

**TOWN OF RICO, COLORADO
ORDINANCE NO. 2000-2**

**AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE REFERRING A MILL LEVY AND DEBT
AUTHORIZATION BALLOT QUESTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING
A SEWER SYSTEM FOR THE MAIN STREET AREA TO THE NOVEMBER 7TH, 2000
ELECTION**

WHEREAS the Town Board has received a Federal 201 Wastewater Facilities Plan prepared by Rothberg, Tamburini and Winsor which states the current need for wastewater treatment; and,
WHEREAS the Town of Rico Home Rule ARTICLE VIII authorizes the Town to refer property tax mill levy questions to the voters in Rico;

**NOW THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF RICO
ORDAINS:**

Section 1. Referral of Ballot Question. The following ballot question is hereby referred to the November 7th, 2000, general election:

“SHALL THE TOWN OF RICO’S DEBT, OR RICO WATER AND/OR SANITATION DISTRICT IF FORMED, DEBT BE INCREASED \$275,000.00 WITH A MAXIMUM REPAYMENT COST OF UP TO \$441,335.00; AND SHALL THE TOWN OF RICO’S TAXES BE INCREASED \$22,500.00 ANNUALLY by the imposition of an additional mill levy not to exceed 3.939 mills, effective January 1, 2001, and shall the Town or District be permitted to collect, retain and expend the full proceeds of such tax revenue generated from 3.939 mills and shall the Town or District be permitted to receive, retain and expend any state or federal grant proceeds for the purpose of constructing and operating a waste water treatment system and repaying debt incurred for the construction of such waste water treatment system, not notwithstanding any state restrictions on fiscal year spending, including without limitation Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution?”

Yes No

Section 2. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be effective immediately.

**READ, MOVED AND APPROVED ON FIRST READING ON THE 2nd DAY OF
AUGUST, 2000.**

TOWN OF RICO, COLORADO

BY: _____

Joseph W. Croke, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM: _____

Eric James Heil, Town Attorney

ATTEST: _____

Linda Yellowman, Town Clerk

Certificate of Ballot Question Referral

I, Linda Yellowman, as Town Clerk, hereby certify that the attached Ordinance No. 2000-2 is true and correct copy of the Ordinance approved by the Rico Board of Trustees. 68 yes votes and 60 no votes


Linda Yellowman, Town Clerk