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CHARTER RESOLUATION NO. 2024-10

A CHARTER RESOLUTION EXEMPTING KIOWA COUNTY, KANSAS FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF K.S.A. 65-201 ET SEQ., SPECIFICALLY K.S.A. 65-202(c) REGUARDING ANNUAL SANITARY INSPECTIONS OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS BY THE COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER.

WHEREAS, K.S.A. 19-101, et seq. provides that counties may exercise certain home rule powers, including adopting charter resolutions which exempt such counties from acts of the Kansas legislature, subject to certain restrictions contained in K.S.A. 19-101a;

WHEREAS, Kiowa County, Kansas is a County within the meaning of the provisions of K.S.A. 19-101 et seq.;

WHEREAS, K.S.A. 65-201 et seq. is not uniformly applicable to all counties within the state of Kansas; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Kiowa County, Kansas desire by charter resolution, to exempt the County from certain provisions of K.S.A. 19-101 et seq., specifically K.S.A. 65-202(c) regarding annual sanitary inspections of school buildings and grounds.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVEDBY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF KIOWA COUNTY, KANSAS THAT:

SECTION I. Kiowa County, Kansas is hereby exempted from the specific provisions of K.S.A. 65-202(c) concerning the requirements of the County Health Officer, upon opening of the fall term of school, to make a sanitary inspection of each school building and grounds, and such additional inspections as are necessary to protect the to protect the public health of students at the school.

Section II. This charter resolution shall be published once each week for two consecutive weeks in the Mullinville Merchant Directory, the official newspaper of said County.

SECTION III. This charter resolution shall take effect and be in full force sixty (60) days following its final publication unless a sufficient petition for referendum is filed and referendum is held on the resolution as provided by K.S.A. 19-101b in which case the resolution shall become effective only when approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon.

SECTION IV. The County Clerk is also directed, if this charter resolution becomes effective, to file a copy of the charter resolution with the County Election Officer to be recorded

in a book maintained for that purpose with a statement of the manner of adoption and to file a certified copy with the Kansas Secretary of State once.

UNAMINOUSLY PASSED and ADOPTED by the Board of County Commissioners of Kiowa County, Kansas on this <u>30</u> day of <u>flegust</u>, 2024.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF KIOWA COUNTY, KANSAS

y: July

n Bertram, Chairperson

By:

Bert Lowery, Commissioner

Bv:

David White, Commissioner

Attest:

Kristi Cooper, County Clerk