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Minutes of the Board of Conejos County Commissioners Special Meeting held on July 28, 2021, at 8:00 am in the Commissioners Board Room, 6693 County Road 13, Conejos, CO 81129

Comm. Jarvies called the meeting to order at 8:00 am

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

Present: Tressesa Martinez – County Admin, Nick Sarmiento-County Attorney, Connie Ricci-HR Director, and Nathan Ruybal Clerk and Recorder all present.

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

Prayer: Comm. Garcia gave the opening prayer.

Approval of Agenda:

Motion to approve agenda as presented

Comm. Baroz makes motion to approve agenda as presented.

Comm. Garcia 2nd Motion

Motion Carries 3-0

Approval of Minutes

No Minutes to Approve

Public Comment

No Public Comment

County Attorney

- Nathan Combs spoke about the water on the County Roads.
 - Wants to work with us to get the water off the roads.
 - Will work with Donnie from Road and Bridge.
 - Stop watering roads with end guns on sprinklers.

Executive Session to discuss Settlement Agreement

- 8:12am break into Exec. Session
- 8:27am return from Exec. Session

County Attorney-continued

Attorney Sarmiento asking for a motion that the BOCC grant him authorization for signatory and settlement permission to complete the settlement.

Comm. Baroz 1st motion
Comm. Garcia 2nd Motion


Motion Carries 3-0


Discussion on the resolution made by Attorney Sarmiento for the County Wide Sales Tax Ballot Question.

Topics of Discussion

- State Statute of ballot language.
- Restricted use for tax are Sheriff and Ambulance.
- Must be in English and Spanish.
- Improving Or maintaining – ballot language.
- How the Use Tax will work.
- How the sales tax will work.
- Adding staff to land use office to handle Use Tax.
- Clerk and Recorder's Office will easily collect sales and use tax on all automotive sales.
- Round Table to understand how use tax works for Conejos County.
- Publishing the resolution in the Valley Courier.
- TABOR Notices

ATTEST:


Nathan Ruybal
Clerk of the Board


Mitchell Jarvies
Chair of BOCC