

**TOWN OF BOW MAR, COLORADO
ORDINANCE NO. 343**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF BOW MAR
AMENDING THE ZONING REGULATIONS FOR THE RESIDENTIAL ZONE
DISTRICT**

WHEREAS, the Town of Bow Mar, Colorado (the “Town”) is a statutory town incorporated pursuant to C.R.S. §§ 31-4-301, *et seq.*;

WHEREAS, the C.R.S. §§ 31-15-401, *et seq.*, grants the Town general police powers to protect and promote public health, safety, and welfare;

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees for the Town of Bow Mar (the “Board”) finds and determines that establishment of a curfew for minors within the Town is necessary to protect and promote public health, safety, and welfare;

WHEREAS, the Board desires to amend the Bow Mar Municipal Code (the “Code”) to establish a curfew within the Town.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF BOW MAR, COLORADO:

Section 1 Adopt Sections 10.205. Chapter 10, Article IX of the Code is amended by the inclusion of a new Section 10.205 to read as follows:

Sec. 10-205. – Curfew.

(a) *Violations by Minors.* It is unlawful for any minor who has not reached their eighteenth birthday to be or remain upon any street or alley or to be or remain in any establishment open to the public in the Town, after the hour of eleven p.m. on any Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday or after the hour of twelve a.m. on any Friday or Saturday or before the hour of five a.m. on any day except:

- (1) When accompanied by a parent, guardian or other person having legal care or custody of such minor;
- (2) For lawful employment; or
- (3) When such minor is in the custody of and accompanied by a person who has reached their eighteenth birthday and has in their possession the written consent of such parent, guardian or other person having legal care or custody of such minor.

- (b) *Violation by parents, guardians or other persons.* It is unlawful for any parent, guardian or other person having legal care or custody of any minor child who has not reached their eighteenth birthday to allow or permit any such minor to be or remain upon any street or alley or to remain in any establishment open to the public in the town, after the hour of eleven p.m. on any Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday or after the hour of twelve a.m. on any Friday or Saturday or before the hour of five a.m. on any day except:
- (1) When accompanied by a parent, guardian or other person having legal care or custody of such minor;
 - (2) For lawful employment;
 - (3) When such minor is in the custody of and accompanied by a person who has reached their eighteenth birthday and has in their possession the written consent of such parent, guardian or other person having legal care or custody of such minor; or
 - (4) When such minor is an emancipated minor.
- (c) Any violation of the provisions of this section by an individual shall be punishable as set forth in Section 1-72 of this Municipal Code.

Section 2. Safety Clause. The Board of Trustees hereby finds, determines, and declares that this ordinance is necessary and proper for the health, safety, and welfare of the Town and its residents.

Section 3. Severability. If any part, section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections of the ordinance. The Board of Trustees hereby declares that it would have passed the ordinance including each part, section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that one or more part, section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase is declared invalid.

Section 4. Repealer. All ordinances or resolutions, or parts thereof, in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed, provided that such repealer shall not repeal the repealer clauses of such ordinance nor revive any ordinance thereby.

Section 5. Codification Amendments. The codifier of the Town's Municipal Code, Municipal Code Corporation, is hereby authorized to make such numerical and formatting changes as may be necessary to incorporate the provisions of this Ordinance within the Bow Mar Municipal Code.

INTRODUCED, READ, APPROVED, AND ORDERED PUBLISHED this 21 day of April , 2025.

ATTEST

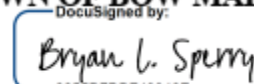
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Sue Blair, Town Clerk

TOWN OF BOW MAR:

Signed by:

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By: _____

Bryan Sperry, Mayor

Compliance with Section 1-46 of the Bow Mar Municipal Code:

INTRODUCED BY TRUSTEE CARLSON

SECONDED BY TRUSTEE MEASE