

1 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 3

2 46TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2004

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10 A JOINT RESOLUTION

11 AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF A PORTION OF THE EAGLE NEST LAKE
12 PROPERTY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A STATE PARK.

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14 WHEREAS, Section 16-2-11 NMSA 1978 requires legislative
15 approval of any acquisition of land for state park purposes
16 prior to the execution of a written agreement binding the state
17 to an expenditure of funds; and

18 WHEREAS, in 2002, the legislature appropriated funds to
19 the department of game and fish for the purchase of Eagle Nest
20 lake and environs in Colfax county for the purpose of providing
21 hunting, fishing, boating and recreation and promoting tourism;
22 and

23 WHEREAS, the department of game and fish and the state
24 parks division of the energy, minerals and natural resources
25 department agree that it would benefit the state to transfer

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1 ownership of part of the property to the state parks division
2 for use and operation as a state park; and

3 WHEREAS, the land to be transferred is located on the
4 north, west and south sides of Eagle Nest lake and comprises
5 approximately eight hundred seventy-two acres as shall be
6 determined by a survey prior to the transfer of the property;

7 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE
8 STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the transfer of the described property
9 from the department of game and fish to the state parks
10 division of the energy, minerals and natural resources
11 department be hereby approved pursuant to Section 16-2-11 NMSA
12 1978; and

13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be
14 transmitted to the department of game and fish and to the state
15 parks division of the energy, minerals and natural resources
16 department.