

**TOWN OF NEW CASTLE, COLORADO  
RESOLUTION NO. TC-2016-11**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF  
NEW CASTLE NAMING VARIOUS TOWN SITES**

**WHEREAS**, the three prominent mountains in and around the Town of New Castle were named over a century ago after certain citizens, namely Mt. Medaris, Rodreick Ridge and Ward's Peak; and

**WHEREAS**, three hills to the east of Mt. Medaris remained unnamed; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town has determined that these three hills should be named; and

**WHEREAS**, the Historic Preservation Commission of the Town of New Castle has proposed that the westernmost hill should be named in honor of William and Ellen Ganley, the middle hill in honor of Doris Flynn and the easternmost hill in honor of Gladys Prendergast; and

**WHEREAS**, William and Ellen Ganley were amongst the earliest settlers of New Castle, married in 1887. Ellen was New Castle's first bride and their daughter, Kathryn, was the first child born in New Castle. They homesteaded 160 acres referred to as the Ganley Ranch which included the Ganley Gulch and their home (the brick house at the east end of old NC)

**WHEREAS**, Doris Flynn operated Flynn's Drug Store on Main Street in the 1950's-60's and her store was a gathering place for the young residents of New Castle and a place for all residents to stop in to catch up on local news; and

**WHEREAS**, Gladys Prendergast served the Town as Clerk and Treasurer for 24 years, from 1950 to 1979, having lived in New Castle since 1904. Her husband, Tack Prendergast, served a Town Marshall. She was especially noteworthy for the work she did to improve the Town Cemetery.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Town Council of the Town of New Castle, Colorado, that:

1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated by reference herein as findings and determinations of the Town Council;
2. The Town Council hereby names the hills east of Mt. Medaris, from west to east, William and Ellen Ganley Hill, Doris Flynn Hill and Gladys Prendergast Hill.

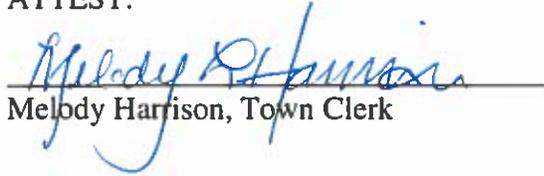
THIS RESOLUTION TC- \_\_\_\_\_ was adopted by the New Castle Town Council by a vote of \_\_\_ to \_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

TOWN OF NEW CASTLE TOWN COUNCIL



Art Riddile, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Melody Harrison, Town Clerk