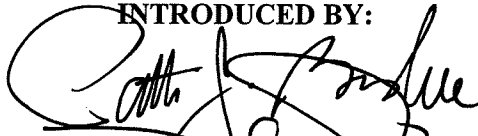
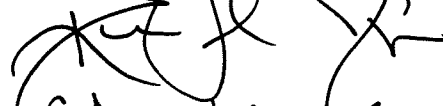
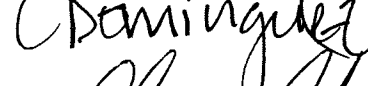
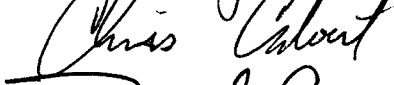



1 CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

2 RESOLUTION NO. 2007- 66

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9 A RESOLUTION

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11 DESIGNATING THE 2.3 MILLION DOLLARS PREVIOUSLY USED FOR THE  
12 REGIONAL EMERGENCY COMMUNICATION CENTER BE USED FOR PUBLIC  
13 SAFETY PURPOSES.

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15 WHEREAS, in October 2006, the county and the city agreed to amend the joint powers  
16 agreement so that the county would be solely responsible for the costs of the day to day operation  
17 of the regional emergency communication center (RECC) and, in return, the city supported the  
18 countywide emergency communications and emergency medial services gross receipts tax which  
19 was approved by the voters on November 7, 2006; and

20 WHEREAS, the city had been funding the RECC annually at approximately 2.3 million  
21 dollars; funds now available for other purposes; and

22 WHEREAS, the city has identified the need for additional expenditures for public safety,  
23 including, as an example, the planning and development of the city owned "northwest quadrant"  
24 to include between 700 and 900 new dwelling units which will need emergency services, and the  
25 need for additional fire and police vehicles and equipment for use throughout the city; and

1           **WHEREAS**, the cost of building and equipping a new fire station in the northwest  
2 quadrant would be approximately 4.9 million dollars with recurring costs of approximately 1.15  
3 million dollars per year; and

4           **WHEREAS**, by resolution previously passed by the governing body, it was resolved that  
5 approximately \$500,000 per year should be spent to replace fire equipment as part of the Fire  
6 Department's equipment replacement schedule; and

7           **WHEREAS**, new police and fire equipment would greatly improve emergency response  
8 time and services and has been included in the city's capital improvements program; and

9           **WHEREAS**, the 2.3 million dollars previously funding the RECC could be used for the  
10 operating costs for these purposes.

11           **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE**  
12 **CITY OF SANTA FE** that the 2.3 million dollars previously used for the RECC now be  
13 designated for the operation (including staffing, operating costs, vehicles, equipment or capital  
14 improvements) of city police, fire station services, and other public safety purposes as  
15 traditionally defined.

16           PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2007.

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19           David Cozz

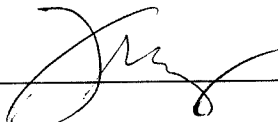
20           DAVID COSS, MAYOR

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FRANK D. KATZ, CITY ATTORNEY