Santa Fe County
Resolution # 2004- 140

A RESOLUTION DECLARING SANTA FE COUNTY'S INTENTION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ESPANOLA BASIN REGIONAL PLANNING ISSUES FORUM---A WATER COLLABORATIVE WITH GOVERNMENTAL ENTITIES AND CONSTITUENTS WITHIN THE ESPANOLA WATER BASIN

Whereas, on July 23, 2004, Santa Fe County and Los Alamos National Laboratory sponsored Intergovernmental Summit 2004, ("the Summit") a forum specifically held to address water and wastewater issues affecting the Espanola Water Basin; and

Whereas, as a result of the Summit, a forum, known as The Espanola Regional Planning Issues Forum ("the Regional Forum") was created to discuss in detail, water and wastewater issues; and

Whereas, in order to address and develop solutions to our current water and wastewater concerns and issues, it is important to include all affected governments. In so doing, it has become increasingly important to begin addressing issues in a regional manner; and

Whereas, the Regional Forum will enable governmental entities within the Espanola Water Basin to begin solving water and wastewater issues. The Espanola Basin Regional Planning Issues Forum can be used as a steering mechanism in addressing our water and wastewater concerns and issues; and

Whereas, membership in this Regional Forum includes elected and appointed officials from Santa Fe County, Rio Arriba County, Los Alamos County, City of Santa Fe, City of Espanola, Nambe Pueblo, San Juan Pueblo, San Ildefonso Pueblo, Pojoaque Pueblo, Santa Clara Pueblo, Tesuque Pueblo, Cochiti Pueblo and Santo Domingo Pueblo. The Regional Forum also includes staff from congressional delegation offices, state elected officials and the legislative delegation that represents the Espanola Water Basin; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT: It is the intention of Santa Fe County to begin to address, discuss, and solve current water and wastewater issues affecting Santa Fe County and the Espanola Water Basin. This Resolution shall serve as a formal indication of intention to participate in The Espanola Basin Regional Planning Issues Forum.

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PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 9TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2004

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Paul D. Campos, Chairman

Rebecca Bustamante
Santa Fe County Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

for Stephen C. Ross
Santa Fe County Attorney

COUNTY OF SANTA FE)
STATE OF NEW MEXICO) ss

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I Hereby Certify That This Instrument Was Filed For Record On The 19TH Day Of November, A D , 2004 at 10 19 And was Duly Recorded as Instrument # 1355560 Of The Records Of Santa Fe County

Witness My Hand And Seal Of Office
Rebecca Bustamante
County Clerk, Santa Fe, NM

Deputy Marcella Sanchez

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