



TAOS COUNTY  
RESOLUTION NO. 2026-5

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**AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION, LOCAL GOVERNMENT DIVISION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE LOCAL DWI GRANT AND DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM.**

**WHEREAS** the Legislature enacted Section 11-6A-1 through 11-6A-6 NMSA 1978 as amended to address the serious problems of Driving While Intoxicated (DWI) in the State; and

**WHEREAS** a program is established to make grant and distribution funding available to counties and municipalities for new, innovative, or model programs, services, or activities to prevent or reduce the incidence of DWI, alcoholism, alcohol abuse, and alcohol-related domestic abuse; and

**WHEREAS** the County DWI planning council and other governmental entities approval must be received in order to apply for grant and distribution funding; and

**WHEREAS** the County along with participating agencies is making applications to the Department of Finance and Administration, Local Government Division for program funding; and

**WHEREAS** upon receipt of the grant agreement from the Department of Finance and Administration, Taos County will execute a memorandum of understanding with said department.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the governing body of Taos County, the Board of County Commissioners, that the County Chairperson, on behalf of the County and all participating entities, is authorized to submit an application for Distribution and/or Grant Fiscal Year 2027 program funding under the regulations established by the Local Government Division.

**PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED, this 6th day of January, 2026.**

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF TAOS COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

  
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Chairperson

**Attest:**

  
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Valerie Montoya, Taos County Clerk

VOTE RECORD:				
FR Bob Romero	<u>yes</u>	no	abstain	absent
M. Romero Jr.	<u>yes</u>	no	abstain	absent
D. Vigil	<u>yes</u>	no	abstain	absent
A. Brush	<u>yes</u>	no	abstain	absent
R. Mascareñas	<u>yes</u>	no	abstain	absent

**Approved as to legal form:**

  
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Patrick Trujillo, Contract County Attorney

