

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

**RESOLUTION NO. 2023 - 042**

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**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SANTA FE COUNTY TO APPLY FOR A FEDERAL CHARGING AND FUELING INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT AND DELEGATING THE COUNTY MANAGER AUTHORITY TO EXECUTE ALL RELATED DOCUMENTS AND AGREEMENTS**

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**WHEREAS**, the United States Department of Transportation's Federal Highway Administration administers the Charging and Fueling Infrastructure Grant Program ("Program") which is designed to strategically deploy publicly accessible electric vehicle ("EV") charging and alternative fueling infrastructure; and

**WHEREAS**, the first round of grant funding makes \$700 million available to local governments to deploy EV charging infrastructure in publicly accessible locations, particularly in underserved and disadvantaged communities; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of New Mexico Department of Transportation is offering to at least partially offset some of the required 20% matching funds for the Program; and

**WHEREAS**, transportation represents the largest CO2 emission source within Santa Fe County ("County") at large, and the County fleet represents the second largest CO2 emissions within the County's operations; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Commissioners ("Board") adopted Resolution No. 2017-68 which expressed the County's intent to implement clean energy strategies in all aspects of its facilities and daily operations, thereby supporting the goals of the Paris Agreement to reduce greenhouse emissions;

**WHEREAS**, Resolution No. 2019-142 adopted the County's Fleet Management Policies and Procedures which direct the County, among other things, to reduce County fleet operating costs and greenhouse gas emissions and install infrastructure necessary to support both the existing and future alternatively-powered County fleet; and

**WHEREAS**, Program funding will advance County goals identified in Resolution Nos. 2017-68 and 2019-142; and

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WHEREAS, County residents, visitors to the County, and County government will all benefit from an expanded network and availability of EV charging stations located within the County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board that:

1. The County is directed to apply by May 30, 2023, for a Charging and Fueling Infrastructure Grant Program grant to install publicly available charging stations at facilities throughout the County.
2. The County Manager is delegated the authority to execute all related documentation and agreements that may be required to complete and accept any grant from the Program.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 9<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MAY, 2023.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF SANTA FE COUNTY

By: Anna Hansen  
Anna Hansen, Chair

ATTEST:  
Katharine E. Clark  
Katharine E. Clark  
Santa Fe County Clerk



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Approved as to form:

Jeff Young for  
Jeff Young  
County Attorney

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Katharine E. Clark  
Deputy Destiny Popowicz County Clerk, Santa Fe, NM

