1	CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO
2	RESOLUTION NO. 2009-67
3	INTRODUCED BY:
4	Mayor Coss
	Councilor Dominguez
5	COUNTY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO
6	RESOLUTION NO. 2009-115
7	INTRODUCED BY:
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10	A JOINT RESOLUTION
11	OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SANTA FE COUNTY AND THE
12	GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE FOR THE PURPOSE OF
13	ADDRESSING ALCOHOL ABUSE IN OUR COMMUNITY.
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15	WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Fe County and the Governing
16	Body of the City of Santa Fe recognize that alcohol and drug abuse contribute to domestic
17	violence, community violence, driving under the influence of alcohol and drugs and underage
18	drinking; and
19	WHEREAS, in recent weeks, our community has experienced a string of tragic events
20	that resulted in the loss of life that has forever changed our community, especially those persons
21	closest to such tragedies; and
22	WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Fe County and the Governing
23	Body of the City of Santa Fe desire to impress upon the community of Santa Fe the need to be
24	responsible in the decisions that are made related to alcohol and drug use; and
25	WHEREAS, there is a need to stress to all citizens of our community, the need to abide

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1 by all alcohol and drug related laws; and

2	WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Fe County and the Governing
3	Body of the City of Santa Fe will work together to enforce all alcohol and drug related laws
4	within our jurisdiction and support treatment, education and outreach to those persons in need of
5	assistance addressing alcohol and drug abuse problems.
6	NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY
7	COMMISSIONERS OF SANTA FE AND THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF
8	SANTA FE that Santa Fe County and the City of Santa Fe will not tolerate alcohol and drug
9	abuse within our community and we encourage and support our public safety officials to enforce
10	alcohol and drug related laws within our community; and
11	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Board of County Commissioners and the
12	Governing Body of the City will appoint a work group consisting of elected leaders who will
13	meet with governmental, educational and medical entities; law enforcement agencies; and not for
14	profit and business organizations who are addressing any aspect of alcohol and drug abuse in our
15	community; and
16	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, as a demonstration of community commitment,
17	the work group in collaboration with staff from Santa Fe County and the City of Santa Fe will
18	summarize the status of activities and recommend programmatic steps to accelerate community
19	change that will end violence from alcohol and drug abuse; and
20	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, within thirty days of adoption of this resolution, a
21	report will be given to the governing bodies of the County and City, in a joint meeting, regarding
22	the progress of work group; and
23	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, within sixty days of adoption of this resolution,
24	the work group will report back to the governing bodies of the County and City, in a joint
25	meeting, with recommendations related to the treatment, education and outreach programs for

citizens of our community who are in need of help to address alcohol and drug abuse in their lives. PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 8th day of July, 2009. THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SANTAFE GOUNTY Bv CHAEL D. ANAYA, CHAU ATTEST: VALERIE ESPINOZA, COUNTY CLERK APPROVED AS TO FORM: STEPHEN C. ROSS, COUNTY ATTORNEY GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE DAVID COSS, MAYOR

ATTEST: yacande y YOLANDA Y. VIGIL, CITY CLERK APPROVED AS TO FORM: FRANK D. KATZ, CITY ATTORNEY mdb/JEP&MDB/Resolutions2009/Alcohol Abuse

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