

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-1587

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING A TIME EXTENSION FROM THE NEW MEXICO
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE FOOTHILLS PROJECT

WHEREAS, the City of Farmington and the NMDOT entered into a joint and coordinated effort; and

WHEREAS, the City of Farmington agrees to provide matching funds at a percentage equal to or above twenty-five percent (25%) in the amount of One Hundred Fifty Nine Thousand Ninty Five Dollars (\$159,095) in accordance to the Local Government Road Fund Program with the NM Department of Transportation share of Four Hundred Seventy Seven Thousand Two Hundred Eighty Four Dollars (\$477,284) for a total project cost of Six Hundred Thirty Six Thousand Three Hundred Seventy Nine (\$636,379); and

WHEREAS, the City of Farmington supports the project and is requesting a time extension to September 30, 2017; and

WHEREAS, the City of Farmington is requesting this time extension due to several events, during the design process at several public meetings traffic calming and drainage were identified as major issues. The design was modified to include traffic calming including roundabouts at two locations. This necessitated right-of-way acquisition per NMDOT/FHWA process. The City of Farmington started the right-of-way process with NMDOT January 2015 and has proceeded diligently through the process; and

WHEREAS; the City of Farmington will proceed with the right-of-way acquisition as quickly as possible, however, due to the complexity of the process and necessary review time it is unrealistic to have the construction complete by September 30, 2016. The City of Farmington plans to bid this project January 2017 and have construction complete by September 2017.

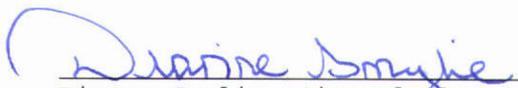
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF FARMINGTON that we respectfully request the time extension for this project.

PASSED, APPROVED, SIGNED AND ADOPTED this 10th day of May, 2016


Gayla A. McCulloch, Mayor Pro Tem

(SEAL)

ATTEST:


Dianne Smylie, City Clerk