

RESOLUTION NO. 2014-25

A RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT THE STANLEY CYCLONE CENTER

WHEREAS, Santa Fe County (the County), through then Commissioner Mike D. Anaya, developed the concept of the Stanley Cyclone Center, approximately seven years ago;

WHEREAS, the Stanley Cyclone Center is an eleven acre County-owned facility located off of New Mexico Highway 41 at 22 West Kinsell Avenue (County Road 31A) in the heart of Stanley, New Mexico;

WHEREAS, within the past four years the County has begun implementation of this phased project by completing Phase I of the Stanley Cyclone Center, consisting of approximately ½ a mile of 3 rail white fence with a no climb horse wire around the 11 acre property and a 1050 square foot modular building that is a community meeting space anticipated to be used by 4-H, Future Farmers of America (FFA) and other youth and community based organizations;

WHEREAS, Phase II of the Cyclone Center is anticipated to include a 51,232 square foot indoor arena for equestrian events and rodeo events such as roping, steer wrestling, barrel racing, bull riding and bronco riding. The arena will also be used by community members in preparation for the County and the State fair, and other youth competitions. The arena is planned to have spectator seating, concession areas, and office and meeting space;

WHEREAS, future phases of the Cyclone Center may include small show barns, an outdoor practice/equestrian arena, RV hook-ups, a dump station and full bathroom/shower facilities;

WHEREAS, 80 to 90 percent of all youth that participate in Santa Fe County's youth programs and area 4-H programs, are youth that travel north-bound several miles from southern Santa Fe County to the Santa Fe County Fairgrounds in the City of Santa Fe; and

WHEREAS, because the Stanley Cyclone Center is located in the heart of southern Santa Fe County and in close proximity to Interstate 40, community members throughout southern Santa Fe County will no longer have to travel to the Santa Fe County Fairgrounds to participate in equestrian events, such as those anticipated to be held at the Stanley Cyclone Center.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY FOR THE TOWN OF EDGEWOOD TO SUPPORT THE STANLEY CYCLONE CENTER

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 19th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2014


Brad E. Hill, Mayor

ATTEST:


Estefanie B. Muller, CMC, Clerk-Treasurer