

VALENCIA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

BUSINESS MEETING

AUGUST 4, 2021

Valencia County Commission Chambers, 444 Luna Ave., Los Lunas, NM 87031

PRESENT	ABSENT
Gerard Saiz, Chairman	
Jhonathan Aragon, Vice-Chair	
David A. Hyder, Member	
	Troy Richardson, Member
Joseph Bizzell, Member	
Danny Monette, County Manager	
Adren Nance & Dave Pato, County Attorneys	
Michael Milam, County Clerk	
Press and Public	

- 1) The meeting was called to order by Chairman Saiz at 5:00 P.M.
- 2) Mr. Lawson led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mr. Monette stated that Commissioner Richardson will not be present for tonight's meeting.

3) Approval of Agenda

Commissioner Aragon moved for approval. Seconded by Commissioner Hyder. Roll call vote. Commissioner Bizzell voted yes. Commissioner Hyder voted yes. Commissioner Aragon voted yes. Chairman Saiz voted yes. Motion carried 4-0.

**4) Approval of Minutes: July 7, 2021- Emergency Meeting
July 15, 2021- Special Business Meeting**

Commissioner Aragon requested that each set of minutes be acted on individually.

Commissioner Bizzell moved for approval of the July 7th minutes. Seconded by Commissioner Hyder. Roll call vote. Commissioner Bizzell voted yes. Commissioner Hyder voted yes. Commissioner Aragon abstained. Chairman Saiz voted yes. Motion carried 3-0.

Commissioner Bizzell moved for approval of the July 15th minutes. Seconded by Commissioner Hyder. Roll call vote. Commissioner Bizzell voted yes. Commissioner Hyder voted yes. Commissioner Aragon voted yes. Chairman Saiz voted yes. Motion carried 4-0.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Members of the public, Dave and Vanessa, both spoke during the public comment portion of the meeting. (public comment inaudible via recording)

DISCUSSION (NON-ACTION) ITEM(S):

5) Commissioners, Committees and Reports.

Commissioner Bizzell thanked everyone that was involved in last night's National Night Out event, it was great to see law enforcement out there interacting with the community.

Chairman Saiz stated that the county was well represented for the National Night Out event. He reported that he along with Commissioner Bizzell attended a meeting that the Governor held in Belen last Friday. The governor has committed to enhancing healthcare in Valencia County, she wants to work closely with the county and the mill levy funds and would like information from the feasibility study that the county is currently working on.

Commissioner Bizzell stated that the Governor has assured them that there will be more meetings in the future where the county and surrounding municipalities will be invited.

Employee of the Month: August 2021. Presenter: HR Director, Orlando Montoya

Mr. Montoya recognized Mike Lawson from the Building and Grounds department as the employee of the month, Mr. Lawson is a jack of all trades and a great employee. Frankie Cordova thanked Mr. Lawson for his hard work, it is appreciated.