



Sierra County Commission  
Sierra County Commission Chambers  
1712 N. Date Street, Truth or Consequences, NM 87901  
Tuesday, September 16th, 2025

AGENDA

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Call to Order: 10:00 AM Regular Meeting

Roll Call: Travis Day-Chairman Amy Whitehead-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-August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- III. **Public Comment: Limited to 3 Minutes**
- IV. **Consent Agenda:**
  - A. Resolution No. 2025-71 Accounts Payable
  - B. Resolution No. 2025-72 Indigent Claims
  - C. Claim of Exemption 25-003 (Horak)
  - D. Claim of Exemption 25-004 (Taylor)
- V. **Presentations/reports:**
  - A. Years of Service Awards
  - B. Department Reports
  - C. Arevon Energy – Proposed Solar & Storage project in Sierra County
  - D. Fairgrounds Project Update - Pluma
  - E. Opioid Remediation Collaborative Update
- VI. **Board of Finance:**
  - A. August Reconciliation
- VII. **Old Business:**
  - A. Amended Sierra Vista Hospital Joint Powers Agreement
- VIII. **New Business:**
  - A. Road Closure Request-Spaceport Authority-Unmanned Aircraft Test
  - B. Record Destruction -Treasurer
- IX. **Contracts-Agreements-Procurements:**

- A. Intergovernmental Agreement Between Doña Ana and Sierra County for the Housing of Adult Detainees
- B. Amendment to Contract Between Doña Ana County and Sierra County
- C. Mutual Aid Agreement Between U.S. Army Garrison, White Sands Missile Range, NM & Sierra County
- D. Work and Financial Plan between Sierra County and APHIS-WS FY 25/26
- E. Transportation Project Fund Grant Agreement between NMDOT and Sierra County
- F. Amended Opioid Remediation Collaborative Joint Powers Agreement
- G. RY Construction – Poverty Creek Fire Department
- H. Approval of Unauthorized Purchase-Rescue Tactics
- X. **Resolutions-Ordinances-Proclamations:**
  - A. Resolution No. 2025-73 FY26-Budget Adjustment
  - B. Resolution No. 2025-74 Ordering the Imposition of the 2025 Property Tax Rates
  - C. Resolution No. 2025-75 Approving Additional Compensation for the Sierra County Assessor Pursuant to NMSA 1978
  - D. Direction to Publish Title and General Subject Matter of Ordinance No. 2025-005, Amending and Restating the Sierra County Solid Waste Ordinance No. 23-02
- XI. **Executive Session (Section 10-15 E thru H) :**  
**Pending and Threatened Litigation :**
  - A. Mendoza v. BoCC
- XII. **Open Session Actions from Executive Session:**
- XIII. **Adjourn**

Next proposed Scheduled Meeting: Regular Meeting, Tuesday, October 21st, 2025, 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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