



TORRANCE COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
RESOLUTION NO. 2024- 14

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION
TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION, LOCAL GOVERNMENT
DIVISION FOR THE FY2025 NMDOT TRANSPORTATION PROJECT FUND PROGRAM
FOR APPALOOSA ROAD, TORRANCE COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

WHEREAS, Torrance County and acting by its Commission, is in support of seeking funding assistance, in part for the application of asphalt overlay to be applied to Appaloosa Road for a distance of 2.4 miles; and

WHEREAS, the total requested amount will be \$604,897.74 with a required 5% Torrance County match of \$30,244.89 and the New Mexico Department of Transportation 95% equals \$574,652.85; and

WHEREAS, the Project Oversight Division of the New Mexico Department of Transportation is soliciting applications for the Department Transportation Project Fund (TPF) for fiscal year 2025; and

WHEREAS, the New Mexico Department of Transportation requests as part of the application procedure, passage and submittal of a local government resolution of support for the project.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the governing body of Torrance County supports the preparation and submittal of an application in accordance with the procedures established by the New Mexico Department of Transportation.


DONE THIS 27th DAY OF MARCH 2024.

APPROVED AS TO FORM ONLY:


Michael I. Garcia, County Attorney

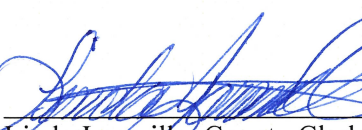
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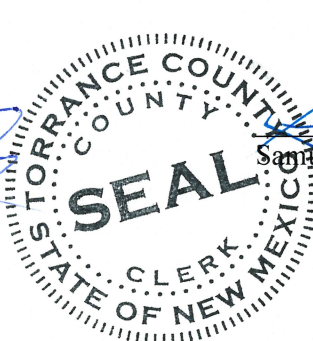

Ryan Schwebach, Chair, District 2


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ATTEST:


Linda Jaramillo, County Clerk

Date: 3/27/24




Samuel D. Schropp, Member, District 3



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March 27, 2024

Ricky Serna
Cabinet Secretary
New Mexico Department of Transportation
P.O. Box 1149
Santa Fe, NM 87504

Dear Secretary Serna,

The Torrance County Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) approved submission of an application for the Transportation Project Fund (TPF) for the Appaloosa Road Improvement Project during its regularly scheduled meeting held March 27, 2024. Torrance County plans to pave Appaloosa Road from Abram Road, proceed north for 2.4 miles to end of project at Charlie Breckenridge Road. Torrance County owns the right of way for the remainder of the road.

Torrance County intends to complete the entire project within one year including planning/design/engineering, road prep, paving, signage, and certification.

The BOCC approved the project total cost of \$604,897.74 anticipating possible fluctuation in costs due to inflation and general price increases. The Department of Transportation's 95% match equals \$574,652.85 and the Torrance County's 5% match equals \$30,244.89. Torrance County has funding available to cover costs exceeding the total award. The BOCC approved the 5% match. Torrance County will not apply for hardship (match waiver).

Torrance County will not use any federal funds to complete the project.

Sincerely,

Janice Y. Barela
County Manager

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Dear Mr. Serna,

The Torrance County Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) approved submission of an application for the Transportation Project Fund (TPF) during its regularly scheduled meeting held March 27, 2024. The approval was for the Appaloosa Road Improvement Project at a total cost of \$604,897.74. The Department of Transportation's 95% match equals \$574,652.85 and the Torrance County's 5% match equals \$30,244.89.

The BOCC approved the 5% match required for the project. Torrance County has sufficient funds available from various sources to meet the match requirements.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Janice Y. Barela".

Janice Y. Barela

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