

CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

BILL NO. 2011-29

INTRODUCED BY:

Councilor Matthew Ortiz

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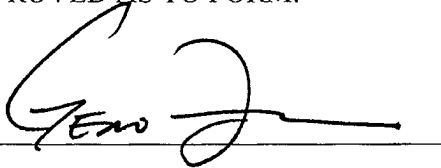
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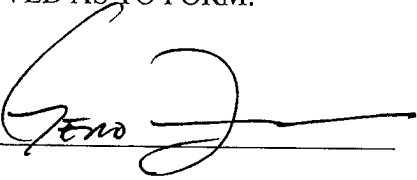
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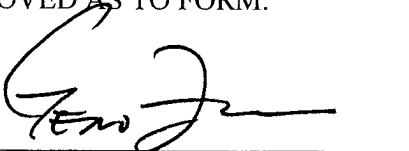
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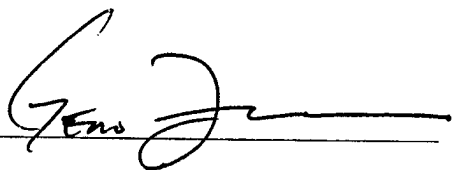
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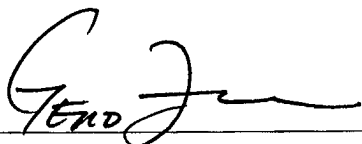
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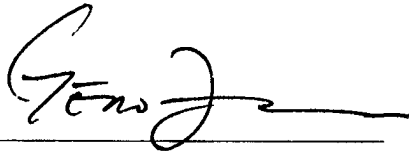
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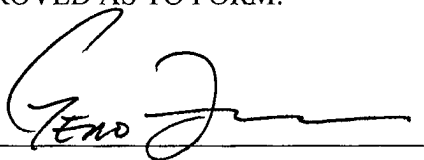
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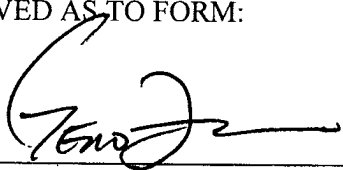
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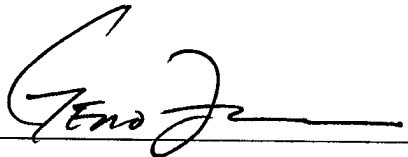
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