

VILLAGE OF TAOS SKI VALLEY

RESOLUTION 2025-011

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING ~~ROBERT'S RULES OF ORDER~~ STURGIS STANDARD CODE OF PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE AS THE GOVERNING RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR THE VILLAGE OF TAOS SKI VALLEY VILLAGE COUNCIL AND ALL VILLAGE COMMITTEES, COMMISSIONS, ADVISORY BODIES, AND THEIR MEETINGS

WHEREAS, it is advisable and/or required for public bodies to identify and establish the rules of procedure by which they conduct their meetings in order to establish transparency, consistency, and in order to reduce legal challenges and liability, and

WHEREAS, ~~Robert's Rules of Order~~ Sturgis Standard Code of Parliamentary Procedure is the prevailing standard for public bodies and those that the public is most familiar with, and

WHEREAS, the Village of Taos Ski Valley wishes to promote transparency and clarify in how it conducts the people's business,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE VILLAGE OF TAOS SKI VALLEY:

SECTION 1. ADOPTION OF GOVERNING RULES OF ORDER

The Village does hereby adopt ~~Robert's Rules of Order~~ Sturgis Standard Code of Parliamentary Procedure as the governing rules of order for all Village meetings, including the Village Council, all Village Commissions, Committees, and advisory bodies.

SECTION 2. AVAILABILITY OF RULES

The Clerk shall make available for all Village meetings a copy of ~~Robert's Rules of Order~~ Sturgis Standard Code of Parliamentary Procedure available to the Chair(s) of said meetings and accessible to the Council, all commission, committee and advisory board members, legal counsel, and the public, through a link on the Village website.

SECTION 3. NOTICE OF RULES

The Clerk shall, within seven (7) business days notify by email all Village commissions, committees, and advisory boards of this adoption and that this selection shall obligate all Village sponsored meetings to be held under said rules.

SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY

If any part of this Ordinance shall be found to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such findings shall not affect the remaining portions hereof, which shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE

This ordinance shall become effective upon adoption and remain in effect until otherwise amended or replaced by the governing body.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE VILLAGE OF TAOS SKI VALLEY, THIS 21st DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2025.

Vote For: 3 Against 0 Abstain 0

VILLAGE OF TAOS SKI VALLEY

Chris Stanek, Mayor

ATTEST:

Marlene M. Salazar

Marlene Salazar
Acting Village Clerk

