

**RESOLUTION NO. 8**

**SERIES 2008**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GUNNISON, COLORADO, COMMENDING JOHN TALIAFERRO FOR HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE CITY OF GUNNISON PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION.**

**WHEREAS**, John Taliaferro was appointed by City Council to serve on the City of Gunnison Planning and Zoning Commission from November 2006, until his untimely passing in June 2008; and

**WHEREAS**, John was known and respected for his non-partisan, well-thought-out and analyzed opinions on issues facing the City and its citizens; and

**WHEREAS**, John was a well-known business owner and advocate for other businesses in the community; and

**WHEREAS**, John was an active proponent of improving Gunnison through preserving open space, advancing multi-modal transportation, and promoting a healthy business environment; and

**WHEREAS**, during his service on the Planning and Zoning Commission, John participated in the development and passage of the City's *2007 Master Plan*, assessed the impacts of the proposed Gunnison Rising Annexation application, and actively participated in processing many land use applications; and

**WHEREAS**, John will be remembered for his fairness, dedication, kind words and having a quick smile.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GUNNISON, COLORADO, THAT:**

John Taliaferro is commended and honored by the City Council for his dedicated service to the City of Gunnison Planning and Zoning Commission and the citizens of our community; and

John will be remembered with fondness and affection by all those who knew him and witnessed his dedicated service to the City of Gunnison.

**INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 12th day of August, 2008.

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Mayor

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

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City Clerk