

SANTA FE COUNTY***RESOLUTION NO. 2003-16***

**A RESOLUTION
OF SUPPORT FOR THE PROPOSED STATE OF NEW MEXICO REGIONAL TRANSIT
DISTRICT (RTD) ACT THAT ESTABLISHES A METHOD FOR COUNTIES, MUNICIPALITIES
AND TRIBAL GOVERNMENTS TO ESTABLISH REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION DISTRICTS
AND PROVIDES AN APPROPRIATION FOR START-UP COSTS FOR SUCH DISTRICTS.**

WHEREAS, the Santa Fe County is committed to providing alternative modes of transportation; and

WHEREAS, public transportation is key to the quality of life and economic opportunities for New Mexicans and residents of Santa Fe County; and

WHEREAS, multi-jurisdictional public transit systems work to reduce the congestion of single-occupant motor vehicle traffic by providing transportation options for residents; and

WHEREAS, reducing traffic congestion works to decrease automobile accidents on freeways and streets; and

WHEREAS, regional public transit would reduce noise and air pollution; and

WHEREAS, regional public transit would extend the life of Santa Fe County and New Mexico's existing roadways by easing the traffic burden; and

WHEREAS, there is an increasing need to coordinate public transit services and systems of different jurisdictions and levels of government; and

WHEREAS, local units of government lack a mechanism to create and fund regional networks of safe and efficient public transit services; and

WHEREAS, legislation at the state level is needed to enable the establishment of regional transit

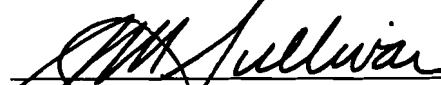
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districts capable of providing regional transit services;

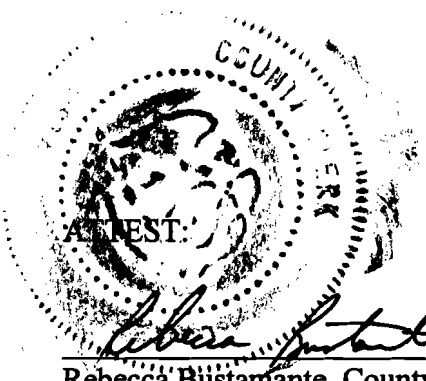
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SANTA FE COUNTY that Santa Fe County supports passage of the proposed New Mexico Regional Transit District Act by the State of New Mexico's 46th Legislature during the Second Session, 2003.

APPROVED, ADOPTED AND PASSED this 11th day of February, 2003.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

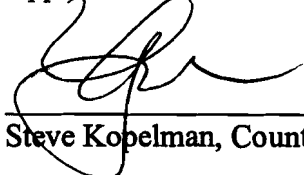


Jack Sullivan, Chairman

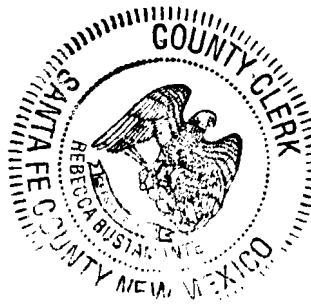

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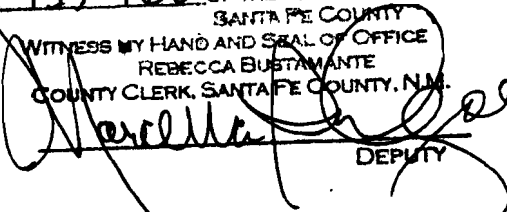

Rebecca Bustamante, County Clerk

Approved as to form:

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Steve Kopelman, County Attorney



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COUNTY OF SANTA FE } ss
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS INSTRUMENT WAS FILED
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REBECCA BUSTAMANTE
COUNTY CLERK, SANTA FE COUNTY, N.M.


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