

**TOWN OF BERTHOUD, COLORADO
RESOLUTION NO. 18-16**

A RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH YOUTH ADVISORY COMMISSION

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Town of Berthoud ("Town") has determined that it would be in the best interest of the Town to obtain the input and engagement of youth residing in the Town and adjacent suburban areas; and

WHEREAS, the Town finds that the formation of a Youth Advisory Commission would provide an opportunity to develop leadership skills in local youth, expose youth to public sector service, and provide a source of valuable youth input to the Board of Trustees; and

WHEREAS, the Town intends to establish the Youth Advisory Commission as an advisory Board of the Town, comprised of seven members at least thirteen years of age who are full-time students at a school located within the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Board of trustees may from time to time designate a staff member and board liaison to assist with the oversight and direction of the Commission; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BERTHOUD, COLORADO AS FOLLOWS:

1. An advisory body to be known as the Berthoud Youth Advisory Commission is hereby established, effective at such time as its initial members are nominated and selected by the Town Board of Trustees..
2. The budget of the Youth Advisory Commission shall be determined annually by the Town as part of its budget process.
3. The Commission shall consist of seven members, all of whom shall be full-time students at a Berthoud school and at least thirteen years of age.
4. Appointments to the Commission shall be made by the Board of Trustees as with other Town Boards and Commissions.
5. The terms for the commission members shall be set for each applicant based on age and availability, but shall be no more than two years in length. Beyond that, the Commission may establish its own by-laws and procedures for nomination of candidates and conduct of meetings..

6. The Town Board of Trustees may from time to time appoint adult supervisors, staff support, and Trustee liaisons as may be necessary or desirable to further the purposes of the Commission.

INTRODUCED, MOVED, AND ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF BERTHOUD THIS 13th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2016.



Steve Mulvihill, Mayor

ATTEST:



Alisa R. Darrow, Town Clerk

