

**MINUTES
WORK SESSION
LUNA COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
Thursday, March 10, 2016**

BE IT REMEMBERED that the Luna County Board of County Commissioners met in work session at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, March 10, 2016 in the County Commission Chambers of the Luna County Courthouse, Deming, New Mexico, for the purpose of discussing Regular meeting agenda items and other necessary items.

CALL TO ORDER: Chairman Diaz called the meeting to order at 9:04 a.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance and the salute to the flag of the State of New Mexico.

ROLL CALL: Deputy Clerk JoAnna Zurinsky called roll. The following Commissioners constituting a quorum were present:

**Joe L. Milo, Jr., District 1
Linda M. Smrkovsky, District 2
R. Javier Diaz, Chairman, District 3**

COMMISSIONERS AND STAFF DISCUSSIONS ON REGULAR MEETING AGENDA ITEMS: The Luna County Board of County Commissioners presented the Regular Meeting Agenda items for discussion.

*(*Note: Items were presented for discussion only and no actions were taken.)*

PUBLIC INPUT: Russ Howell came before the Board and announced that there is a meeting in Animas tonight at the Animas High School Auditorium at 6:00 p.m. The New Mexico and Arizona Cattle Grower's Associations are co-sponsoring the event. Congressman Steve Pearce will be attending the public meeting, which will address the concerns ranchers and citizens face living in border communities and dealing with drug and human trafficking.

Starmax Facilities Director Ira Pearson came before the Board and members of the public and announced that Starmax will host a bowling tournament fundraiser for Cancer Support on Saturday, March 12, at 9:00 a.m.


Laurie Finley with Deming/Luna County Main Street announced that they will be hosting a Winter Visitor Event tonight at the Deming Senior Center from 5:00-7:00 p.m., and the public is invited to attend. There will be food, a mariachi band, and Folklorico ballet.

Vivian Solis came before the Board and urged them to consider *Consent Agenda Item 'F': Child Abuse Awareness Month Proclamation*. Ms. Solis provided national and local statistics, and reported on the work that her agency is doing to help prevent child abuse.

ADJOURN: Chairman Diaz adjourned the meeting at 10:05 a.m.

ATTEST:

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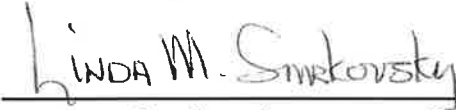


Andrea Rodriguez, Luna County Clerk

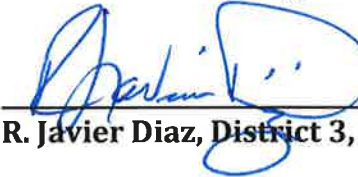


Joe L. Milo, Jr., District 1

Approved: April 8, 2016



Linda M. Smrkovsky, District 2



R. Javier Diaz, District 3, Chairman

