

City of Santa Fe, New Mexico

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

Resolution No. 2015-____ 100 Resilient Cities Support

SPONSOR(S): Mayor Gonzales

SUMMARY: The proposed resolution supports the Rockefeller Foundation Project "100 Resilient Cities" and requests staff to submit an application for consideration as one of the 33 cities to be chosen for the project.

PREPARED BY: Rebecca Seligman, Legislative Liaison Assistant

FISCAL IMPACT: No

DATE: August 27, 2015

ATTACHMENTS: Resolution
FIR

1 **CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO**

2 **RESOLUTION NO. 2015-___**

3 **INTRODUCED BY:**

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5 Mayor Javier Gonzales

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10 **A RESOLUTION**

11 **TO SUPPORT THE ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION PROJECT “100 RESILIENT CITIES”**
12 **AND REQUEST STAFF TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR CONSIDERATION AS ONE**
13 **OF THE 33 CITIES TO BE CHOSEN FOR THE PROJECT.**

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15 **WHEREAS**, in 2013, The Rockefeller Foundation pioneered “100 Resilient Cities” to help
16 more cities build resilience to the physical, social, and economic challenges that are growing parts of
17 the 21st century; and

18 **WHEREAS**, over the past two years 100 Resilient Cities has built a network of 67 cities, and
19 is providing them with support to adapt to these challenges; and

20 **WHEREAS**, with the current threats of urbanization, globalization and climate change, there
21 has never been a more important time to build urban resilience; and

22 **WHEREAS**, currently, hundreds of cities have applied, and 67 cities have been selected, to
23 join the Network – representing one-fifth of the world’s urban population and by 2016, 100 cities will
24 be actively building a resilience strategy; and

25 **WHEREAS**, cities may apply to become part of the 100 Resilient Cities Network and if

1 selected, would be eligible to receive four types of support:

- 2• 1. Support to hire a Chief Resilience Officer, an innovative new position in
3 government that will lead the city's resilience efforts.
- 4 2. Expertise to develop a robust resilience strategy.
- 5 3. Access to a platform of partners providing technologies and services to help
6 cities implement a resilience strategy, including partners such as Microsoft, Swiss Re, and the Nature
7 Conservancy.
- 8 4. Membership in the 100 Resilient Cities Network, a global network of cities already
9 collaborating with and learning from each other.

10 **WHEREAS**, by accepting the challenge and making application by November 24, 2015, we
11 could have the potential to secure powerful tools to improve ourselves in both good times and bad,
12 but also provide our city the opportunity to be part of this emerging practice.

13 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE**
14 **CITY OF SANTA FE** that the Governing Body supports application for consideration in the
15 Rockefeller Foundation Project of 100 Resilient Cities.

16 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Governing Body authorizes staff to complete the
17 application process for 100 Resilient Cities prior to the November 24, 2015 deadline.

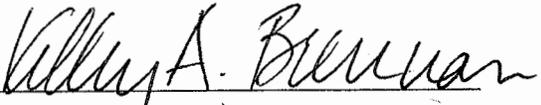
18 PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2015.

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21 JAVIER M. GONZALES, MAYOR

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25 YOLANDA Y. VIGIL, CITY CLERK

1 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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4 KELLEY A. BRENNAN, CITY ATTORNEY

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City of Santa Fe Fiscal Impact Report (FIR)

This Fiscal Impact Report (FIR) shall be completed for each proposed bill or resolution as to its direct impact upon the City's operating budget and is intended for use by any of the standing committees of and the Governing Body of the City of Santa Fe. Bills or resolutions with no fiscal impact still require a completed FIR. Bills or resolutions with a fiscal impact must be reviewed by the Finance Committee. Bills or resolutions without a fiscal impact generally do not require review by the Finance Committee unless the subject of the bill or resolution is financial in nature.

Section A. General Information

(Check) Bill: _____ Resolution: X
(A single FIR may be used for related bills and/or resolutions)

Short Title(s): TO SUPPORT THE ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION PROJECT "100 RESILIENT CITIES" AND REQUEST STAFF TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR CONSIDERATION AS ONE OF THE 33 CITIES TO BE CHOSEN FOR THE PROJECT.

Sponsor(s): Mayor Javier Gonzalez

Reviewing Department(s): City Manager

Persons Completing FIR: David Silver Date: 08/25/2015 Phone: 505-995-6537

Reviewed by City Attorney: Kelly A. Brennan Date: 8/27/15
(Signature)

Reviewed by Finance Director: [Signature] Date: 8-31-2015
(Signature)

Section B. Summary

Briefly explain the purpose and major provisions of the bill/resolution:
 The major provisions of this resolution are for support by the Governing Body in the application for consideration in the Rockefeller Foundation Project of 100 Resilient Cities.

Section C. Fiscal Impact

Note: Financial information on this FIR does not directly translate into a City of Santa Fe budget increase. For a budget increase, the following are required:

- a. The item must be on the agenda at the Finance Committee and City Council as a "Request for Approval of a City of Santa Fe Budget Increase" with a definitive funding source (could be same item and same time as bill/resolution)
- b. Detailed budget information must be attached as to fund, business units, and line item, amounts, and explanations (similar to annual requests for budget)
- c. Detailed personnel forms must be attached as to range, salary, and benefit allocation and signed by Human Resource Department for each new position(s) requested (prorated for period to be employed by fiscal year)*

1. Projected Expenditures:

- a. Indicate Fiscal Year(s) affected – usually current fiscal year and following fiscal year (i.e., FY 03/04 and FY 04/05)
- b. Indicate: "A" if current budget and level of staffing will absorb the costs
"N" if new, additional, or increased budget or staffing will be required
- c. Indicate: "R" – if recurring annual costs
"NR" if one-time, non-recurring costs, such as start-up, contract or equipment costs
- d. Attach additional projection schedules if two years does not adequately project revenue and cost patterns
- e. Costs may be netted or shown as an offset if some cost savings are projected (explain in Section 3 Narrative)

Finance Director: [Signature]

X Check here if no fiscal impact

Column #:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Expenditure Classification	FY _____	"A" Costs Absorbed or "N" New Budget Required	"R" Costs Recurring or "NR" Non-recurring	FY _____	"A" Costs Absorbed or "N" New Budget Required	"R" Costs – Recurring or "NR" Non-recurring	Fund Affected

Personnel*	\$ _____	_____	_____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Fringe**	\$ _____	_____	_____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Capital Outlay	\$ _____	_____	_____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Land/ Building	\$ _____	_____	_____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Professional Services	\$ _____	_____	_____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
All Other Operating Costs	\$ _____	_____	_____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Total:	\$ _____	_____	_____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____	_____

* Any indication that additional staffing would be required must be reviewed and approved in advance by the City Manager by attached memo before release of FIR to committees. **For fringe benefits contact the Finance Dept.

2. Revenue Sources:

- a. To indicate new revenues and/or
- b. Required for costs for which new expenditure budget is proposed above in item 1.

Column #:	1	2	3	4	5	6
	Type of Revenue	FY _____	"R" Costs Recurring or "NR" Non-recurring	FY _____	"R" Costs – Recurring or "NR" Non-recurring	Fund Affected

_____	\$ _____	_____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
Total:	\$ _____	_____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____

3. Expenditure/Revenue Narrative:

Explain revenue source(s). Include revenue calculations, grant(s) available, anticipated date of receipt of revenues/grants, etc. Explain expenditures, grant match(s), justify personnel increase(s), detail capital and operating uses, etc. (Attach supplemental page, if necessary.)

The finalists identified during the 2015 100-Resilient Cities Challenge will be eligible to receive funding in the form of a grant to hire a Chief Resiliency Officer. Selected applicants will be notified by April 2016. Funding received may not be used for any purpose other than the purpose for which the funding is provided.

Section D. **General Narrative**

1. Conflicts: Does this proposed bill/resolution duplicate/conflict with/companion to/relate to any City code, approved ordinance or resolution, other adopted policies or proposed legislation? Include details of city adopted laws/ordinance/resolutions and dates. Summarize the relationships, conflicts or overlaps.

This resolution does not duplicate/conflict with any city code, approved ordinance/resolution, or other adopted polices or proposed legislation.

2. Consequences of Not Enacting This Bill/Resolution:

Are there consequences of not enacting this bill/resolution? If so, describe.

Support for this resolution is essential in the application process for the 100 Resilient Cities Challenge, demonstrating the Governing Body's commitment to building and sustaining a resilient community.

3. Technical Issues:

Are there incorrect citations of law, drafting errors or other problems? Are there any amendments that should be considered? Are there any other alternatives which should be considered? If so, describe.

4. Community Impact:

Briefly describe the major positive or negative effects the Bill/Resolution might have on the community including, but not limited to, businesses, neighborhoods, families, children and youth, social service providers and other institutions such as schools, churches, etc.

Resilience is defined as the capacity of a community to survive and thrive no matter what acute shock or chronic stresses it experiences. In practice, building resilience leads to investing in efforts that have multiple benefits –

social, economic, and environmental – and that leverage multiple stakeholder interests. The 100 Resilient Cities Challenge seeks to find 100 cities that are ready to build resilience to the social, economic, and physical challenges that cities face in an increasingly urbanized world. If the City of Santa Fe were selected as one of the 100 cities it would provide the following:

- **Funding in the form of a grant to hire a Chief Resilience Officer;**
- **Technical support to develop a holistic resilience strategy that reflects each city's distinct needs;**
- **Access to an innovative platform of services to support strategy development and implementation. Platform partners come from the private, public, and nonprofit sectors, and will offer tools in areas such as innovative finance, technology, infrastructure, land use, and community and social resilience;**
- **Membership in the 100 Resilient Cities network to share knowledge and practices with other member cities.**

A Chief Resilience Officer would benefit the City of Santa Fe by helping manage the complexities of the City to make resilience efforts more impactful, and collaborating externally to identify and integrate lessons other cities have learned.