

ORDINANCE NO. 110

ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT CREATING THE LINCOLN COUNTY EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SERVICE AUTHORITY IN ORDER TO ESTABLISH AND OPERATE AN EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SERVICE AUTHORITY WITHIN LINCOLN COUNTY INCLUDING THE TOWN OF ARRIBA; AUTHORIZING THE IMPOSITION OF AN EMERGENCY TELEPHONE CHARGE UPON TELEPHONE EXCHANGE ACCESS FACILITIES WITHIN THE TOWN OF ARRIBA; AND AUTHORIZING SERVICE SUPPLIERS TO COLLECT SAID EMERGENCY TELEPHONE CHARGES.

WHEREAS, In the interest of protecting and preserving public safety and welfare, it is desirable that the citizens of the Town of Arriba, Lincoln County, Colorado be provided with emergency telephone service (hereinafter called E 9-1-1) to aid the timely provision of emergency service; and

WHEREAS, The Emergency Telephone Service Act, Colo. Rev. Stat. §29-11-101, et. seq. (hereinafter called the "Act") authorized governing bodies to impose a charge upon each exchange access facility (telephone service subscriber line) to pay for the installation costs and the directly related costs of the continued operation of an emergency telephone service (E 9-1-1).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Town of Arriba, State of Colorado, that the Mayor is authorized to sign the Intergovernmental Agreement creating the Lincoln County Emergency Telephone Service Authority.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to Colo. Rev. Stat. §29-11-101, et. seq., upon all telephone access facilities within the Town of Arriba, County of Lincoln, State of Colorado are hereby authorized to collect the emergency telephone charge in a monthly amount not to exceed seventy cents (\$0.70). Upon recommendation of the Lincoln County Emergency Telephone Service Authority, the Board may, by resolution, raise or lower the emergency telephone charge, but in no event, shall such charge exceed \$0.70;

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED That the telephone service suppliers providing the telephone service in the Town of Arriba, County of Lincoln are hereby authorized to collect the emergency telephone charge imposed by this Ordinance in accordance with the Act.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED That the corresponding Intergovernmental Agreement is approved, that the Mayor is authorized to execute it on behalf of the Town of Arriba, and that the Town of Arriba and its officers and employees are authorized to perform under it on behalf of the Town of Arriba according to its terms.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED That this Ordinance shall not be effective until the Intergovernmental Agreement creating the Lincoln County Emergency Telephone Service Authority and concerning the implementation of an emergency telephone service system is signed by representatives of all parties thereto.

Attest:

Doreen A. Schaffner
Town Clerk

TOWN OF ARRIBA

By

Lawrence K. Gilbert
Mayor