

BOARD OF GRANT COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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RESOLUTION NO. 96-05-09-B

**A RESOLUTION  
SUPPORTING THE PURCHASE OF THE SILVER CITY LANDFILL BY THE  
GRANT COUNTY SOLID WASTE AUTHORITY**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Grant County Commissioners recognizes the need within Grant County for a regional landfill to serve the residents of Grant County and the various municipalities therein, and,

**WHEREAS**, Grant County is a member of the Grant County Solid Waste Authority ("Authority"), an entity formed under the authority of the "Joint Power Agreement Act," Sections 11-1-1 et seq. NMSA 1978, and the Solid Waste Act, Section 74-9-1 et seq. NMSA 1978, for the purposes of establishing modern facilities for recycling, transportation and disposal of solid waste and of providing staff, management assistance and planning therefor, in order to provide for the general protection of the health, welfare and safety of the public residing within the County of Grant, including the incorporated municipalities of Silver City, Santa Clara, Bayard and Hurley, New Mexico; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Silver City owns and operates a permitted landfill within Grant County which will serve the needs of the residents of Grant County and the various municipalities; and, whereas, the Town of Silver City wishes to sell the landfill; and,

**WHEREAS**, the purposes for which the Authority was formed require the funding of essential projects including the purchase of real and personal property and construction services; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Authority has received a grant of money from the Solid Waste Facility Grant Fund program to be used for the purchase of landfill equipment;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Grant County Commissioners will support the acquisition of the landfill by the Authority.

**PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of Grant County Commissioners on this 9th day of May, 1996.

ATTEST:

  
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Rena Madrid Cope  
County Clerk & Recorder

Board of Grant County Commissioners

  
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Manuel T. Serna, Chairman