



Agenda

Regular Meeting of the
Governing Body
May 27, 2026 at 5:00 PM
City Council Chambers, City
Hall
200 Lincoln Avenue

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1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
 - a. Councilor Bustamante
3. Salute to the New Mexico Flag

- a. Councilor Faulkner
4. Invocation and Rememberances
 - a. Councilor Cassutt
5. Roll Call
6. Approval of Agenda
7. Approval of Consent Agenda
8. Presentations
9. Action Items: Consent Agenda
 - a. Request for Approval of the May 13, 2026, Regular Governing Body Meeting Minutes. (Geraldyn Cardenas, City Clerk; gfcardenas@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- b. Request for Approval of the Liquor Hearing Officer's Recommendation to Approve a Request from Zeng S, LLC for a Restaurant A (Beer & Wine) Liquor License with On-Premises Consumption Only, to be Located at Fu Sushi, 2400 Cerrillos Road, Unit 2428, Santa Fe. (Emily Aragon, Constituent Services Specialist; emaragon@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Liquor Hearing: 05/19/2026

Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- c. Request for Approval of Liquor Hearing Officer's Recommendation to Approve a Request from Barnes Holdings, LLC, for a Transfer of Ownership of Dispenser Liquor License No. DIS-000067 with On-Premises Consumption Only and Patio Service, to be Located at La Casa Sena de Santa Fe, 125 East Palace Avenue, Santa Fe, Which is Within 300 Feet of The Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis Assisi, 131 Cathedral Place, Santa Fe; However, a Waiver is not Required, Because a License has Been Approved at this Location Previously. (Emily Aragon, Constituent Services Specialist; emaragon@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Liquor Hearing: 05/19/2026

Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- d. Request for Approval of Liquor Hearing Officer's Recommendation to Approve a Request from L&W Service Company, LLC, for a Transfer of Ownership and

Location of Inter-Local Dispenser Liquor License No. DIS-000992 with On-Premises Consumption Only, to be Located at Santa Fe Food Market, 150 Washington Avenue, Santa Fe. (Emily Aragon, Constituent Services Specialists; emaragon@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Liquor Hearing: 05/19/2026

Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- e. Request for Approval of Liquor Hearing Officer's Recommendation to Approve a Request from Santa Fe Brewing Co. for the Following:

1. Pursuant to §60-6B-10 NMSA 1978, Consideration of a Waiver of the 300-Foot Location Restriction to Allow Dispensing/Consumption of Beer, Wine and Cider at Franklin Miles Park Located at 1027 Camino Carlos Rey, Field 3, Which is Within 300 Feet of Francis X. Nava Elementary School, 2655 Siringo Road and Property of the City of Santa Fe.

2. If the Waiver of the 300-Foot Location Restriction is Granted, Consideration of a Request to Allow the Dispensing/Consumption of Beer, Wine and Cider at the Fourth of July Firework Celebration Sponsored by Kiwanis Club of Santa Fe, Which will be Held on Saturday, July 4, 2026, with Alcohol Service from 4:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.; with an Expected 500 Attendees, Pursuant to SFCC 1987 §23-6.2(C) and Consistent with NMSA 1978, §60-6A-12. (Geraldyn Cardenas, City Clerk; gfcardenas@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Liquor Hearing: 05/19/2026

Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- f. Request for Approval of a Grant Agreement with New Mexico Office of the State Engineer in the Total Amount of \$1,354,479 for Planning and Design for the Rehabilitation of McClure Dam Award No. MG26-91655 with a Reversion Date of September 24, 2027. (Taylor Jurgens, Engineer; tjjurgens@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Public Works and Utilities: 05/18/2026

Finance Committee: 05/26/2026

Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- g. Request for Approval of Grant Agreement FTA G-34 with the U.S. Department of Transportation via the Section 5307 Operating Assistance Formula Grant Program in the Total Amount of \$2,167,799 through December 31, 2027. (Gabrielle Chavez, Transit Director of Administration; gnchavez@santafenm.gov)

1. Request for Approval of a Budget Adjustment Request (BAR) in the Total Amount of \$2,167,799 from the FTA Grant to Transit Revenue.

Committee Review:

Public Works and Utilities Committee: 05/18/2026

Finance Committee: 05/26/2026

Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- h. Request for Approval of a Budget Adjustment Request (BAR) to Reduce Grant Revenue from the New Mexico Local Match Grant from the New Mexico Department of Finance and Administration in the Total Amount of \$2,558,970 for FY26. (Gabrielle Chavez, Transit Director of Administration; gnchavez@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Public Works and Utilities Committee: 05/18/2026

Finance Committee: 05/26/2026

Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- i. Request for Approval of a Special Appropriation Grant Agreement with the New Mexico Office of the State Engineer to Reimburse Fiscal Year 2026 Costs Associated with Critical Maintenance and Improvements at Nichols Dam in the Total Amount of \$2,000,000 through June 30, 2026. (Jesse Roach, Interim Public Utilities Department Director; jdroach@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Public Works and Utilities Committee: 05/18/2026

Finance Committee: 05/26/2026

Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- j. Request for Approval of a Real Estate Donation Agreement with The Supreme Court Building Commission of The State of New Mexico to Donate the Public Alley Located on the North Side of East De Vargas Street for the Purpose of Enhancing Security of The Supreme Court Building, Its Judges, Staff, and Invitees. (Terry Lease, Asset Development Manager; tjlease@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Finance Committee: 05/26/2026

Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- k. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2026-____. (Councilor Paul Bustamante, Councilor Pilar Faulkner, Councilor Alma Castro, Councilor Jamie Cassutt) A Resolution Ensuring the Availability of Narcan for City of Santa Fe Transit, Library, and Recreation Staff; Requiring Training for Appropriate Employees to Recognize Opioid Overdoses and Administer Narcan; and Directing the City Manager to Identify and Allocate Funding to Maintain the Supply of Narcan Nasal Spray and Training of Narcan.

(Mario Risso, Assistant Fire Chief; mdrisso@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Governing Body (Introduced): 05/13/2026
Public Works and Utilities Committee: 05/18/2026
Quality of Life Committee: 05/20/2026
Governing Body: 05/27/2026

10. Action Items: Discussion Agenda

- a. Request for Ratification of a Grant Agreement with the Federal Highway Administration Section 112 via the New Mexico Department of Transportation in the Total Amount of \$380,368, Including a Local Match of \$54,194.36, for Operating Assistance for the Metropolitan Planning Organization. (Erick Aune, Santa Fe MPO Director; ejaune@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Public Works and Utilities Committee: 05/18/2026
Finance Committee: 05/26/2026
Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- b. Request for Approval of a Memorandum of Agreement with Santa Fe County Designating the City as Lead Agency for Funding Applications, Project Administration and Construction of the Henry Lynch Road Reconstruction and Roundabout Project, Including Portions within County Jurisdiction. (Romella Glorioso-Moss, Complete Streets Capital Project Manager; rsglorioso-moss@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Finance Committee: 05/26/2026
Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- c. Request for Approval of Amendment No. 2 to General Plan Update Contract Item #24-0352 with WSP USA Inc. to Increase the Compensation by \$649,125.00 for a New Total Amount of \$2,691,220.56 to Expedite the Project Schedule, Provide Additional Public Engagement and Enhance Functionality of the Digital User Platform. (Heather Lamboy, Planning and Land Use Department Director; hllamboy@santafenm.gov and Janice Biletznikoff, Long-Range Strategic Planner; jibiletznikoff@santafenm.gov).

Committee Review:

Finance Committee: 05/26/2026
Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- d. Request for Approval of a General Services Contract with Thatcher Company, Inc. for the Purchase of Sodium Hypochlorite Supply to Treat Microorganisms for the Wastewater Treatment Plant in the Total Amount of \$2,000,000 for a

Four-Year Term. (Paul Heerbrandt, P.E, Engineer Supervisor;
pfheerbrandt@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Finance Committee: 05/26/2026

Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- e. Request for Approval of a General Services Contract with PVS DX Inc. for the Purchase of Sodium Hypochlorite Supply to Treat Microorganisms for the Wastewater Treatment Plant in the Total Amount of \$2,000,000 for a Four-Year Term. (Paul Heerbrandt, P.E, Engineer Supervisor;
pfheerbrandt@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Finance Committee: 05/26/2026

Governing Body: 05/27/2026

- f. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2026-____. (Mayor Michael Garcia)
A Resolution Adopting the City of Santa Fe's Fiscal Year 2026/2027 Operating Budget for the City of Santa Fe. (Andy Hopkins, Budget Officer; ajhopkins@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Governing Body (Introduced): 05/13/2026

Special Governing Body (Budget Hearing): 05/14/2026

Special Governing Body (Budget Hearing): 05/15/2026

Finance Committee: 05/26/2026

Governing Body: 05/27/2026

11. Matters from the City Manager

12. Matters from the City Attorney

13. Executive Session Action Items

14. Matters from the City Clerk

15. Communications from the Governing Body

16. Introduction of Legislation

- a. CONSIDERATION OF BILL NO. 2026-11. ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE NO. 2026-____.
(Mayor Michael Garcia and Councilor Alma Castro)
A Bill Relating to the Santa Fe Homes Program and Requirements for Rental Units; Amending Section 26-1.22 to Make Certain Technical Changes, to Clarify the Calculation of Fees Paid in Lieu of Providing On-Site Affordable Units, to Amend the Fee-in-Lieu Calculation to Use Thirty Percent of the Area Median Income Instead of Sixty-Five Percent when Determining Base Fee Amount. (Faviola Chavez, Affordable Housing Director; fachavez@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Governing Body (Introduction): 05/27/2026
Governing Body (Public Comment): 06/10/2026
Quality of Life Committee 06/17/2026
Finance Committee: 06/22/2026
Governing Body (Public Hearing): 07/08/2026

- b. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2026-____. (Mayor Michael Garcia, Councilor Amanda Chavez, and Councilor Jamie Cassutt)
A Resolution Updating Resolution No. 2025-38 to Include Seniors in the Scope of Service at the Micro Community to be Located at 2395 Richards Avenue. (Lia Salaverry, Youth and Family Services Division Director; lasalaverry@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Governing Body (Introduced): 05/27/2026
Quality of Life Committee: 06/03/2026
Governing Body: 06/10/2026

- c. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2026-____. (Councilor Amanda Chavez)
A Resolution Removing "Pilot" Status from the Wellness Leave Pilot Program, Establishing Personnel Rules 13.91 and 13.92 as Permanent, and Adding a Requirement that Employees Complete all Required Trainings to Remain Eligible to Receive Wellness Day Leave. (Alvin Valdez, Benefits and Wellness Manager; aavaldez1@santafenm.gov)

Committee Review:

Governing Body (Introduced): 05/27/2026
Quality of Life Committee: 06/03/2026
Finance Committee: 06/08/2026
Governing Body: 06/10/2026

17. Petitions from the Floor
18. Public Comment on Bills (First Public Comment, No Action)
19. Final Action on Legislation (Public Hearing)
20. Public Hearings (Land Use Cases, Appeals and Other Items Required to Have a Public Hearing)
21. Appointments
22. Adjourn

Closed captions are provided for this meeting. Persons with disabilities in need of additional accommodations, contact the City Clerk's office at 505-955-6521, five (5) working days prior to meeting date.

**SUMMARY OF ACTION
REGULAR MEETING OF THE GOVERNING BODY
TUESDAY, MAY 27, 2026, 5:00 PM
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL
200 LINCOLN AVENUE, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO**

1.	Call To Order	Convened at 5:04 pm	3
2.	Pledge of Allegiance	Councilor Bustamante	3
3.	Salute to the NM Flag	Councilor Faulkner	3
4.	Invocation and Remembrances Councilor Cassutt		3
5.	Roll Call	Quorum	3-4
6.	Approval of Agenda	Approved	4
7.	Approval of Consent Agenda	Approved	4
8.	Presentations	None	4
9.	Action Items: Consent Agenda	Approved	4-7
10.	Action Items: Discussion Items		
	a. Grant Agreement	Approved	7
	b. MOU	Approved	7-8
	c. Amendment	Approved	8
	d. Contract	Approved	8
	e. Contract	Approved	8-9
	f. Resolution No. 2026-_____	Approved	9
11.	Matters from the City Manager	Heard	9
12.	Matters from the City Attorney	None	9
13.	Executive Session Action Items	None	9
14.	Matters from the City Clerk	Heard	9
15.	Comm. From Gov. Body	Heard	9

16.	Introduction of Legislation		
a.	Bill No. 2026-11	Introduced	9-10
b.	Resolution No. 2026-_____	Introduced	10
c.	Resolution No. 2026-_____	Introduced	10
17.	Petitions From the Floor	Heard	10-11
18.	Public Comment on Bills	None	11
19.	Final Action on Legislation	None	11
20.	Public Hearings	None	11
21.	Appointments	None	11
22.	Adjourn	Adjourned at 7:20 pm	11-12

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE GOVERNING BODY
WEDNESDAY, MAY 27, 2026, 5:00 PM
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL
200 LINCOLN AVENUE, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO**

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting of the Governing Body was called to order by Mayor Garcia, at 5:00 pm, on Wednesday, May 27, 2026, in the Council Chambers, City Hall, 200 Lincoln Avenue, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

A. COUNCILOR BUSTAMANTE

Recited.

3. SALUTE TO THE NEW MEXICO FLAG

A. COUNCILOR FAULKNER

Recited.

4. INVOCATION AND REMEMBRANCES

A. COUNCILOR CASSUTT

Given.

5. ROLL CALL

MEMBERS PRESENT

Councilor Jamie Cassutt, virtually
Councilor Alma Castro
Councilor Amanda Chavez
Councilor Lee Garcia
Councilor Pilar Faulkner
Councilor Patricia Feghali
Councilor Elizabeth Barrett
Councilor Paul Bustamante
Mayor Michael Garcia

OTHERS PRESENT

Brian Moya, Interim City Manager
Marcos Martinez, City Attorney
Geraldyn Cardenas, City Clerk
Elizabeth Martin, Stenographer, virtually

6. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION A motion was made by Councilor Faulkner, seconded by Councilor Castro, to approve the agenda as presented.

VOTE The motion passed on a roll call vote as follows:

Councilor Barrett, yes; Councilor Cassutt, yes; Councilor Castro, yes; Councilor Chavez, yes; Councilor Garcia, yes; Councilor Feghali, yes; Councilor Faulkner, yes; Councilor Bustamante, yes.

7. APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA

MOTION A motion was made by Councilor Chavez, seconded by Councilor Faulkner, to approve the consent agenda as presented.

VOTE The motion passed on a roll call vote as follows:

Councilor Barrett, yes; Councilor Cassutt, yes; Councilor Castro, yes; Councilor Chavez, yes; Councilor Garcia, yes; Councilor Feghali, yes; Councilor Faulkner, yes; Councilor Bustamante, yes.

8. PRESENTATIONS

None.

9. ACTION ITEMS: CONSENT AGENDA

A. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF THE MAY 13, 2026, REGULAR GOVERNING BODY MEETING MINUTES

Approved on consent.

B. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF THE LIQUOR HEARING OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION TO APPROVE A REQUEST FROM ZENG S. LLC FOR A RESTAURANT A (BEER AND WINE) LIQUOR LICENSE WITH ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION ONLY, TO BE LOCATED AT FU

SUSHI, 2400 CERRILLOS ROAD, UNIT 2428, SANTA FE.

Approved on consent.

- C. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF LIQUOR HEARING OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION TO APPROVE A REQUEST FROM BARNES HOLDINGS, LLC, FOR A TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP OF DISPENSER LIQUOR LICENSE NO. DIS-000067 WITH ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION ONLY AND PATIO SERVICE, TO BE LOCATED AT LA CASA SENA DE SANTA FE, 125 EAST PALACE AVENUE, SANTA FE, WHICH IS WITHIN 300 FEET OF THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF ST. FRANCIS ASSISI, 131 CATHEDRAL PLACE, SANTA FE; HOWEVER, A WAIVER IS NOT REQUIRED, BECAUSE A LICENSE HAS BEEN APPROVED AT THIS LOCATION PREVIOUSLY.**

Approved on consent.

- D. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF LIQUOR HEARING OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION TO APPROVE A REQUEST FROM L&w SERVICE COMPANY, LLC, FOR A TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP AND LOCATION OF INTER-LOCAL DISPENSER LIQUOR LICENSE NO. DIS-000992 WITH ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION ONLY, TO BE LOCATED AT SANTA FE FOOD MARKET, 150 WASHINGTON AVENUE, SANTA FE.**

Approved on consent.

- E. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF LIQUOR HEARING OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION TO APPROVE A REQUEST FROM SANTA FE BREWING CO. FOR THE FOLLOWING:**
- 1. PURSUANT TO SECTION 60-6B-10 NMSA 1978, CONSIDERATION OF A WAIVER OF THE 300-FOOT LOCATION RESTRICTION TO ALLOW DISPENSING/CONSUMPTION OF BEER, WINE AND CIDER AT FRANKLIN MILES PART LOCATED AT 1027 CAMINO CARLOS REY, FIELD 3, WHICH IS WITHIN 300 FEET OF FRANCIS X. NAVA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 2655 SIRINGO ROAD AND PROPERTY OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE.**
 - 2. IF THE WAIVER OF THE 300-FOOT LOCATION RESTRICTION IS GRANTED, CONSIDERATION OF A REQUEST TO ALLOW THE DISPENSING/CONSUMPTION OF BEER, WINE AND CIDER AT THE FOURTH OF JULY FIREWORK CELEBRATION**

SPONSORED BY KIWANIS CLUB OF SANTA FE, WHICH WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY, JULY 4, 2026, WITH ALCOHOL SERVICE FROM 4:00 PM TO 9:30 PM; WITH AN EXPECTED 500 ATTENDEES, PURSUANT TO SFCC 1987 SECTION 23-6.2 C AND CONSISTENT WITH NMSA 1978, SECTION 60-6A-12.

Approved on consent.

- F. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF A GRANT AGREEMENT WITH NEW MEXICO OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$1,354,479 FOR PLANNING AND DESIGN FOR THE REHABILITATION OF MCCLURE DAM AWARD NO. MG26-91655 WITH A REVERSION DATE OF SEPTEMBER 24, 2027.**

Approved on consent.

- G. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF GRANT AGREEMENT FTA G-34 WITH THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION VIA THE SECTION 5307 OPERATING ASSISTANCE FORMULA GRANT PROGRAM IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$2,167,799 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2027.**
- 1. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF A BUDGET ADJUSTMENT REQUEST (BAR) IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$2,167,799 FROM THE FTA GRANT TO TRANSIT REVENUE.**

Approved on consent.

- H. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF A BUDGET ADJUSTMENT REQUEST (BAR) TO REDUCE GRANT REVENUE FROM THE NEW MEXICO LOCAL MATCH GRANT FROM THE NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$2,558,970 FOR FY26.**

Approved on consent.

- I. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF A SPECIAL APPROPRIATION GRANT AGREEMENT WITH THE NEW MEXICO OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER TO REIMBURSE FISCAL YEAR 2026 COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH CRITICAL MAINTENANCE AND IMPROVEMENTS AT NICHOLS DAM IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$2,000,000 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2026.**

Approved on consent.

- J. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF A REAL ESTATE DONATION AGREEMENT WITH THE SUPREME COURT BUILDING COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO DONATE THE PUBLIC ALLEY LOCATED ON THE NORTH SIDE OF EAST DE VARGAS STREET FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENHANCING SECURITY OF THE SUPREME COURT BUILDING, ITS JUDGES, STAFF, AND INVITEES.**

Approved on consent.

- K. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2026-____. A RESOLUTION ENSURING THE AVAILABILITY OF NARCAN FOR CITY OF SANTA FE TRANSIT, LIBRARY, AND RECREATION STAFF, REQUIRING TRAINING FOR APPROPRIATE EMPLOYEES TO RECOGNIZE OPIOID OVERDOSES AND ADMINISTER NARCAN; AND DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER TO IDENTIFY AND ALLOCATE FUNDING TO MAINTAIN THE SUPPLY OF NARCAN NASAL SPRAY AND TRAINING OF NARCAN.**

Approved on consent.

10. ACTION ITEMS: DISCUSSION AGENDA

- A. REQUEST FOR RATIFICATION OF A GRANT AGREEMENT WITH THE FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION SECTION 112 VIA THE NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$380,368, INCLUDING A LOCAL MATCH OF \$54,194.36, FOR OPERATING ASSISTANCE FOR THE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION.**

MOTION A motion was made by Councilor Chavez, seconded by Councilor Castor, to approve the ratification of a grant agreement with the Federal Highway Administration.

VOTE The motion passed on a roll call vote as follows:

Councilor Barrett, yes; Councilor Cassutt, yes; Councilor Castro, yes; Councilor Chavez, yes; Councilor Garcia, yes; Councilor Feghali, yes; Councilor Faulkner, yes; Councilor Bustamante, yes.

- B. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH SANTA FE COUNTY DESIGNATING THE CITY AS LEAD**

AGENCY FOR FUNDING APPLICATIONS, PROJECT ADMINISTRATION AND CONSTRUCTION OF THE HENRY LYNCH ROAD RECONSTRUCTION AND ROUNDABOUT PROJECT, INCLUDING PORTIONS WITHIN COUNTY JURISDICTION.

MOTION A motion was made by Councilor Chavez, seconded by Councilor Castro, to approve the MOU.

VOTE The motion passed on a roll call vote as follows:

Councilor Barrett, yes; Councilor Cassutt, yes; Councilor Castro, yes; Councilor Chavez, yes; Councilor Garcia, yes; Councilor Feghali, yes; Councilor Faulkner, yes; Councilor Bustamante, yes.

C. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO GENERAL PLAN UPDATE CONTRACT ITEM #24-0352 WITH WSP USA INC. TO INCREASE THE COMPENSATION BY \$649,125.00 FOR A NEW TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$2,691,220.56 TO EXPEDITE FUNCTIONALITY OF THE DIGITAL USER PLATFORM.

MOTION A motion was made by Councilor Faulkner, seconded by Councilor Chavez, to approve Amendment No. 2.

VOTE The motion passed on a roll call vote as follows:

Councilor Barrett, yes; Councilor Cassutt, yes; Councilor Castro, yes; Councilor Chavez, yes; Councilor Garcia, yes; Councilor Feghali, yes; Councilor Faulkner, yes; Councilor Bustamante, yes.

D. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF A GENERAL SERVICES CONTRACT WITH THATCHER COMPANY, INC. FOR THE PURCHASE OF SODIUM HYPOCHLORITE SUPPLY TO TREAT MICROORGANISMS FOR THE WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$2,000,000 FOR A FOUR-YEAR TERM.

MOTION A motion was made by Councilor Chavez, seconded by Councilor Faulkner, to approve the request.

VOTE The motion passed on a roll call vote as follows:

Councilor Barrett, yes; Councilor Cassutt, yes; Councilor Castro, yes; Councilor Chavez, yes; Councilor Garcia, yes; Councilor Feghali, yes; Councilor Faulkner, yes; Councilor Bustamante, yes.

E. REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF A GENERAL SERVICES CONTRACT WITH PVS DX INC. FOR THE PURCHASE OF SODIUM HYPOCHLORITE SUPPLY TO TREAT MICROORGANISMS FOR THE WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$2,000,000 FOR A FOUR-YEAR TERM.

MOTION A motion was made by Councilor Chavez, seconded by Councilor Faulkner, to approve the request.

VOTE The motion passed on a roll call vote as follows:

Councilor Barrett, yes; Councilor Cassutt, yes; Councilor Castro, yes; Councilor Chavez, yes; Councilor Garcia, yes; Councilor Feghali, yes; Councilor Faulkner, yes; Councilor Bustamante, yes.

F. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2026-____. A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE CITY OF SANTA FE'S FISCAL YEAR 2026-2027 OPERATING BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF SANTA FE.

MOTION A motion was made by Councilor Faulkner, seconded by Councilor Chavez, to approve the City of Santa Fe's Fiscal Year 2026-2027 Operating Budget.

VOTE The motion passed on a roll call vote as follows:

Councilor Barrett, yes; Councilor Cassutt, yes; Councilor Castro, yes; Councilor Chavez, yes; Councilor Garcia, yes; Councilor Feghali, yes; Councilor Faulkner, yes; Councilor Bustamante, yes.

11. MATTERS FROM THE CITY MANAGER

Heard.

12. MATTERS FROM THE CITY ATTORNEY

Heard.

13. EXECUTIVE SESSION ACTION ITEMS

None.

14. MATTERS FROM THE CITY CLERK

Heard.

15. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNING BODY

Heard.

16. INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

A. CONSIDERATION OF BILL NO. 2026-11. ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE NO. 2026-_____. A BILL RELATING TO THE SANTA FE HOMES PROGRAM AND REQUIREMENTS FOR RENTAL UNITS; AMENDING SECTION 26-1.22 TO MAKE CERTAIN TECHNICAL CHANGES, TO CLARIFY THE CALCULATION OF FEES PAID IN LIEU OF PROVIDING ON-SIDE AFFORDABLE UNITS, TO AMEND THE FEE-IN-LIEU CALCULATION TO USE THIRTY PERCENT OF THE AREA MEDIAN INCOME INSTEAD OF SIXTY-FIVE PERCENT WHEN DETERMINING BASE FEE AMOUNT.

Introduced.

B. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2026-_____. A RESOLUTION UPDATING RESOLUTION NO. 2025-38 TO INCLUDE SENIORS IN THE SCOPE OF SERVICE AT THE MICRO COMMUNITY TO BE LOCATED AT 2395 RICHARDS AVENUE.

Introduced.

C. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2026-_____. A RESOLUTION REMOVING “PILOT” STATUS FROM THE WELLNESS LEAVE PILOT PROGRAM, ESTABLISHING PERSONNEL RULES 13.91 AND 13.92 AS PERMANENT, AND ADDING A REQUIREMENT THAT EMPLOYEES COMPLETE ALL REQUIRED TRAININGS TO REMAIN ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE WELLNESS DAY LEAVE.

Introduced.

MOTION A motion was made by Councilor Castro, seconded by Councilor Faulkner, to recess the meeting until 7:00 pm and to then reconvene the meeting at item 17, Petitions From the Floor.

VOTE The motion passed on a roll call vote as follows:

Councilor Barrett, yes; Councilor Cassutt, yes; Councilor Castro, yes; Councilor Chavez, yes; Councilor Garcia, yes; Councilor Feghali, yes; Councilor Faulkner, yes;

Councilor Bustamante, yes.

The Governing Body recessed at 5:56 pm.

The Governing Body reconvened at 7:00 pm.

17. PETITIONS FROM THE FLOOR

A person who would not identify himself. He spoke about town halls and free speech and uttered expletives.

Name inaudible. He spoke against pit production.

Elizabeth West. Ms. West spoke to the fee in lieu of legislation and her support of the inclusion of seniors in micro communities and the HDRB meeting last night.

Stephanie Beninato. Ms. Beninato spoke to sidewalk issues, City pools and contract attorneys.

Marsha Emmerton. District 4. Ms. Emmerton spoke to the need for emergency shelters.

Dillon Schwelger. Mr. Schwelger spoke to homelessness and pallet shelter sites.

18. PUBLIC COMMENT ON BILLS

None.

19. FINAL ACTION ON LEGISLATION

None.

20. PUBLIC HEARINGS

None.

21. APPOINTMENTS

None.

22. ADJOURN

There being no further business before the Governing Body, the meeting adjourned at 7:29 pm.

Mayor Michael Garcia

Attested To By:

Geralyn F. Cardenas, City Clerk

Respectfully Submitted By:

Elizabeth Martin

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Elizabeth Martin, Stenographer

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