

RESOLUTION 2013-16

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLENWOOD SPRINGS, COLORADO, SETTING AN ACTIVE ENERGY MANAGEMENT POLICY.

WHEREAS, the City of Glenwood Springs is a member of the Garfield Clean Energy Collaborative; and

WHEREAS, the local government members of Garfield Clean Energy Collaborative adopted official goals of increasing energy efficiency by twenty percent (20%), reducing petroleum consumption by twenty-five percent (25%), and obtaining thirty percent (30%) of electricity from renewable sources by 2020; and

WHEREAS, the City of Glenwood Springs adopted the official goals on September 2, 2010 by approval of Resolution 2010-22, while continuing to use the City's Climate Action Plan as an advisory document; and

WHEREAS, the 2020 energy goals were adopted in order to increase energy efficiency and reduce energy consumption throughout buildings and vehicle fleets across Garfield County and within each of the Garfield Clean Energy member governments; and

WHEREAS, the active participation and support of all elected officials and staff members of each Garfield Clean Energy Collaborative member government are essential to achieve energy and fiscal savings and reach the 2020 goals; and

WHEREAS, the principles of active energy management call for staff members at all levels of each member government to pay attention to energy use, highlight examples and instances of wasted energy, and work diligently to increase energy efficiency and reduce consumption of energy in its buildings and vehicle fleets, and search for potential applications for renewable energy; and

WHEREAS, the investment and effort necessary to achieve the 2020 energy goals will stimulate job growth, improve the local economy, achieve savings on utility and fuel costs, responsibly manage taxpayer dollars, and improve workplace comfort; and

WHEREAS, the achievements of each Garfield Clean Energy member government will demonstrate its leadership to businesses, residents and other institutions in the community to take similar actions for energy efficiency and conservation.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLENWOOD SPRINGS, COLORADO, THAT:

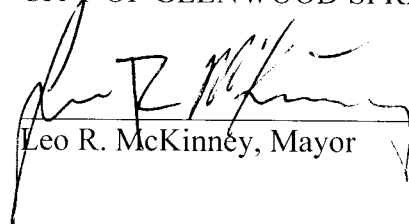
The City Council of the City of Glenwood Springs asserts its commitment for its elected officials and staff members to work diligently to increase energy efficiency and reduce consumption of energy in the City's buildings and vehicle fleets, and search for potential applications for renewable energy, in order to meet the 2020 energy goals.

INTRODUCED, READ AND PASSED THIS 20th DAY OF JUNE, 2013.

CITY OF GLENWOOD SPRINGS, COLORADO

ATTEST:


Robin S. Unsworth, City Clerk


Leo R. McKinney, Mayor