



# MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING OF  
THE QUALITY OF LIFE  
COMMITTEE  
OCTOBER 20, 2021  
5:00 PM  
VIRTUAL MEETING

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1. **CALL TO ORDER**

2. **ROLL CALL**

**Members Present:**

Councilor Jamie Cassutt  
Councilor Chris Rivera  
Councilor Renee Villarreal  
Councilor Carol Romero-Wirth

**Members Excused:**

Councilor Michael Garcia

**Others Attending:**

Jesse Guillen, Legislative Liaison  
Jamie-Rae Diaz, Clerk  
Kristine Mihelcic, Attendee  
Mary McCoy, Attendee  
Kyle Hibner, Attendee  
Rich Brown, Attendee  
Regina Wheeler, Attendee  
Maria Tucker, Attendee  
Anthony Tapia, Attendee

3. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**MOTION:** Councilor Villarreal moved, seconded by Councilor Cassutt, to approve the agenda as amended.

**VOTE:** The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

**For:** Councilor Cassutt, Councilor Rivera, Councilor Villarreal, Councilor Romero-Wirth



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**Against:** None

**Abstain:** None

Presentation 8a has been removed from the agenda

## 4. APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA

**MOTION:** Councilor Villarreal moved, seconded by Councilor Cassutt, to approve the as amended.

**VOTE:** The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

**For:** Councilor Cassutt, Councilor Rivera, Councilor Villarreal, Councilor Romero-Wirth

**Against:** None

**Abstain:** None

Councilor Villarreal removed item 6b for discussion.

## 5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

### a. October 06, 2021 Meeting Minutes

**MOTION:** Councilor Rivera moved, seconded by Councilor Villarreal, to approve the minutes as presented.

**VOTE:** The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

**For:** Councilor Cassutt, Councilor Rivera, Councilor Villarreal, Councilor Romero-Wirth

**Against:** None



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**Abstain:** None

## 6. ACTION ITEMS: CONSENT

- a. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2021-\_\_\_\_. (Councilor Rivera and Councilwoman Villarreal)  
A Resolution Convening the Independent Citizens' Redistricting Commission and Calling for the Redistricting of the Four City of Santa Fe Council Districts Prior to the Municipal Election on November 7, 2023, Based on the Results From the 2020 United States Census. (Kristine Mihelcic, Community Engagement Director and City Clerk: [kmmihelcic@santafenm.gov](mailto:kmmihelcic@santafenm.gov), 9556846)

**Committee Review:**

Introduced: 09/29/21

Finance Committee: 10/18/21

Quality of Life Committee: 10/20/21

Governing Body: 10/27/21

**MOTION:** Councilor Villarreal moved, seconded by Councilor Cassutt, to approve the resolution as presented.

**VOTE:** The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

**For:** Councilor Cassutt, Councilor Rivera, Councilor Villarreal, Councilor Romero-Wirth

**Against:** None

**Abstain:** None

- b. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2021-\_\_\_\_. (Mayor Webber)  
A Resolution Establishing City of Santa Fe Legislative Priorities for Consideration by the New Mexico State Legislature During the 55<sup>th</sup> Legislature – State of New Mexico –Second Session, 2022. (Regina Wheeler, Public Works Director: [rawheeler@santafenm.gov](mailto:rawheeler@santafenm.gov), 955-6622 and Jesse Guillen, Legislative Liaison: [jbg Guillen@santafenm.gov](mailto:jbg Guillen@santafenm.gov), 955-6518)



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**Committee Review:**

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Finance Committee: 10/18/21

Quality of Life Committee: 10/06/21

Public Works and Utilities Committee: 10/12/21

Governing Body: 10/27/21

**MOTION:** Councilor Villarreal moved, seconded by Councilor Cassutt, to approve the resolution as presented.

**VOTE:** The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

**For:** Councilor Cassutt, Councilor Rivera, Councilor Villarreal, Councilor Romero-Wirth

**Against:** None

**Abstain:** None

- c. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2021-\_\_\_. (Mayor Webber, Councilor Lindell, Councilor Romero-Wirth, Councilor Abeyta, Councilor Cassutt, Councilor Rivera, Councilor Garcia, Councilor Vigil Coppler, and Councilor Villarreal)

A Resolution Waiving the City Personnel Rule's Limitations on Salary Increases for the Purpose of Offering a Wage of at Least Fifteen Dollars Per Hour to All City Employees in November, 2021.

1. Request for Approval of Budget Amendment Resolution in the Total Amount of \$149,862 to Increase Salaries to \$15 Per Hour.

**Committee Review:**

Quality of Life Committee: 10/20/21

Public Works and Utilities Committee: 10/25/21

Governing Body: 10/27/21

**MOTION:** Councilor Villarreal moved, seconded by Councilor Cassutt, to approve the resolution as presented.



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**VOTE:** The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

**For:** Councilor Cassutt, Councilor Rivera, Councilor Villarreal, Councilor Romero-Wirth

**Against:** None

**Abstain:** None

## 7. ACTION ITEMS: DISCUSSION

- a. CONSIDERATION OF BILL NO. 2021-\_\_\_. (Councilor Lindell and Councilor Abeyta)

An Ordinance Relating to the City of Santa Fe Uniform Traffic Ordinance (“UTO”); Amending Section 12-10-1.10 to Insert a Clause Stating That a Person Who Violates a Provision of Section 12-10-1.10 of the UTO is Guilty of a Penalty Assessment Misdemeanor; and to Add and Increase Penalties in Schedule A, the Traffic Violation Penalty Assessment Schedule. (Kyle Hiber, City Prosecutor: kjhibner@santafenm.gov, 955-

**Committee Review:**

Introduced: 09/29/21

Quality of Life Committee: 10/06/21

Finance Committee: 10/18/21

Public Safety Committee: 10/19/21

Quality of Life 10/20/21

Governing Body (Request to Publish): 10/27/21

**MOTION:** Councilor Rivera moved, seconded by Councilor Cassutt, to deny the bill as presented.

**VOTE:** The motion was denied on the following Roll Call vote:

**For:** Councilor Cassutt, Councilor Rivera, Councilor Villarreal, Councilor Romero-Wirth

**Against:** None



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**Abstain:** None

8. **PRESENTATION**

- a. Presentation on Early Childhood Care in Santa Fe  
removed from agenda

9. **MATTERS FROM STAFF**

10. **MATTERS FROM THE COMMITTEE**

11. **MATTERS FROM THE CHAIR**

12. **NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, November 3, 2021**

13. **ADJOURN**

meeting adjourn @ 6:13pm.

*Jamie-Rae Diaz*

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Liaison

Carol Romero-Wirth (Nov 15, 2021 10:34 MST)

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Chair