## RESOLUTION NO. 3336

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RED LODGE, MONTANA ESTABLISHING A CITY COURT OF RECORD.

**WHEREAS,** §§ 3-11-101(2) MCA, provides that a City may establish a city court of record by a resolution of the city commissioners; AND

**WHEREAS,** The Fiscal Year 2012 Budget for the City of Red Lodge Court included line item expenses for the acquisition of the necessary electronic recording devices to create a court of record for the City of Red Lodge; AND

**WHEREAS,** The City Council for the City of Red Lodge is aware of the benefits as well as the costs associated with the creation of a City Court of Record.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Red Lodge, Montana that upon the passage of this resolution, and in accordance with the provisions of §§ 3-11-101, MCA, that the Red Lodge City Court shall be established as a Court of Record. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Red Lodge Court of Record shall begin operation as a Court of Record upon the successful installation of appropriate equipment so that the court's proceedings may be recorded by electronic recording as provided by §§ 3-11-101(2), MCA.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY A MAJORITY OF THE RED LODGE CITY COUNCIL on this <u>13th</u> Day of December, 2011.

City of Red Lodge

Brian C. Roat, Mayor

Attest:

Debbie Tomicich, City Clerk