STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LEA RESOLUTION NO. 23-APR-113R

A RESOLUTION APPROVING A SELL BACK OF ANNUAL AND SICK LEAVE POLICY FOR EMPLOYEES EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2023

WHEREAS, Lea County values all employees that work for the County; and

WHEREAS, Lea County strives to be an employer of choice able to compensate its employees competitively within the current economic environment; and

WHEREAS, Lea County strives to provide a comprehensive salary and benefit package for all employees; and

WHEREAS, Lea County recognizes the need for employees to take time off throughout the year for various reasons; *and*

WHEREAS, Lea County attempts to attract and retain qualified individuals for all positions with its comprehensive salary and benefits package; *and*

WHEREAS, the Lea County Board of County Commissioners conservatively monitors and adjusts the County's budget in an effort to compensate its employees so that they may enjoy a quality of life within the County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Lea County that a sell back of both annual and sick leave balances program for regular, full-time employees is hereby approved.

Attachment A – Annual and Sick Leave Sell Back Policy

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Commission Chair and/or County Manager may finalize and sign any agreements consistent with the terms of this resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED on this 13th day of April, 2023, by the Lea County Board of County Commissioners in an open meeting in Lovington, New Mexico.

LEA COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Dean Jackson (District 1), Chair

Voted: Yes No Abstair

Gary G. Eidson (District 3), Vice Chair

Voted: Yes No Abstain

Brad Weber (District 2), Member Voted: Yes No Abstain

Jonathan Sena (District 4), Member Voted: Yes Abstain No

Pat Sims (District 5), Member Voted: Yes No Abstain

ATTEST:

Keith Manes Lea County Clerk

Cynthia Ramirez, Deputy Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

John W. Caldwell, County Attorney