

INCORPORATED COUNTY OF LOS ALAMOS RESOLUTION NO. 19-09

**A RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT AUTHORIZING APPLICATION
FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT TRANSPORTATION PROJECT FUNDS**

WHEREAS, in the 2019 New Mexico Legislative Session, House Bill 694 was passed and signed by Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham; and

WHEREAS, this legislation created the Local Government Transportation Project Fund, which appropriated Fifty Million Dollars (\$50,000,000.00) for qualifying projects, as defined in statute; and

WHEREAS, on April 30, 2019, the New Mexico Department of Transportation (“NMDOT”) issued a “Call for Projects” letter to the Metropolitan and Regional Transportation Planning Organizations providing general parameters for this program, an application, and application submission deadline; and

WHEREAS, the Incorporated County of Los Alamos (“County”) is a member of the Northern Pueblos Regional Transportation Planning Organization and eligible to apply for and receive state assistance; and

WHEREAS, the County’s transportation infrastructure is in need of repair to continue to serve residents and schools, and support economic development, tourism and the mission of the Los Alamos National Laboratory and U.S. National Park Service; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the County supports the rehabilitation of NM 502/Trinity Drive from Diamond Drive to Oppenheimer Drive, NM 4/East Jemez Road Intersection Improvements, and DP Road Improvements (“Projects”) and shall provide required matching funds if State funds are awarded.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Incorporated County of Los Alamos that:

Section 1. The County Engineer of the Incorporated County of Los Alamos is authorized to submit applications for funding assistance through the Local Government Transportation Project Fund.

Section 2. The County Manager of the Incorporated County of Los Alamos is authorized to execute the Cooperative Agreements to obtain funds for the Projects.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 11th day of June, 2019.

**COUNCIL OF THE INCORPORATED
COUNTY OF LOS ALAMOS**

**Sara C. Scott,
Council Chair**

ATTEST:

**Naomi D. Maestas,
Los Alamos County Clerk**