



**SIERRA COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2025-42**

**ACCEPTING THE DONATION OF A VINTAGE FIRE TRUCK FROM THE HILLSBORO HISTORICAL SOCIETY FOR DISPLAY AT THE HILLSBORO FIRE STATION**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Commissioners of Sierra County met in a duly noticed, regular meeting on May 20, 2025, at the Sierra County Administration Building, 1712 North Date Street, Truth or Consequences, New Mexico; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 4-38-1, the powers of a county as a body politic and corporate shall be exercised by a Board of County Commissioners; and

**WHEREAS**, NMSA 1978, Section 4-37-1 authorizes counties to exercise all powers necessary and proper to provide for the safety, preserve the health, promote the prosperity, and improve the comfort and convenience of their inhabitants; and

**WHEREAS**, the Hillsboro Historical Society ("HHS"), a New Mexico nonprofit organization, has offered to donate a vintage fire truck (the "Truck") to Sierra County for the purpose of displaying the Truck in front of the Hillsboro Fire Station, consistent with the mutual desires of the County and the community; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Commissioners finds that the donation and display of the Truck will contribute to the historical character and cultural pride of the Hillsboro community, and that such acceptance is in the public interest; and


**WHEREAS**, upon acceptance of the donation, HHS will provide documentation of the transfer of ownership, and the County will assume responsibility for the display and reasonable care of the Truck at the fire station site.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Sierra County that the Board hereby accepts the donation of the vintage fire truck from the Hillsboro Historical Society, with appreciation for its contribution to the cultural heritage of the Hillsboro community, and directs that the truck shall be placed on static display in front of the Hillsboro Fire Station and shall remain in the Hillsboro community.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Sierra County that the County Manager and Fire Chief are hereby directed to coordinate with HHS to complete any necessary documentation and facilitate the proper placement and care of the Truck.

**APPROVED, ADOPTED AND PASSED** this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.

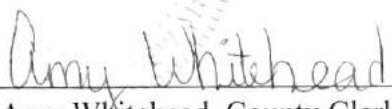
**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SIERRA COUNTY**

  
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Amy Whitehead, County Clerk

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