Capitol Buildings Planning Commission of the State of New Mexico

Open Meetings Resolution

WHEREAS, the Capitol Buildings Planning Commission met in regular session on April 16, 2021 pursuant to statute; and

WHEREAS, Section 10-15-1(B) NMSA 1978 of the Open Meetings Act (Sections 10-15-1 through 10-15-4 NMSA 1978) states that, except as may be otherwise provided in the constitution or the provisions of the Open Meetings Act, all meetings of a quorum of members of any board, council, commission or other policymaking body of any state agency held for the purpose of formulating public policy, discussing public business or for the purpose of taking any action within the authority of or the delegated authority of such body, are declared to be public meetings open to the public at all times; and

WHEREAS, any meetings subject to the Open Meetings Act at which the discussion or adoption of any proposed resolution, rule, regulation or formal action occurs shall be held only after reasonable notice to the public; and

WHEREAS, Section 10-15-1(D) NMSA 1978 of the Open Meetings Act requires the Capitol Buildings Planning Commission to determine annually what constitutes reasonable notice of its public meetings;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Capitol Buildings Planning Commission that:

- 1. All meetings shall be held at the State Capitol in Santa Fe, New Mexico, or as indicated on the meeting notice.
- 2. Regular meetings shall be held as determined at the call of the chair or co-chairs. The agenda for each regular meeting will be available at least seventy-two hours prior to the meeting from the Legislative Council Service, whose office is located in Room 411 of the State Capitol in Santa Fe, New Mexico. Notice of any other regular meetings held at the call of the co-chairs will be held only after reasonable notice is given to the public. The notice shall indicate how a copy of the agenda may be obtained.
- 3. Special meetings may be called by the chair or co-chairs or by a majority of the members upon three days' notice. The notice shall include an agenda or information on how an agenda may be obtained. The agenda must be available to the public at least twenty-four hours before any special meeting.

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- 4. Emergency meetings will be called only under unforeseen circumstances that demand immediate action to protect the health, safety and property of citizens. The Capitol Buildings Planning Commission will avoid emergency meetings whenever possible. Emergency meetings may be called by the chair or co-chairs or by a majority of the members upon twenty-four hours' notice unless threat of personal injury or property damage requires less notice. The notice shall include an agenda or information on how the public may obtain a copy of the agenda.
- 5. For the purposes of regular, special and emergency meetings described in this resolution, notice requirements shall be met if notice of the date, time, place and agenda or information on how an agenda may be obtained is available at the Legislative Council Service and is posted on the legislative website (www.nmlegis.gov).
- 6. For the purposes of emergency meetings described in Paragraph (4) of this resolution, notice requirements shall be met if available at the Legislative Council Service and posted on the legislative website (www.nmlegis.gov), and oral or written notice of the date, time, place and general subject matter to be discussed at the meeting is given to the news media and to all affected entities as soon as it is practical.
- 7. In addition to the information specified above, the Legislative Council Service shall include on the agenda or on the legislative website (www.nmlegis.gov) in a conspicuous place a notice of accessibility accommodations with a name, telephone number or email address to contact.
- 8. If it is otherwise difficult or impossible for a member of the Capitol Buildings Planning Commission to attend any meeting in person and if necessary to achieve a quorum at such a meeting, members may participate in a meeting by video and audio conference via an online platform, provided that each member participating by video and audio conference can be identified when speaking, all participants are able to hear each other at the same time and members of the public attending the meeting are able to hear any member who speaks during the meeting.
- 9. The Capitol Buildings Planning Commission may close a meeting to the public only if the subject matter of such discussion or action is exempted from the open meeting requirement under Section 10-15-1(H) NMSA 1978 of the Open Meetings Act.
- (a) If any meeting is closed during an open meeting, such closure shall be approved by a majority vote of a quorum of the Capitol Buildings Planning Commission taken during the open meeting. The authority for the closure and the subjects to be discussed shall be stated with reasonable specificity in the motion for closure, and the vote on closure of each individual member shall be recorded in the minutes. Only those subjects specified in the motion may be discussed in a closed meeting.
- (b) If the decision to hold a closed meeting is made when the Capitol Buildings Planning Commission is not in an open meeting, the closed meeting shall not be held until public

notice, appropriate under the circumstances, stating the specific provision of law authorizing the closed meeting and the subjects to be discussed in reasonable specificity, is given to the members and to the general public.

(c) Following completion of any closed meeting, the minutes of the open meeting
that was closed, or the minutes of the next open meeting if the closed meeting was separately
scheduled, shall state whether the matters discussed in the closed meeting were limited only to
those specified in the motion or notice for closure.

(d)) Except as provided i	in Section 10-1:	5-1(H) NMSA	1978, any actio	n taken as a
result of discussion	ons in a closed meeting	g shall be made	by vote of the	Capitol Buildin	gs Planning
Commission in ar	n open public meeting	•			

Passed by the Capitol Buildings Planning Commission this 16th day of April, 2021.

Authorized Signature	Authorized Signature

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