

## **RESOLUTION OF SPONSORSHIP**

### **For a <name of funding program (RTP, TAP or CMAQ)> Application and Maintenance Commitment**

**Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_**

**A resolution declaring the eligibility and intent of the <name of sponsoring entity> to submit an application to the New Mexico Department of Transportation for Federal Fiscal Year 2023+ <name of funding program (RTP, TAP or CMAQ)> funds.**

**Whereas**, the <name of sponsoring agency>, New Mexico, has the legal authority to apply for, receive and administer federal funds; and,

**Whereas**, the <name of sponsoring agency>, is submitting an application for Federal Fiscal Year 2023/2024 (FFY23/24) New Mexico <name of funding program (RTP/TAP/CMAQ)> funds in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_,\_\_\_\_, as set forth by the Federal legislation, Fixing America’s Surface Transportation (FAST) Act, and as outlined in the FFY 23+ New Mexico TAP/RTP or CMAQ Guide; and,

**Whereas**, the <identify project(s)> named in the <name of funding program (RTP or TAP)> application are eligible project(s) under New Mexico <name of funding program (RTP or TAP)> and the FAST Act; and,

**Whereas**, the <name of sponsoring agency>, acknowledges availability of the required local match of 14.56% and the availability of funds to pay all costs up front, as <name of funding program (RTP or TAP)> is a cost reimbursement program; and,

**Whereas**, the <name of sponsoring agency>, agrees to pay any costs that exceed the project amount if the application is selected for funding; and,

**Whereas**, the <name of sponsoring agency>, agrees to maintain all project(s) constructed with <name of funding program (RTP or TAP)> funding for the useable life of the project(s);

**Now, therefore be it resolved by the governing body** of the <name of sponsoring agency>, that:

**1.** The <name of sponsoring agency>, authorizes <agency representative> to submit an application for FFY23+ New Mexico <name of funding program (RTP, TAP or CMAQ)> funds in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_,\_\_\_\_ from the New Mexico Department of Transportation (NMDOT) on behalf of <name of sponsoring agency>.

**2.** That the <name of sponsoring agency>, assures the NMDOT that if <name of funding program (RTP or TAP)> funds are awarded, sufficient funding for the local match and for

upfront project costs are available, since <name of funding program (RTP/TAP/CMAQ)> is a reimbursement program, and that any costs exceeding the award amount will be paid for by <name of sponsoring agency>.

3. That the <name of sponsoring agency>, assures the NMDOT that if awarded <name of funding program (RTP, TAP or CMAQ)> funds, sufficient funding for the operation and maintenance of the <name of funding program (RTP, TAP or CMAQ)> project will be available for the life of the project.

4. That the <agency representative> of <name of sponsoring agency>, is authorized to enter into a Cooperative Project Agreement with the NMDOT for <name of funding program (RTP, TAP or CMAQ)> projects using these funds as set forth by the FAST Act on behalf of the citizens of <name of agency>. The <agency representative> is also authorized to submit additional information as may be required and act as the official representative of the <name of sponsoring agency> in this and subsequent related activities.

5. That the <name of sponsoring agency>, assures the NMDOT that the <name of sponsoring agency>, is willing and able to administer all activities associated with the proposed project.

**PASSED, ADOPTED, AND APPROVED** this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

<name of sponsoring agency>

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<agency representative>, <title>

ATTEST:

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<name>, <clerk or other appropriate entity staff>