RESOLUTION #_2003-32

WHEREAS

the 42nd New Mexico State Legislature has provided up to Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000) of the Local Governments Road Fund to be expended in the FY2003/04 for the purchase of New Mexico State Highway Department

Surplus Equipment for Local governments, and

WHEREAS

it is our understanding that if a county can prove financial hardship, they may be approved for an amount of up to

\$25,000 towards highway equipment, and

WHEREAS

the County of Torrance continues to experience financial

hardship at this time, and

WHEREAS

the Department of Finance & Administration, local Government Division, will certify to the financial hardships of our county and the

need for financial assistance, and

NOW THEREFORE,

the governing body of the County of Torrance is hereby requesting the financial assistance offered by the New Mexico State Highway Department so as to purchase used highway equipment, through the emergency rule action pursuant to State Highway Commission in accordance with New Mexico Legislature House Bill SHTD Emergency Rule 93.5

PASSED, ADOPTED, AND APPROVED, this 22nd Day of October, 2003 at Estancia, Torrance County, New Mexico

TORRANCE COUNTY COMMISSION

Chester Riley, Chairman

James Frost, Member

Paul M. (Tito) Chavez, Member

Attest:

Clerk of the Board Linda Jaramillo.