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CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

RESOLUTION NO. 2013-65

INTRODUCED BY:

Councilor Dominguez

A RESOLUTION

DIRECTING STAFF TO EXPLORE THE OPTIONS FOR DEVELOPING A COLLABORATION BETWEEN THE CITY OF SANTA FE, SANTA FE COUNTY AND THE SANTA FE PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO ESTABLISH A TRANSITIONAL EDUCATIONAL SETTING FOR HIGH NEEDS/AT RISK JUVENILES.

WHEREAS, the education of our youth, the ability of our youth to reach their potential and the need to reduce the dropout rate are great concerns in our community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Santa Fe seeks to provide life skill education to high needs juveniles through current programs that are funded through the Children and Youth Commission; and

WHEREAS, Santa Fe County could potentially provide the “space”, the ARC at the Youth Development Program as the location in which to provide the setting for the education; and

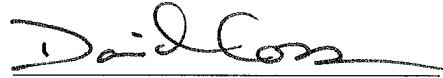
WHEREAS, the Santa Fe Public Schools could potentially provide a bilingual teacher, teacher’s aide and learning materials; and

WHEREAS, through the alignment of resources between the City, the County and Santa Fe Public Schools, whether it be education, the facility, personnel or materials all three entities through a

1 collaborative effort have a potential for a no cost to minimal cost incursion to each entity for an
2 education environment for high needs/at risk youth.

3 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE**
4 **CITY OF SANTA FE** that staff is directed to work with Santa Fe County and the Santa Fe Public
5 Schools to explore the options for developing a collaboration between the City of Santa Fe, Santa Fe
6 County and the Santa Fe Public Schools to establish an education environment for high needs/at risk
7 juveniles.

8 PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 26th day of June, 2013.


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11 DAVID COSS, MAYOR

12 ATTEST:

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15 YOLANDA VIGIL, CITY CLERK

16 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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19 GENO ZAMORA, CITY ATTORNEY