

Memorandum

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TO: MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL

 FROM:
 LOGAN SNYDER, MARINA GENERAL MANAGER

 DIANE MCBRIDE, RECREATION DIRECTOR/ASSISTANT TOWN MANAGER

 RE:
 FIRST READING – ORDINANCE 22-15

 DATE:
 NOVEMBER 8, 2022

Summary and Background: Dillon Reservoir is owned and operated by Denver Water. Recreation within the Dillon Reservoir Recreation Area is managed by the interagency Dillon Reservoir Recreation Committee (DRReC). DRReC is comprised of the following agencies: Denver Water, Town of Dillon, Town of Frisco, Summit County Government, and the U.S. Forest Service, each of which either own or manage land within the Dillon Reservoir Recreation Area. Staffing for DRReC is provided by Summit County Government.

An Intergovernmental Agreement was signed in 1989 by all parties, recognizing that unified planning and coordinated administration of the Dillon Reservoir Recreation Area was desirable and in the public interest. Rules and regulations were first adopted by the Board of County Commissioners in 1990, and amended in 2002. The Town of Frisco adopted Chapter 140 of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Frisco, Colorado, concerning the Dillon Reservoir Recreation Area into the Frisco Town Code by Ordinance 02-23 on October 15, 2002. The rules and regulations were recently amended in 2021 by DRReC, and approved by the Board of County County Commissioners on September 14, 2021.

Per the Town of Frisco Home Rule Charter, every five years, each Chapter of the Frisco Town Code is to be reviewed for possible amendment or repeal. Staff has reviewed Chapter 140 and recommends amendments to eight (8) sections to match the amended changes from DRReC. These amendments are detailed below in the analysis section.

Analysis: DRReC meets monthly, and the voting member on this committee for the Town of Frisco is Logan Snyder, General Manager of the Frisco Bay Marina. The rules and regulations for lands and waters within the Dillon Reservoir Recreation Area were reviewed and updated by the committee in 2021. Changes to sections 140-1, 140-3, 140-4, 140-15, 140-18, 140-19, 140-21, and 140-30 of Chapter 140 of the Code of Ordinance of the Town of Frisco, Colorado, are detailed in the attached Ordinance 22-15, and will be reviewed by staff at the November 8th Council meeting.

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Financial Impact: n/a

Alignment with Strategic Plan: The Town of Frisco recognizes recreational, historical, artistic, and cultural assets and experiences as foundational to the Town's vibrancy and the quality of life for residents and visitors. Furthermore, the Town commits to providing unique and accessible opportunities for residents and visitors. The Frisco Bay Marina and the Dillon Reservoir are instrumental in providing these unique and accessible opportunities. Changes to the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Frisco, Colorado, concerning the Dillon Reservoir Recreation Area support ongoing operational improvements to the Dillon Reservoir as a whole.

Environmental Sustainability: n/a

Staff Recommendation: Staff recommends that Council approve on first reading Ordinance 22-15, an ordinance amending chapter 140 of the code of ordinances of the Town of Frisco, Colorado, concerning the Dillon Reservoir Recreation Area, by amending sections 140-1, concerning definitions; 140-3, concerning fires and fireworks; 140-4, concerning motorized vehicles and snowmobiles; 140-15, concerning water contact activities; 140-18, concerning prohibited water craft; 140-19, concerning boat launches; 140-21, concerning special event permits; and 140-30, concerning violations and penalties.

Approved By:

Tom Fisher, Town Manager Leslie Edwards, Finance Director

Attachments:

Attachment 1 – Ordinance 22-15

Attachment 2 - Chapter 140 Dillon Reservoir Recreation Area