CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

RESOLUTION NO. 2007-121

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A RESOLUTION

DIRECTING STAFF TO WORK WITH OTHER GOVERNMENTAL ENTITIES THROUGHOUT NORTHERN NEW MEXICO TO MITIGATE THE ECONOMIC IMPACTS OF LAYOFFS AT LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY.

WHEREAS, Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) is an important source of economic development for all of Northern New Mexico; and

WHEREAS, approximately twenty-five per cent (25%) of the work force at LANL resides within Santa Fe County; and

WHEREAS, LANL is severely reducing the size of its work force by as much as seven hundred to nine hundred workers; and

WHEREAS, these workforce reductions will have a significant economic impact on all of Northern New Mexico; and

WHEREAS, it is the duty of the Economic Development Division of the City of Santa Fe to increase the economic stability of the city of Santa Fe; and

WHEREAS, to this end, the Economic Development Division has been directed to work
with other governmental entities throughout Northern New Mexico to increase the economic
stability of the entire region.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE
CITY OF SANTA FE that the Economic Development Division is charged to meet with other
governmental and nongovernmental economic development groups throughout Northern New
Mexico to develop strategies for how this region can best cope with the proposed workforce
reductions at Los Alamos National Laboratory and to work together to put such strategies into
effect.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 12th day of __________, 2007.

DAVID COSS, MAYOR

ATTEST:

YOLANDA Y. VIGIL, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

FRANK D. KATZ, CITY ATTORNEY

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