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**Minutes of the Board of County Commissioners Special Meeting held on May 26, 2022, at 9:30 am
in the Commissioners Board Room, 6693 County Road 13, Conejos, CO 81129**

Comm. Jarvies called the meeting to order at 9:30 am

Mitchell Jarvies – Chairperson – Present
Carlos Garcia - Vice Chair – Present
Joseph Baroz – Vice Chair – Present

Present: Nathan Ruybal-Clerk and Recorder, Nick Sarmiento-County Attorney, Connie Ricci-HR Director, Tressesa Martinez-County Administrator - **ALL PRESENT**

Pledge of Allegiance: Comm. Jarvies led everyone on the Pledge of Allegiance.

Prayer: Comm. Garcia gave the opening prayer.

Approval of Agenda:

Add Discussion regarding Guadalupe Water Association Update
Motion to approve Agenda as amended
Comm. Baroz First Motion
Comm. Garcia Second Motion
Motion Carries 3-0

Public Comment:

- No Public Comment.

Guadalupe Village Water Discussion – Carlos Garcia

- Comm. Garcia has been in communication with Peter Duarte regarding the water supply issue with the Village of Guadalupe.
- Comm. Garcia networked the village with Tanelle Baroz to discuss a grant to help with the cost of engineering a plan to help with the water situation.
- Plan is to link the village of Guadalupe to the Town of Antonito water supply.

9:45am

Motion to enter Executive Session 24-6-402 Sub Section B Conference with an Attorney to Discuss Legal Counsel regarding unclaimed body of a deceased county citizen.

Comm. Garcia first motion

Comm. Baroz second motion

Motion Carries 3-0

Nick Barela will be part of Executive Session since deceased citizen was first brought to his attention.

10:15am

Comm. Jarvies - Let the record reflect that we are coming out of Executive Session conference with an Attorney, no decisions were made.

Attorney Sarmiento – It is the opinion of the County Attorney that the discussion had an Executive Session constitute Attorney and Client privilege and therefore no record was kept.

Nick Barela discusses that Monday May 24th, 2022, County Coroner Richard Martin that Mr. Alan Andrews was found deceased.

Comm. Jarvies comments that after legal counsel from Attorney Sarmiento that Conejos County will take custody of Mr. Andrews.

Comm. Jarvies additionally adds that Mr. Andrews did serve in the military and the Conejos County VA Director Robert Lockwood is looking into assistance with burial and headstone from the military benefits.

Comm. Jarvies asks for a motion to allow VA Director Mr. Lockwood and County Attorney Sarmiento to work on the burial services for Mr. Andrews.

Comm. Garcia First Motion

Comm. Baroz Second Motion

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Work Session will be set up to discuss Road and Bridge Salaries.


No title insurance yet for purchase of Romeo Sand and Gravel, Attorney Sarmiento will extend closing dates if needed.

Ambulance Contract with A&B Mars brief discussion about termination of contract.

Meeting Adjourned 10:21am

ATTEST:


Nathan Ruybal
Clerk of the Board


~~Joseph Baroz~~
Chair of BOCC
Mitchell Jarvies