

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LEA
RESOLUTION NO. 22-MAY-106R**

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE EQUIPMENT RECORDING FEE IN THE
LEA COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE**

WHEREAS, at a regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Lea held on May 12, 2022, the following was discussed; *and*

WHEREAS, Section 14-8-12.2 and 14-8-15, New Mexico Statutes Annotated, 1978 as amended, allows the County Clerk to charge an equipment recording fee; *and*

WHEREAS, a request to continue to charge an equipment recording fee of seven dollars (\$7.00) per recorded document or filed plat was presented for approval; *and*

WHEREAS, amounts collected from the equipment recording fee shall be deposited into a County Clerk recording and filing fund which is established by the County for such deposits; *and*

WHEREAS, the equipment recording fee and expenditures from the County Clerk recording and filing fund shall be determined annually by the County Clerk and approved by the Board of County Commissioners; *and*

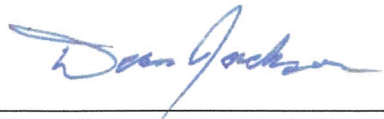
WHEREAS, the equipment recording fee shall be expended only:

- (1) to rent, purchase, lease or lease-purchase recording equipment and for supplies, training and maintenance for such equipment;
- (2) to rent, purchase, lease or lease-purchase equipment associated with all regular duties in the county clerk's office and for supplies, training and maintenance for such equipment;
- (3) to rent, purchase, lease or lease-purchase vehicles associated with all regular duties in the county clerk's office and for supplies, training and maintenance for such vehicles, provided that the county clerk shall report annually to the board of county commissioners the usage, mileage and necessity of all vehicle acquired pursuant to this paragraph; *or*
- (4) for technical assistance, staff travel and training associated with all regular duties of the county clerk's office; *or*
- (5) For staff travel associated with all regular duties of the county clerk's office pursuant to the Per Diem and Mileage Act.

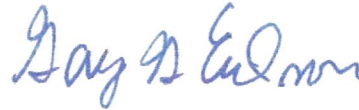
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Lea County that the request for the Lea County Clerk to charge a seven-dollar (\$7.00) equipment recording fee per each \$25.00 collected is hereby approved.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED on this 12th day of May, 2022, by the Lea County Board of County Commissioners in an open meeting in Lovington, New Mexico.

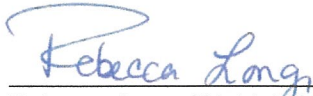
LEA COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Dean Jackson (District 1), Chair
Voted: Yes No Abstain



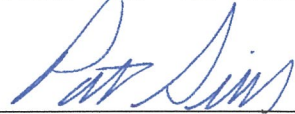
Gary G. Eidson (District 3), Vice Chair
Voted: Yes No Abstain



Rebecca Long (District 2), Member
Voted: Yes No Abstain




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

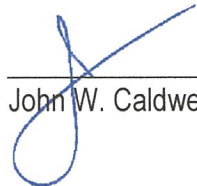


Pat Sims (District 5), Member
Voted: Yes No Abstain

ATTEST: Keith Manes
Lea County Clerk

**APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL
SUFFICIENCY:**

By: 
Teri Davis, Deputy Clerk


John W. Caldwell, County Attorney

