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CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-21

INTRODUCED BY:

Mayor Alan Webber

A RESOLUTION

**EXTENDING THE DURATION OF THE MAYOR’S EMERGENCY PROCLAMATION
ISSUED ON APRIL 25, 2022 BY FORTY DAYS, EXPIRING AT NOON ON JUNE 6, 2022,
PURSUANT TO SECTION 20-1.3(C) SFCC 1987.**

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, Mayor Webber proclaimed a state of emergency in response to the Public Health Emergency that is the rapid spread of an infection called COVID-19 (COVID-19 Proclamation I); and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020 the Governing Body voted to extend Mayor Webber’s Proclamation, pursuant to SFCC 1987, Section 20-1.3(C); and

WHEREAS, on March 23, 2022 the Mayor proclaimed a state of emergency a second time in response to the continuing Public Health Emergency, due to the continued and growing emergency (COVID-19 Proclamation II); and

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2020 the Governing Body adopted amendments to Section 20-1.3 SFCC 1987 that allow the Governing Body to extend the proclamation of emergency by up to sixty (60) days in the event a public health emergency has been declared by the New Mexico

1 Department of Health; and

2 **WHEREAS**, the public health emergency declared by the New Mexico Department of
3 Health continues; and

4 **WHEREAS**, subsequent to the Governing Body’s amendments to Section 20-1.3, the
5 Mayor has proclaimed a state of emergency in response to the continuing public health emergency
6 on May 25, 2020; July 27, 2020; September 28, 2020; November 30, 2020; January 20, 2021; March
7 29, 2021; May 24, 2021; July 12, 2021; August 9, 2021; September 27, 2021; November 8, 2021;
8 December 6, 2021; January 24, 2022; March 7, 2022; and April 25, 2022 (COVID-19
9 Proclamations II through XVII); and

10 **WHEREAS**, according to the New Mexico Department of Health (“NMDOH”) data in
11 Santa Fe County, at least 99% of eligible residents have had at least one dose of COVID-19 vaccine
12 and at least 88% are fully vaccinated¹; and

13 **WHEREAS**, Santa Fe County is experiencing 12.3 average daily cases on a rolling 7-day
14 basis and a positivity rate of 6.8%,² rates that give the County a “medium-low” risk level and
15 require ongoing diligence and City response to ensure continued suppression of the virus; and

16 **WHEREAS**, variant Omicron BA.2 of the COVID-19 virus is currently causing a wave of
17 cases in the United States, but it is not yet clear what impact the variant will have on Santa Fe; and

18 **WHEREAS**, COVID-19 Proclamation I and the resolution extending it, Resolution 2020-
19 10, are attached as Exhibit A; COVID-19 Proclamation II and the resolution extending it are
20 attached as Exhibit B; COVID-19 Proclamation III and the resolution extending it, Resolution
21 2020-20, are attached as Exhibit C; COVID-19 Proclamation IV and the resolution extending it,
22 Resolution No. 2020-30 are attached as Exhibit D; COVID-19 Proclamation V and the resolution
23 extending it, Resolution 2020-39 are attached as Exhibit E; COVID-19 Proclamation VI and the

¹ <https://cgvaccine.nmhealth.org/public-dashboard.html>

² https://covidactnow.org/us/new_mexico-nm/county/santa_fe_county/?s=26201524

1 resolution extending it, Resolution No. 2020-44 are attached as Exhibit F; COVID-19 Proclamation
2 VII and the resolution extending it, Resolution 2021-19 are attached as Exhibit G; COVID-19
3 Proclamation VII and the resolution extending it, Resolution No. 2021-19 are attached as Exhibit
4 H; COVID 19 Proclamation VIII and the resolution extending it, Resolution No. 2021-31 are
5 attached as Exhibit I; COVID-19 Proclamation X and the resolution extending it, Resolution No.
6 2021-40 is attached as Exhibit J, COVID-19 Proclamation XI and the resolution extending it,
7 Resolution No. 2021-47 is attached as Exhibit K; COVID-19 Proclamation XII and the Resolution
8 extending it, Resolution No. 2021-51, is attached as Exhibit L; COVID-1 Proclamation XIII and
9 the resolution extending it, Resolution No. 2021-63 is attached as Exhibit M; COVID-19
10 Proclamation XIV and the resolution extending it, Resolution No. 2021-76 is attached as Exhibit
11 N; COVID-19 Proclamation XV and the resolution extending it, Resolution No. 2022-7 is attached
12 as Exhibit O; Proclamation XVI and the Resolution extending it, Resolution No. 2022-14 is
13 attached as Exhibit P; and COVID-19 Proclamation XVII is attached as Exhibit Q; and


14 **WHEREAS**, if not extended, Proclamation XVII would expire on April 28, 2022; and

15 **WHEREAS**, the Governing Body wishes to extend Proclamation XVII for an additional
16 forty (40) days pursuant to Section 20-1.3(C), an extension that will allow, if needed, reissuance of
17 a proclamation by the Mayor on June 6, 2022, and an extension by the Governing Body on June 8,
18 2022, a regularly scheduled Governing Body meeting.

19 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE**
20 **CITY OF SANTA FE** that Proclamation XVII is hereby extended by forty (40) days from today,
21 expiring at noon on June 6, 2022 pursuant to Section 20-1.3(C).

22 **PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED** this 27th day of April, 2022.
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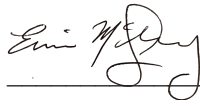
ALAN WEBBER, MAYOR

ATTEST:



KRISTINE MIHELIC, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



ERIN K. McSHERRY, CITY ATTORNEY