



**Sierra County Commission  
Albert J Lyon Event Center  
2953 S Broadway, Truth or Consequences, NM 87901  
Tuesday, March 19, 2024**

ALL MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WILL BE ABLE TO WATCH AND LISTEN TO THE  
MEETING VIA:  
(facebook.com/SCEmergencyServices) (Local radio KCHS 101.9)

Call to Order: 10:00 AM Regular Meeting

Roll Call: Travis Day-Chairman Shelly K. Trujillo-Clerk  
James E. Paxon-Vice-Chair Nance, Pato & Stout, LLC-Attorney  
Hank Hopkins -Commissioner Amber Vaughn-County Manager

Pledge of Allegiance

*New Mexico State Flag Pledge-I salute the flag of the State of New Mexico and the Zia symbol  
of perfect friendship among united cultures.*

**Introduction of Guests**

**I. Approval of Agenda**

**II. Approval of Minutes**

A. Regular Meeting – February 20, 2024

**III. Public Comment: Limited to 3 Minutes**

**IV. Consent Agenda:**

A. Resolution No. 110-228 Accounts Payable

B. Resolution No. 110-230 Indigent Claims

C. Claim of Exemption 24-002 (Janice McCravey)

**V. Presentations/Reports:**

A. Years of Service Awards

B. Department Reports

C. Funding to Procure Items under LEPF NMSA Guidelines

**VI. Board of Finance:**

A. March Reconciliation

**VII. Old Business:**

**VIII. New Business:**

A. Transfer of a 1996 Chevrolet 3500 ambulance from Poverty Creek VFD to Winston/Chloride VFD

B. JPA with City of Elephant Butte for Provision of Law Enforcement

C. Letter to Governor urging for Declaration of State of Emergency Regarding Fentanyl Crisis, Human Smuggling and Crime Rates in New Mexico

D. Letter regarding Park Fees

**IX. Contracts-Agreements-Procurement:**

- A. Code 3 Service LLC-Communication Equipment-SPA-Hillsboro Fire
- B. Pete's Equipment Repair, Inc-Bruch Truck-DES-Monticello Fire
- C. Agreement with Jornada RC & D Council Inc. for Natural Resources Related Services Meeting Title III requirements

**X. Resolutions-Ordinances-Proclamations:**

- A. Resolution 110-231 Authorizing the County of Submit an Application to the Department of Finance and Administration Local Government Division to Participate in the Local DWI Grant and Distribution Program
- B. Resolution 110-232 Confirming Sierra County to Participate in the New Mexico Department of Transportation Project Fund Call for Projects
- C. Resolution 110-233 Setting the Salaries of the Chief Deputy Treasurer and the Chief Deputy Assessor
- D. Resolution 110-234 Sierra County Road Mileage Road Certification
- E. Resolution No. 110-229 Budget Adjustment

**XI. Executive Session (Section 10-15 E thru H):**

**Pending and Threatened Litigation:**

Cauoette v. Bd. of County Comm'rs of Sierra County

**Personnel**

**Real Estate:**

**XII. Open Session Actions from Executive Session:**

- A. Adjourn

Next proposed Scheduled Meeting: Regular Meeting, Tuesday, April 16, 2024, at 10:00 AM. Items for the agenda must be submitted to the Sierra County Administration Office no later than 5:00pm on the Monday the week before the meeting.

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