

**RESOLUTION 11-46**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF CASTLE PINES,  
COLORADO, ORDERING AN ELECTION AND REFERRING AND APPROVING  
BALLOT QUESTIONS TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS AT THE  
COORDINATED ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 1, 2011**

WHEREAS, by Resolution No. 11-45, the City Council of the City of Castle Pines (“City Council”) approved an Intergovernmental Agreement with the Douglas County Clerk and Recorder regarding the City’s participation in a coordinated election to be held on November 1, 2011; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the election of certain City offices at the November 1, 2011 coordinated election, the City Council desires to refer and approve a ballot question relating to C.R.S. § 31-16-105, which authorizes by a majority of registered electors of the municipality voting at a regular or special election to vote to meet the requirements of C.R.S. § 31-16-105 and § 31-16-106 by publishing ordinances by title only rather than by publishing the ordinance in full; and

WHEREAS, ordinances of the City of Castle Pines are public records and are open and available through: (1) the City Offices located at 7501 Village Square Drive, Suite 100 and (2) on the City website at [www.castlepinesgov.com](http://www.castlepinesgov.com); and

WHEREAS, the City Council shall retain the option to publish any ordinance in full, at their discretion; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that it is in the best interests of the City to reduce the publication expenses incurred in the publication of ordinances, by presenting to the voters a ballot question allowing the publication of ordinances by title only; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to C.R.S. § 31-16-105, the City Council hereby submits a question to the registered electors of the City regarding whether the City should be authorized to publish future ordinances by title only.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE  
CITY OF CASTLE PINES, COLORADO, THAT:**

**Section 1.** The City Council of the City of Castle Pines hereby calls a regular City election to be held on November 1, 2011 as a coordinated election with Douglas County in accordance with C.R.S. § 1-7-116 and in accordance with the terms of that certain Intergovernmental Agreement with the Douglas County Clerk and Recorder previously approved by City Council pursuant to Resolution No. 11-45.

**Section 2.** The City Council hereby refers and approves the following ballot question for submission to the voters and to appear on the ballot for the election to be held on November 1, 2011:

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QUESTION \_\_\_\_\_:

Shall the City of Castle Pines, Colorado, be authorized to publish ordinances by title only rather than by publishing each ordinance in full, in accordance with Section 31-16-105, Colorado Revised Statutes, thereby substantially reducing the cost incurred in the publication of ordinances, with such publication to include a statement that "The complete text of all ordinances is available through the City Offices and on the City's official website?"

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

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**Section 3.** This Resolution shall serve to set the title and content for the ballot question set forth herein and the ballot titles for such questions shall be the text of the questions themselves.

**Section 4.** The Deputy City Clerk is authorized to correct typographical errors and omissions and to cause to be entered into the blanks of any of the ballot questions the appropriate ballot question number or letter upon designation of the ballot number or letter by the appropriate election official.

**Section 5.** The Interim City Manager, City Attorney, and Deputy City Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to take all necessary and appropriate action to effectuate the provisions of this Resolution including all reasonable and necessary action to cause such approved ballot questions and issues to be printed and placed on the ballot for the November 1, 2011 coordinated election.

**Section 6.** If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this resolution shall for any reason be held to be ineffective, invalid or unenforceable, the ineffectiveness, invalidity or unenforceability of such section, paragraph, clause or provision shall not affect any of the remaining issues of this resolution.

INTRODUCED, READ, AND ADOPTED AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CASTLE PINES by a vote of 6 in favor and 0 against this 26th day of July, 2011.

  
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Jeffrey T. Huff, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Sharon DeRouen, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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Linda C. Michow, City Attorney