1	CITY OF SANTA FE
2	RESOLUTION NO. 2010-92
3	INTRODUCED BY:
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5	Councilor Dominguez
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10	A RESOLUTION
11	DIRECTING THE PARKS AND OPEN SPACE ADVISORY COMMISSION, THE BICYCLE
12	TRAILS ADVISORY COMMITTEE, THE REGIONAL PLANNING AUTHORITY
13	AND OTHER CITY COMMITTEES TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING
14	PRIORITIES FOR PARKS, OPEN SPACE, TRAILS, AND RECREATIONAL FACILITIES
15	THAT HAVE NOT PREVIOUSLY BEEN FUNDED OR WERE UNDER FUNDED.
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17	WHEREAS, the Governing Body adopted Resolution No. 2007-20 initiating a process wherein
18	priorities were determined to fund facilities described in the city's 2001 Open Space, Trails and
19	Recreation Master Plan in anticipation of a bond election; and
20	WHEREAS, in March 2008, the voters approved the issuance of general obligation bonds for
21	\$30,300,000 in order to acquire land for and to improve public parks, trails and open space for
22	recreational purposes; and
23	WHEREAS, the city has completed or is nearing completion of the various projects that were
24	initially prioritized in 2007/2008; and
25	WHEREAS, critical items not identified in the initial priorities and not funded in the bond
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remain including, but not limited to: playgrounds in desperate need of repair; ADA issues to be solved; archaeological/cultural surveys to be completed; additional alternative park amenities that the city has schematic designs or construction documents for; and missed opportunities and needs not previously addressed; and

WHEREAS, in addition, other specific projects or issues remain including: a large neighborhood/regional park in Tierra Contenta the area of the city experiencing the most recent growth in the number of families with children; prairie dog relocations; Salvador Perez and Ragle regional parks; Riverside Park; the Rail Trail and other trail connections; and

WHEREAS, the city has an extensive library of documents and plans that need to be reviewed for parks, trails, open space and recreational projects or portions of projects yet to be completed; and

WHEREAS, the governing body recognizes that significant resources are needed to further implement the Parks, Open Space, Trails, and Recreation Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, on June 30, 2010, the Governing Body adopted Resolution No. 2010-53 directing staff to evaluate available options for the ongoing financing of parks, open space, trails and recreational facility projects; and

WHEREAS, the governing body must determine the priorities of remaining parks, open space, trails and recreational facilities yet to be funded.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE that:

- 1. The Public Works Department working with city staff, the Parks and Open Space

 Advisory Commission, the Bicycle and Trails Advisory Committee, the Regional Planning Authority and
 other appropriate city committees are directed to review the Parks, Open Space, Trails, and Recreation
 Master Plan and other relevant plans and documents in order to evaluate and prioritize the remaining
 unfunded or under funded parks, open space, trails and recreational facilities.
 - 2. City staff shall prepare preliminary cost estimates for completing the projects and for

1	maintaining and operating these projects as well as existing facilities that are currently under funded.
2	3. Within nine months of adoption of this resolution, the recommended priorities from the
3	individual committees as well as staff and related cost estimates shall be forwarded to the Public Works
4	and Finance Committees and then to the Governing Body who shall finalize the priorities and identify
5	funding solutions.
6	PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 10 th day of November, 2010.
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