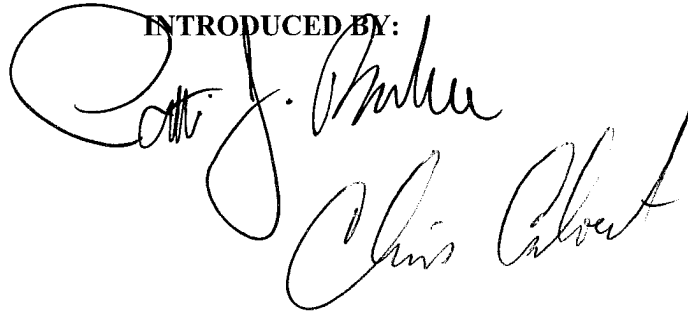


CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

RESOLUTION NO. 2011-30

INTRODUCED BY:

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A RESOLUTION

**IN HONOR OF GAIL RYBA, NAMING A COMBINATION OF EXISTING AND PLANNED TRAIL SEGMENTS FOLLOWING THE ALIGNMENT OF THE ARROYO DE LOS CHAMISOS EASTWARD FROM THE SANTA FE RAIL TRAIL, UNDER ST. FRANCIS DRIVE, AND CONTINUING TO THE INTERSECTION OF WEST ZIA ROAD AND OLD ARROYO CHAMISOS ROAD.**

**WHEREAS,** Gail Naomi Ryba, a dedicated bicycle and renewable-energy advocate, died recently after a battle with cancer; and

**WHEREAS,** Gail Ryba, 47, a Santa Fe resident, headed up the Coalition for Clean, Affordable Energy and worked for years to improve bicycling safety around the state; and

**WHEREAS,** she founded the Bicycle Coalition of New Mexico and was a member of the New Mexico Department of Transportation's Bicycle, Pedestrian and Equestrian Committee; and

**WHEREAS,** in 2003, she advocated for the creation of the City's Bicycle and Trails Advisory Committee and urged their development of a new City of Santa Fe bicycle plan that

1 includes 14 bicycle and pedestrian trails throughout the city many of which are complete and  
2 others are under construction or designed; and

3 **WHEREAS**, as a direct result of her work, the community has many other bicycle  
4 amenities including improved right-of-way shoulders, signs, maps and bicycle awareness; and

5 **WHEREAS**, Gail Ryba taught basic bicycling skills to women and urged all people to  
6 use bikes whenever possible; and

7 **WHEREAS**, the Governing Body wishes to honor the memory of Gail Ryba by naming  
8 a trail in her honor.

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


11 Section 1. In honor of Gail Ryba, a combination of existing and planned trail  
12 segments following the alignment of the Arroyo De Los Chamisos eastward from the Santa Fe  
13 Rail Trail, under St. Francis Drive, and continuing to the intersection of West Zia Road and Old  
14 Arroyo Chamisos Road shall be named "The Gail Ryba Trail".

15 Section 2. Staff is directed to post signs and label maps and documents accordingly.

16 Section 3. A ribbon cutting ceremony shall be arranged by staff in celebration of  
17 Gail's life.

18 **AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the citizens of Santa Fe are encouraged to  
19 "get out of your car" to honor Gail Ryba.

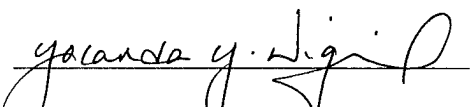
20 PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED this 25<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2011.

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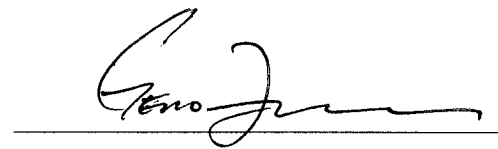
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