



RESOLUTION NO. 06-54

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF TAOS, WAIVER OF EMPLOYEE OR IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBER CONTRACTING WITH THE TOWN OF TAOS

WHEREAS, NMSA 1978, Section 13-1-190, makes it unlawful for a public employee to participate directly or indirectly in a procurement or contract when the employee knows that the employee or any member of his/her immediate family has a financial interest in seeking or obtaining a contract; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 13-1-194, the Town may waive the above Section by publicly disclosing the financial interest of an employee or their immediate family member when the contract can be performed without actual or apparent bias or favoritism, and participation by the employee or immediate family member is in the best interest of the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Town is proposing to contract with Yavanne Jaramillo, an employee of the Town of Taos Transportation Division.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Town Council of the Town of Taos:

The Town hereby waives Section 13-1-190 as it relates to Yavanne Jaramillo pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 13-1-194 by allowing her to contract with the Town of Taos, as long as the Town complies with the Procurement Code in all applicable areas and the Town has no apparent bias or favoritism.


The Town hereby finds that Yavanne Jaramillo an employee of the Town of Taos, has no part in the selection process of individuals and other entities entering into contracts or leases with the Town of Taos and therefore there is no conflict with the aforementioned employee entering into contracts or leases with the Town.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Town Council through adoption of this Resolution is publicly disclosing the financial interest and relationship of an employee who is contracting with the Town of Taos;

PASSED, RESOLVED and APPROVED this 15th day of August, 2006 at the Regular Meeting of the Town of Taos Council.


BOBBY F. DURAN, Mayor

ATTESTED:


Renee Lucero, Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Renee Barela-Gutierrez, Attorney