

**THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF SANTA FE COUNTY**

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-033

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MANAGER TO APPROVE
AND SIGN ADOPT-A-ROAD AGREEMENTS**

WHEREAS, the County of Santa Fe recognizes the existence of a litter problem within the boundaries of unincorporated Santa Fe County; and

WHEREAS, Santa Fe County Ordinance No. 1993-11 (Refuse Control and Anti-Litter Ordinance) prohibits littering within the County, specifically on County roads; and

WHEREAS, litter along County roads threatens the land, water, and quality of life in Santa Fe County; and

WHEREAS, since 1994, Santa Fe County's Adopt-A-Road Program has reduced litter along County roads by allowing a private citizen, group, business or other entity to voluntarily "adopt" a designated section of a specific County road in order to eliminate litter on the adopted section of road; and

WHEREAS, Santa Fe County Resolution Nos. 1999-08, 2000-10, and 2001-12 all endorse and support the Adopt-A-Road Program; and

WHEREAS, when a section of road is adopted the Adopt-A-Road participant enters into a written agreement with the County that describes the duties and tasks the participant will perform with respect to cleaning up and maintaining a designated section of road. There is no compensation or monetary compensation associated with the Adopt-A-Road agreement. The participant also signs a hold harmless and indemnification agreement pertaining to the participant's performance of duties and tasks; and

WHEREAS, in 2023, the County updated and revised the Adopt-A-Road Agreement and Agreement to Indemnify and Hold Harmless; and

WHEREAS, the Adopt-A-Road Agreement requires that the County Manager sign the agreement on behalf of the County.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Fe County ("Board"):

1. The County wishes to continue to administer and operate the Adopt-A-Road Program to further the purpose of Santa Fe County Ordinance No. 1993-11.

2. The Board delegates to the County Manager the authority to approve and sign on behalf of the County Adopt-A-Road Program agreements, including approval of any amendments or terminations of Adopt-A-Road agreements.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 28TH DAY OF MARCH, 2023.

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OF SANTA FE COUNTY**

By: *Anna Hansen*
Anna Hansen, Chairperson

ATTEST: *Katharine E. Clark*
Katharine E. Clark
County Clerk

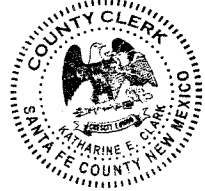


APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Jeff Young for
Jeff Young
County Attorney

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Deputy *Dorothy* Witness My Hand And Seal Of Office
Katharine E. Clark
County Clerk, Santa Fe, NM