

State of New Mexico  
County of Grant

RESOLUTION R-13-42

PRUDENT FISCAL PRACTICES

**WHEREAS**, at the end of 2007, the United States entered a severe recession, resulting in revenue shortfalls on both the National and State levels; and

**WHEREAS**, on December 10th, 2008, Robert Apodaca, Director of Local Government Division of the Department of Finance and Administration, sent a memo to all local government entities to adopt policies to protect their fund balances; and

**WHEREAS**, in response to the declining economy, the Grant County Commissioners took a proactive approach rather than a reactive approach and adopted Resolution 08-38, Prudent Fiscal Practices; and

**WHEREAS**, in Resolution 08-38, Prudent Fiscal Practices, the county froze wages, and hiring of non-health and public safety related positions; and

**WHEREAS**, Grant County's fiscal prudence appears to have been effective, as Grant County has remained financially solvent and did not have to conduct any layoffs since the economy took a downturn; and

**WHEREAS**, the Grant County Commissioners desire to rescind Resolution 08-38, Prudent Fiscal Practices.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Grant County Board of Commissioners that Resolution 08-38, Prudent Fiscal Practices, is hereby rescinded.

DONE this 27th day of June 2013, in Silver City, New Mexico.

BOARD OF GRANT COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

  
BRETT KASTEN, CHAIRPERSON

  
GABRIEL RAMOS, MEMBER

  
RON HALL, MEMBER

ATTEST:

  
ROBERT ZAMARRIPA,  
GRANT COUNTY CLERK