

VILLAGE OF CORRALES

ORDINANCE NO. 16-05

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO MEETINGS OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE VILLAGE OF CORRALES; AMENDING SECTION 2-26(b) OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE VILLAGE, BEING A PART OF ORDINANCE NO. 83, ADOPTED SEPTEMBER 12, 1978, AS SUBSEQUENTLY AMENDED; REFLECTING THAT THE GOVERNING BODY MAY HOLD EITHER ONE OR TWO REGULAR MEETINGS DURING ANY PARTICULAR MONTH.

WHEREAS, Ordinance No.83, adopted September 12, 1978 and as subsequently amended and as codified, in part, at Section 2-26(b) of the Code of Ordinances of the Village of Corrales (the "Village"), states that the term "regular meeting" for purposes of setting compensation for members of the Village Council, the governing body of the Village ("Governing Body") shall include two meetings per month; and

WHEREAS, in actual practice the Governing Body generally meets in regular session only once a month during certain months of the year, particularly during the summer months of June, July and August, and also during the months of November and December; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body finds that Section 2-26(b) of the Code of Ordinances should be amended to reflect actual practice.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Governing Body of the Village of Corrales, New Mexico, that Section 2-26(b) of the Code of Ordinances of the Village, being a part of Ordinance No. 83, adopted September 12, 1978, and as subsequently amended, is hereby **amended** to read:

(b) The term "regular meeting" shall include one or two meetings each month, as determined in the Open Meetings Act resolution adopted annually by the Governing Body.

<u>SEVERABILITY CLAUSE</u>: Should any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance be held to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason, the invalidity or unenforceability of such section, paragraph, clause or provision shall not affect any of the remaining provisions of this Ordinance. The Governing Body of the Village of Corrales hereby declares that it would have passed this Ordinance and each section, subsection, sentence, clause, word or phrase thereof irrespective of any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, words or phrases being declared unconstitutional or otherwise invalid.

<u>COMPILING CLAUSE</u>: The amended sections of the Village Code adopted pursuant to this Ordinance shall be compiled as a part of the Code of Ordinances of the Village of Corrales, as provided herein.

<u>EFFECTIVE DATE AND PUBLICATION</u>: This Ordinance shall become effective and be in full force and effect from and after its passage, publication and posting, according to law.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Governing Body of the Village of Corrales, New Mexico, this 24th day of May, 2016.

APPROVED:

The Honorable Scott Kominiak

Mayor

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