



MORA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
BOND ELECTION PROCLAMATION AND GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND ELECTION
RESOLUTION No. 2020-020

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners (the "Board") of Mora County, New Mexico (the "County"), has determined to submit to the registered qualified electors of the County at the November 2020 general election the question(s) of the issuance of its general obligation bonds in the maximum amount and for the purposes hereinafter specified without the prior filing of a petition by qualified electors; and,

WHEREAS, it is the opinion of the Board that it is necessary and in the best interests of the residents of the County that there be submitted to a vote of the registered qualified electors of the County the question of whether the County should issue its general obligation bonds for the purposes hereinafter specified at the statewide general election; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, THE GOVERNING BODY OF MORA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. The Board does hereby authorize the submission of the following question(s) to all the qualified electors of Mora County, New Mexico, on the 3rd day of November 2020, as part of the statewide general election ballot:

Shall Mora County, New Mexico, be authorized to issue its general obligation bonds, in one series or more, in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding \$3,500,000 for the purpose of designing, building, improving, furnishing and equipping a County administrative facility, said bonds to be payable from general (ad valorem) taxes to be issued and sold at such time or times, upon such terms and conditions as the Board of County Commissioners may determine and as permitted by law?

Section 2. The bond question(s) listed in Section 1 of this Resolution shall be listed and submitted separately to all qualified registered county electors on a single ballot and shall be so arranged so that a separate tally can be maintained of the votes cast for each question and against each question. Paper ballots shall be used.

Section 3. The paper ballots to be used shall have the submission clause for the bond question(s) set forth in Section 1 of this Resolution, which shall be printed in English and Spanish. Sample ballots with the bond questions, in English and Spanish, shall be placed near the place of voting in plain view of the voters so that the questions may be examined before they vote. The ballot questions shall be in substantially the following form:

[Form of ballot question[s]]

___ FOR ADMINISTRATIVE FACILITY BONDS

___ AGAINST ADMINISTRATIVE FACILITY BONDS

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[End form of ballot question[s]]

Section 4. The Chair [or Vice Chair] of the Board and the County Clerk or a Deputy County Clerk of Mora County, New Mexico, be, and the same hereby are, authorized and directed to take all action necessary to appropriate to effectuate the provisions of the Resolution, including the giving of notice pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 6-15-1 (1959) to the local Government Division of the Department of Finance and Administration are directed to attach a copy of the notice and the reply thereto to the minutes of this meeting.

Section 5. The County Clerk or a Deputy County Clerk is authorized and directed to take all steps necessary for the proper conduct of the election, including the giving of notice to the secretary of state pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 1-16-8 (2018) and are directed to attach a copy of the notice and the reply thereto to the minutes of this meeting.

Section 6. All actions heretofore taken by the Board, the Chair [or Vice Chair] of the Board and the County Clerk or Deputy County Clerk not inconsistent with the provisions of this Resolution be, and the same hereby are, ratified, approved and confirmed.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 26th day of ~~March~~, 2020.



Lionor F. Maestas, Chair



Veronica M. Serna, Vice Chair



Alfonso J. Griego, Member

