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A SENATE MEMORIAL

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY TO WIDEN PAJARITO ROAD FOR BICYCLE TRAFFIC IN LOS ALAMOS COUNTY.

WHEREAS, a bicyclist was recently killed in a traffic accident on Pajarito road; and

WHEREAS, bicyclists are required to share that narrow roadway with motor vehicles; and

WHEREAS, well-designed and well-maintained roads are in the common interest of all vehicle users; and

WHEREAS, roadway conditions and rules that support safe sharing of the roads are a central concern; and

WHEREAS, the cost of widening Pajarito road could be minimized by incorporating it into regular maintenance procedures; and

WHEREAS, Pajarito road is owned and maintained by the

United States department of energy;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the United States department of energy be requested to widen Pajarito road between White Rock and Tech Area 18 in Los Alamos county; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be transmitted to the secretary of energy, to United States Senators Pete V. Domenici and Jeff Bingaman and to Representative Bill Richardson.

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