuant to C.R.S. § 29-11-102(2)(c).

INTRODUCED, PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 15th day of April 2025, the vote upon roll call being as follows:

Ayes: Mayor Lindell, Councilmembers Boyett, Garcia, Kaper, Morford, Parks and Schossow.

Nays: None.

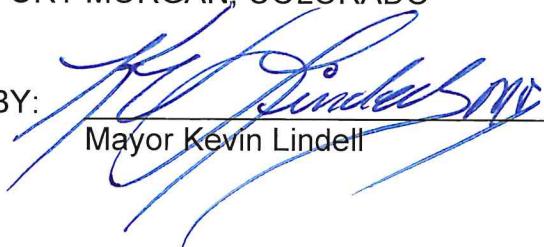


ATTEST:


John Brennan, City Clerk

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
FORT MORGAN, COLORADO

BY:


Mayor Kevin Lindell

STATE OF COLORADO)
COUNTY OF MORGAN) ss.
CITY OF FORT MORGAN)

CERTIFICATE

I, John Brennan, City Clerk for the City of Fort Morgan, Colorado, do hereby certify and attest that the foregoing **Resolution** is a true, perfect and complete copy of the **Resolution** adopted by the Council of Fort Morgan, Colorado, and is identical to the original thereof appearing in the official records of the City of Fort Morgan, Colorado, and that the same has not been, since its adoption, in any respect, rescinded or amended.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have affixed the seal of the City of Fort Morgan this 15th day of April 2025.


John Brennan, City Clerk