

June 28, 2023

Regular Meeting

The Colfax County Board of Commissioners met on this date in Regular Session in the Commission Chambers with the following members present:

Si Trujillo, Chairman  
Mary Lou Kern, Vice-Chairman  
Bret Wier, Member  
Rayetta M. Trujillo, County Clerk  
Monte Gore, County Manager

1. Call to Order

Chairman Trujillo called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

Commissioner Wier led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Salute to the New Mexico Flag

Commissioner Kern led the Salute to the New Mexico Flag.

4. Approve Agenda

Commissioner Kern made a motion to approve the agenda as amended postponing Item 14 - Request for Promotional Funding, Blu Dragonfly Brewing LLC, Annual Car, and Swap Meet. Commissioner Wier seconded the motion. Chairman Trujillo asked for a roll call vote, the Clerk polled the Commissioners. Commissioner Kern – aye, Commissioner Trujillo – aye, and Chairman Wier – aye. The motion carried unanimously.

5. Approve Public Hearing Minutes for May 9, 2023, Special Meeting Minutes for June 6, 2023, Regular Meeting Minutes for June 6, 2023, Special Meeting Minutes for June 20, 2023, and Budget Hearing Meeting Minutes for June 20, 2023

Chairman Trujillo asked if the Commissioners had any comments or corrections on the Public Hearing Minutes for May 9, 2023, Special Meeting Minutes for June 6, 2023, Regular Meeting Minutes for June 6, 2023, Special Meeting Minutes for June 20, 2023, and Budget Hearing Meeting Minutes for June 20, 2023. Commissioner Kern made a motion to approve the Public Hearing Minutes for May 9, 2023, Special Meeting Minutes for June 6, 2023, Regular Meeting Minutes for June 6, 2023, Special Meeting Minutes for June 20, 2023, and Budget Hearing Meeting Minutes for June 20, 2023, as presented. Commissioner Wier seconded the motion. Chairman Trujillo asked for a roll call vote, the Clerk polled the Commissioners. Commissioner Kern – aye, Commissioner Wier – aye, and Chairman Trujillo – aye. The motion carried unanimously.

6. Recognize Visitors

Chairman Trujillo thanked everyone for attending the meeting. Others present: Sara Torres, Todd Tatum, Leonard Baca, Timothy Martinez, Rob Morper, Tina Colangelo, Nick Cardenas, Ambrosia Trujillo, Joana Apodaca, Glen Stevens, Kristi Graham, Amadeo Soto, Virginia Strohm, Jim Kowlsky, Kristi Graham, Tabitha Avitia, Mora Martinez, and via electronic device – Jun Roh.

7. Public Comment

Chairman Trujillo asked if there were any requests or responses from the audience on anything that was not on the agenda. Todd Tatum gave an update on the trash situation in the Moreno Valley and in Ute Park. Glen Stevens, Road Superintendent, gave an update on the flooding at Blosser Gap Bridge, FO Ranch and the Tinaja River Crossing.

8. Closed Session Pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 10-15-1H (7), Pending Litigation, Declaratory Judgement Action, Special Assessment for State Health Care Benefits

Commissioner Kern made a motion to go into Closed Session Pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 10-15-1H (7), Pending Litigation, Declaratory Judgement Action, Special Assessment for State Health Care Benefits. Commissioner Wier seconded the motion. Chairman Trujillo asked for a roll call vote, the Clerk polled the Commissioners. Commissioner Kern – aye, Commissioner Wier – aye, and Chairman Trujillo – aye. The motion carried unanimously. Commission went into Closed Session at 9:22 a.m.