

State of New Mexico
County of Grant
RESOLUTION R0-06-34

STATE OF NM, GRANT COUNTY
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HOWIE MORALES, COUNTY CLERK
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**RESOLUTION URGING THE LEGLISLATURE TO PASS
THE HEALTH SECURITY ACT**

WHEREAS, the health crisis in New Mexico is growing worse: almost one out of four New Mexicans is uninsured and an untold number are underinsured, including many residents of Grant County; and

WHEREAS, premiums are escalating at double digit rates; co-pays are increasing; and pharmaceutical drug costs are rising; all of which cause the number of uninsured and underinsured New Mexicans to continue to rise; and,

WHEREAS, rising health care costs and the lack of health insurance coverage for so many New Mexicans results in a social and economic burden for the affected families, employers, health care providers, the county of Grant and the state of New Mexico; and,

WHEREAS, decreasing the percentage of state and county expenditures on health care will free up funds to be spent in other sectors such as economic development, education, and the environment; and,

WHEREAS, the Health Security Act offers a comprehensive solution enabling New Mexico to set up its own health care plan that would guarantee that all New Mexicans – regardless of age, employment or health status – will have comprehensive, affordable and quality health coverage; and,

WHEREAS, the Health Security Act, by pooling most New Mexicans into one health risk pool, would substantially contain costs, reduce administrative complexity, eliminate uncompensated care; and,

WHEREAS, the Health Security Act would also allow for bulk purchasing of drugs, provide for the protection of retiree benefits, and would be able to reap the benefits of economies of scale; and,

WHEREAS, 117 New Mexico organizations from all parts of the state endorse the Health Security Act;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Grant County Commission of New Mexico supports the Health Security Act; and,

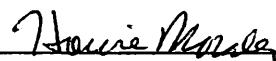
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Grant County Commission will work to ensure passage of the Health Security Act and will urge the NM Association of Counties to make the Health Security Act a legislative priority.

Approved and adopted on this 16th Day of November, 2006, in regular of the Grant County Commission.

Attest:


Joseph F. Arellano

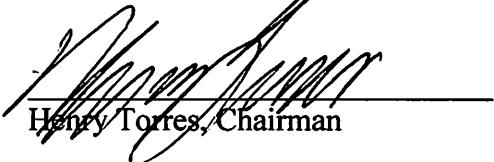
Joseph Arellano, Commissioner


Henry "Howie" Morales

Henry "Howie" Morales, County Clerk


Charles R. Kelly

Charles Kelly, Commissioner


Henry Torres

Henry Torres, Chairman

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF GRANT COUNTY

RESOLUTION NO. R-06-33

SETTING GUIDELINES FOR PARTICIPATION IN NEW MEXICO
ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES (NMAC) CONFERENCES AND OTHER
TRAVEL

WHEREAS, the commission recognizes that the county is a member in NMAC and NMAC holds several conferences throughout the year; and,

WHEREAS, the commission believes it is necessary for county to be represented at these meetings by the commissioners and the managers, assessor, treasurer, sheriff and clerks offices; and,

WHEREAS, the commission recognizes the need for county employees to travel to different conferences throughout the year for professional development and training; and,

WHEREAS, the commission is continually striving to increase the reserves of the county to be able to provide the best services possible to the citizens of the county; and,

WHEREAS, the commission wishes to do what it can to reduce expenditures in the county, so funds are available for projects and roads;

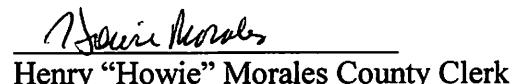
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Grant County Board of Commissioners that all conference registration will be approved by the county manager prior to the registration being made, and all these registrations will be made by the managers department. Also attendance at the NMAC conferences will be limited to one representative from each of the following departments; Commissioners, Manager, Clerk, Assessor, Sheriff and Treasurer. If more than one member from these departments is needed to attend, it must be approved by the commission prior to attendance.

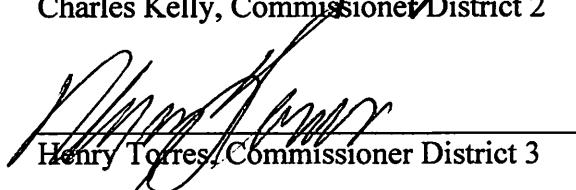
Approved and adopted in a Regular Meeting of the board of Grant County Commissioners on this 16th day of November, 2006


Joseph F. Arellano
Joseph Arellano, Commissioner District 1

Attest:


Charles L. Kelly
Charles Kelly, Commissioner District 2


Henry "Howie" Morales
Henry "Howie" Morales County Clerk


Henry Torres
Henry Torres, Commissioner District 3

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