

ORDINANCE 18-01

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PATAGONIA  
AMENDING CHAPTER 2, MAYOR AND COUNCIL

WHEREAS, Section 2-1-3 provides for assumption of Office of the Mayor and Council members on a date which is inconsistent with other provisions of this Chapter, and

WHEREAS, Ordinance 14-01 extended the terms of Mayor and Council to end on the first business day of the year following the elections of 2014 and 2016 pursuant to ARS 16-204,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the Town of Patagonia, Arizona as follows:

1. Section 2-1-3 (Duties of Office )is hereby amended to read: "Mayor and Council Members duly elected in accordance with amended section 2-2-1 shall not assume duties of office immediately upon election but shall assume the duties of office upon the first business day of the new year following their elections, and during the interim period, waiting to assume office, shall be known as Mayor-Elect and Council-Members-Elect respectively."
2. Section 2-2-2 (Vice-Mayor) is hereby amended to read: "At the first regular meeting of the year following a municipal election pursuant to ARS 16-204 the Council shall designate one of its Members to serve as Vice-Mayor, who shall serve at the pleasure of the Council. The Vice-Mayor shall perform the duties of the Mayor during the Mayor's absence or disability".
3. All ordinances and resolutions inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed.
4. The effective date of this ordinance shall be thirty days after adoption.
5. Pursuant to A.R.S. § 9-812, the Town Clerk is directed to publish this ordinance for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation.
6. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion thereof.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PATAGONIA, ARIZONA, this day of September, 2018

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R.E. "Ike" Isakson, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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David Teel, Town Clerk

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Michael A, Harwin, Town Attorney