RESOLUTION NO. 13-1999

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, TOWN OF MEAD, COLORADO, SUPPORTING THE CENSUS 2000

WHEREAS, the Town of Mead, Colorado, finds that the Census is vital to our community in that it determines the apportionment of seats in the United States House of Representatives and the State Legislature, and is the basis for the allocation of billions of dollars of Federal, State and County funds for social and other programs; and

WHEREAS, the Census is also used to help determine where to locate schools, day care centers, senior citizen centers, hospitals and other facilities and is used to make decisions concerning business growth and jobs; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Mead is committed to a full and accurate Census count and in placing special emphasis on enumerating members of population groups traditionally undercounted; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Mead is committed to partnering with the United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, through address list updates, census map corrections and jurisdictional boundary updates; and

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, has urged local governments to participate in "Complete Count Committees: to incorporate local knowledge and expertise to enhance census efforts in data collection, recruitment, promotional activities, and enumerating members of groups traditionally undercounted.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Mead, Colorado, that the Mayor and Board of Trustees do hereby officially recognize that Census 2000 is an important priority for the Town of Mead and is important that the Town of Mead place and emphasis within our jurisdiction in partnering together with the United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census and other jurisdictions in achieving an accurate and complete count Census 2000.

INTRODUCED, READ, SIGNED A D APPROVED THIS <u>12TH</u> DAY OF <u>OCTOBER</u>, 1999.

TOWN OF MEAD, COLORADO

Keith A. Goshia. Mayor

ATTEST:

Júdy L. Hégwood, Town Clefk