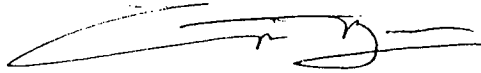


1 CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

2 RESOLUTION NO. 1994-49

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10 A RESOLUTION

11 SUPPORTING AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STUDY AND ANALYSIS OF  
12 ALTERNATIVES AT LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL LABORATORY

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14 WHEREAS, Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) is currently undergoing  
15 a change in its overall mission within the United States Nuclear Weapons Complex,  
16 brought on by the ending of the Cold War; and

17 WHEREAS, LANL'S traditional roles of weapons research, development and  
18 testing are presently being reexamined by Congress, by the Department of Energy  
19 (DOE) and by the Department of Defense (DOD); and

20 WHEREAS, new roles are being considered for LANL, such as the production  
21 and replacement of nuclear warheads for the arsenal; and

22 WHEREAS, there is a need to consider environmental impacts, and allow for  
23 a process of public comment, before decisions are made about new major projects  
24 at LANL; and

25 WHEREAS, the City of Santa Fe believes that it is appropriate to protect the

1 well-being of its citizens and community; and

2 WHEREAS, the citizens of northern New Mexico deserve no less than full  
3 consideration under the law of LANL's future and potential impact on our  
4 community.

5 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY  
6 OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE that:

7 1. The City of Santa Fe supports a transition of LANL in the post-Cold  
8 War era toward research and development that emphasizes peacetime, civilian and  
9 industrial applications; work that will benefit our national security in the areas of  
10 energy use, non-proliferation of nuclear and other weapons of mass destruction, and  
11 waste management.

12 2. The City of Santa Fe requests that all applicable environmental laws  
13 be obeyed by the DOE, and appropriate (and legally mandated) citizen participation  
14 be actively supported in the determination of the future mission and function of  
15 LANL.

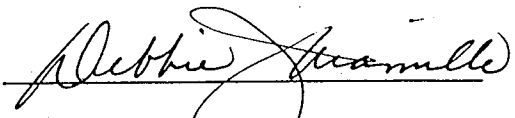
16 3. The City of Santa Fe requests that a site-wide Environmental Impact  
17 Study and National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) analysis be completed of  
18 LANL's future, prior to any Congressional or DOE actions which could prejudice the  
19 outcome of public and local government participation, and prior to any new major  
20 construction activities, including waste disposal facilities at LANL as requested in the  
21 letter to the DOE Secretary Hazel O'Leary, dated April 28, 1994, signed by the Eight  
22 Northern Pueblos Council, community, labor, religious and environmental  
23 organizations representing over 20,000 citizens of the State of New Mexico.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that it is the intent of the governing body of

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the City of Santa Fe to state its strong belief in examining what future the people of northern New Mexico envision for themselves and their children.

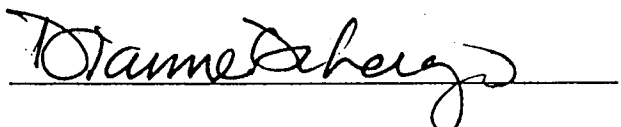
PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 13 day of July, 1994.

  
DEBBIE JARAMILLO, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
FRANCES ROMERO GRIFFIN, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
DIANNE DELAYO, DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY