

**SANTA FE COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

RESOLUTION NO. 2025 - 091

**A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE LA CAÑADA DE LOS ALAMOS PLANNING
COMMITTEE AND AUTHORIZING A COMMUNITY PLANNING PROCESS FOR
THE COMMUNITY OF LA CAÑADA DE LOS ALAMOS**

WHEREAS, Santa Fe County (County) Board of County Commissioners (BCC) established a community planning process through sections 2.1.4 and 2.1.5 of the Sustainable Land Development Code (SLDC); and

WHEREAS, the community planning process is outlined in the County Sustainable Growth Management Plan (SGMP), adopted under Resolution No. 2015-155, and specifically described in Section 14.2.1.2 of the SGMP; and

WHEREAS, under the SLDC and SGMP, a community planning committee initiates the planning process by filing a letter of application with the Land Use Administrator (Administrator) and that letter of application must include a list of initial committee members and identification of the planning boundary and identification of issues which justify the undertaking of the planning process; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the SLDC, the Administrator refers complete letters of application to the BCC, and if approved, the BCC establishes the planning committee and community plan boundary by resolution; and

WHEREAS, the La Cañada de los Alamos Community Association, the County-recognized Community Organization for La Cañada de los Alamos, submitted a Letter of Application (Exhibit A) to establish a planning committee (La Cañada de los Alamos Planning Committee) and request authorization to initiate a community planning process for their community; and

WHEREAS, the La Cañada de los Alamos Community Association has submitted an initial list of members for the La Cañada de los Alamos Planning Committee in coordination with the Santa Fe County Planning Division and in accordance with the SLDC and SGMP; and

WHEREAS, the Administrator has determined that the letter of application submitted by the La Cañada de los Alamos Community Association complies with the requirements of the SGMP and SLDC for initiating the community planning process.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Fe County that:

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1. The La Cañada de los Alamos Planning Committee is hereby established in accordance with Exhibit A.
2. A community planning process is hereby authorized for the community of La Cañada de los Alamos as identified in Exhibit B.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED ON THIS 26th DAY OF AUGUST, 2025.

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

By: *Camilla Bustamante*
Camilla Bustamante, Chair

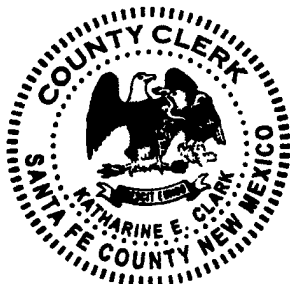
ATTEST:

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

Date: 08/28/2025

Approved as to form:

Peter Valencia for
Walker Boyd
Santa Fe County Attorney



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STATE OF NEW MEXICO) ss

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Katharine E. Clark
Deputy *[Signature]* County Clerk, Santa Fe, NM

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Exhibit A

La Cañada de los Alamos Community Association

87505 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Alexandra Ladd
Growth Management Director
240 Grant Ave
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Monday, July 14, 2025

Re: Community Plan Proposal

Dear Ms. Ladd,

On behalf of the Cañada de los Alamos Community Association, we request that the Board of County Commissioners initiate a Community Plan for us. On April 29th of this year the Board of County Commissioners adopted a resolution to officially recognize the La Cañada de los Alamos Community Association (LCACA). We have worked together to gather topics that are of concern to residents of the greater Cañada area.

Our concerns include increased encroachment from unmonitored recreation in Santa Fe National Forest adjacent to the Cañada area and homes. The promotion of bike trails by the NM Recreation Division (without community approval) has created a significant increase in traffic through the village and furthermore has heightened risks of fire in Wildland-Urban Interface areas. Residents are seeing an increase in dumping, target shooting, vagrancy and campers squatting in addition to private property damage, trespass and burglary.

In the event of a wildfire there is only one way in or out creating dangerous evacuation conditions. We are interested in assistance with an early warning system for fires in our area and have researched some systems in the hopes no other fire (or flood) disaster would ever occur in Cañada for lack of notification. To facilitate community involvement and education this letter is a sincere request for funding for the installation of public bulletin kiosks as one way of notification and education for the community.

Please find attached list of our LCACA community plan members.

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La Cañada de los Alamos Community Association

87505 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Sincerely,



Dr. Dee Blanco

President, La Cañada de los Alamos Community Association



Martha J. Cooke

Secretary, La Cañada de los Alamos Community Association

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La Cañada de los Alamos Community Association

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La Cañada de los Alamos Village Association Community Plan Committee

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Dr Dee Blanco

Chris Schaum

Kenny Ausubel

Dawn Ehrhard Wingard

Nina Simons

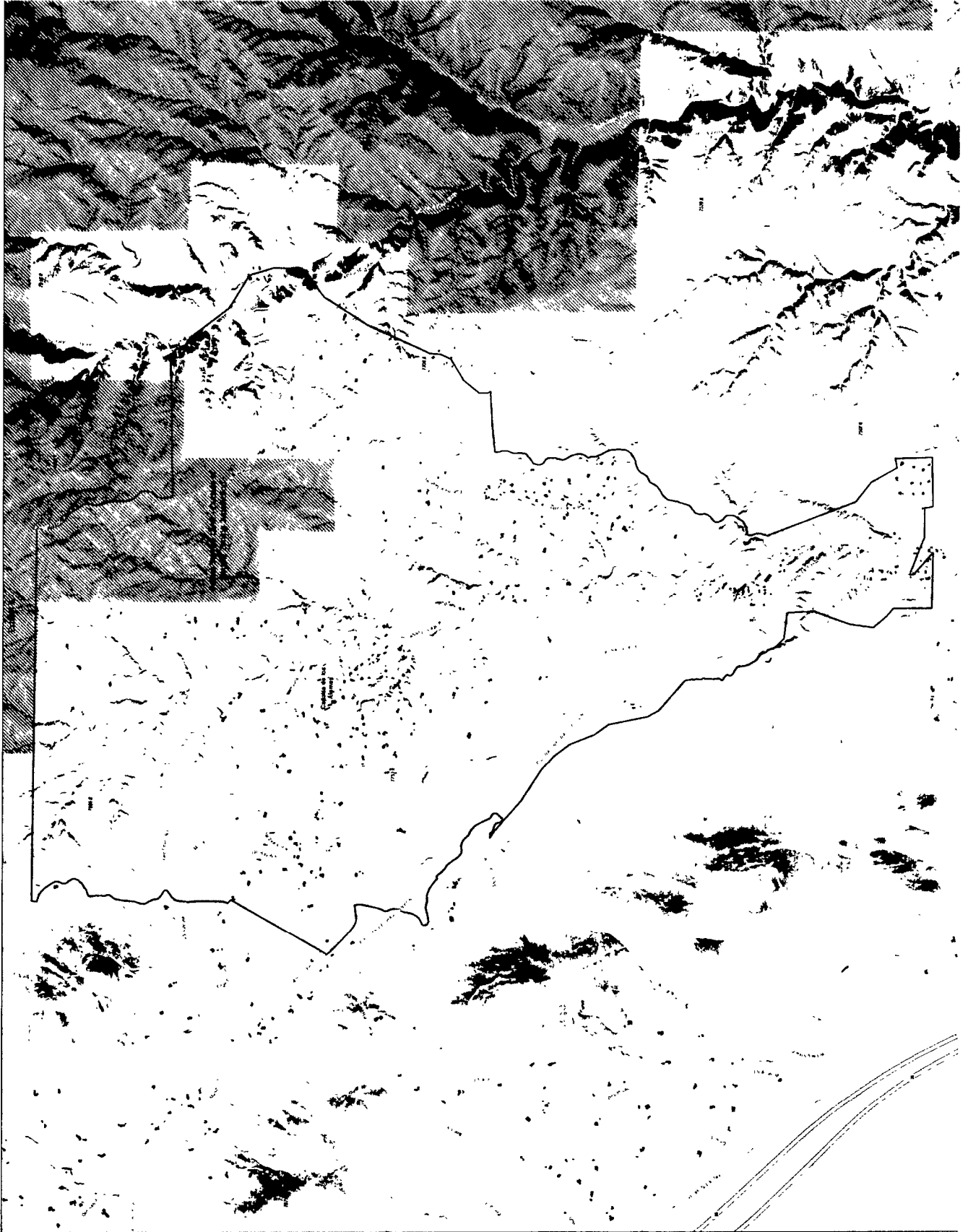
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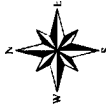
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La Canada de los Alamos
Census-Designated Place

Legend

- Building Footprints
- Parcel Boundaries
- Forest Service Land



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Growth Management Department
Planning Division

April 2025

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