

ORDINANCE NO. 1183

TO ADOPT AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 16, SECTIONS 16-42 AND 16-46 OF THE TOWN OF SILVER CITY MUNICIPAL CODE, RELATING TO THE COMPOSITION OF THE INCENTIVE REVIEW COMMITTEE

SPONSORED BY MAYOR JAMES R. MARSHALL.

WHEREAS, the Town of Silver City has adopted an economic development plan whose provisions are found in the Town’s Municipal Code, Chapter 16, Sections 16-20 et seq., which permits the Town to assist qualifying entities in promoting economic development projects located within the Town; and

WHEREAS, in furtherance of the Town’s economic development plan, Section 16-42 et seq. of said Code creates an incentive review committee with certain duties as described in Section 16-47 therein; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 16-42 of said Code, the incentive review committees is composed of seven persons who shall be residents of the Town or within the Town’s extraterritorial jurisdiction (“ETJ”); and

WHEREAS, the Town Council is aware that Grant County has its own incentive review committee which encompasses the ETJ, thus providing representation for the inhabitants and economic development projects located therein, which obviates the need for inclusion thereof into the Town’s incentive review committee; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Silver City finds that the amendments to the Town’s Municipal Code as made herein is necessary for the health, safety and welfare of the Town;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SILVER CITY, GRANT COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, that:

Chapter 16, Section 16-42 is hereby deleted and replaced as follows:

Sec. 16-42. Composition; qualifications. The incentive review committee shall be composed of five (5) members who shall be residents of the Town. Four of the persons shall represent the four city districts, and there shall be one additional member-at-large. The persons will be qualified by training, experience, and ability to exercise sound and practical judgment on civic, social, economic and governmental affairs. Every effort will be made to represent as much as feasible, the racial, cultural, economic and gender makeup of the town.

Chapter 16, Section 16-46 is hereby amended as follows:

The last sentence of said section which reads “Five members will constitute a quorum” is changed to “Three members will constitute a quorum”.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED by vote of the Council of the Town of Silver City, Grant County, New Mexico, this 13th day of September, 2011.

(Seal)

TOWN OF SILVER CITY

/s/

James R. Marshall, Mayor

ATTEST:

/s/

Ann L. Mackie, Town Clerk