

RESOLUTION #R-04-25 B

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners, pursuant to Section 7-20E-15 may enact an Ordinance imposing a County fire protection excise tax on any person engaging in business in the County for the privilege of doing business; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners may enact such Ordinance only after a vote of the qualified electors of the County voting in an election for such purpose;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners directs the Grant County Clerk to place the following question before the electors at the next general election in both English and Spanish:

“SHALL GRANT COUNTY IMPOSE A FIRE PROTECTION EXCISE TAX OF ONE FOURTH OF ONE PERCENT (.25%) ON THE GROSS RECEIPTS OF ANY PERSON ENGAGED IN BUSINESS IN THE UNINCORPORATED PORTIONS OF GRANT COUNTY FOR THE PRIVELEGE OF ENGAGING IN BUSINESS?”

“IF PASSED BY A MAJORITY OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE COUNTY, THE REVENUE COLLECTED PURSUANT THE COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION EXCISE TAX SHALL BE USED SOLELY FOR THE PURPOSES OF FINANCING AMBULANCE SERVICES, OPERATIONAL EXPENSES AND CAPITAL OUTLAY COSTS OF INDEPENDENT FIRE DISTRICTS.”

APPROVED AND SIGNED this 9th day of September 2004 in Silver City, Grant County, New Mexico.

BOARD OF GRANT COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Henry Torres, Chairman

Charles Kelly, Member

Joseph F. Arellano, Member

Attest:

Mary Ann Sedillo
Grant County Clerk