1	CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO
2	RESOLUTION NO. 2017-72
3	INTRODUCED BY:
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5	Mayor Javier M. Gonzales
6	Councilor Peter N. Ives
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10	A RESOLUTION
11	CALLING FOR A REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON MARCH 6, 2018
12	FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING ONE MAYOR AT-LARGE AND ONE CITY
13	COUNCILOR FROM EACH COUNCIL DISTRICT.
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15	BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE:
16	Section 1. PURPOSE AND DATE OF ELECTION. A regular municipal election
17	shall be held on Tuesday, March 6, 2018 for the purpose of electing:
18	A. One Mayor elected at-large to a four year term.
19	B. One City Councilor from District 1 to a four-year term;
20	C. One City Councilor from District 2 to a four-year term;
21	D. One City Councilor from District 3 to a four-year term; and
22	E. One City Councilor from District 4 to a four-year term.
23	Section 2. CLOSING OF REGISTRATION BOOKS. Only qualified electors of the
24	City of Santa Fe may vote in the regular municipal election. A qualified elector is any person whose
25	affidavit of voter registration has been filed by the Santa Fe County Clerk on or before the twenty-

1	eighth (28th) day prior to the election, who is registered to vote in a general election precinct
2	established by the Santa Fe Board of County Commissioners that is wholly or partly within the City
3	of Santa Fe boundaries, and who is a resident of the City of Santa Fe. Registration books for this
4	election will be closed at 5:00 p.m. on February 6, 2018.
5	Section 3. NOMINATING PETITIONS. Candidates must file a Nominating Petition
6	containing the required number of valid names, addresses and signatures as follows:
7	A. Mayor – Signatures of at least one-half of one percent of the registered voters of the
8	City of Santa Fe.
9	B. City Councilor – Signatures of at least one-half of one percent of the registered voters
10	of the district which the candidate seeks to represent.
11	Nominating Petition names, addresses and signatures may be collected only between
12	September 1, 2017 and October 31, 2017. All pages of the Nominating Petition must be filed at the
13	same time, on the same day, and not later than 5:00 p.m. on November 6, 2017 at the office of the
14	City Clerk, Room 215, City Hall, 200 Lincoln Avenue, Santa Fe, New Mexico.
15	Section 4. DECLARATIONS OF CANDIDACY. Declarations of Candidacy shall be
16	filed at the office of the City Clark, Poor 215, City H. H. 200 X.

filed at the office of the City Clerk, Room 215, City Hall, 200 Lincoln Avenue, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, December 5, 2017. The City Clerk shall determine the validity of candidacies on December 6, 2017 and post a list in her office of valid and invalid candidates with reasons therefore.

Section 5. VOTING CONVENIENCE CENTERS. All voting precincts within the four (4) city council districts shall be consolidated into Voting Convenience Centers. Any qualified voter within the municipal limits of the City of Santa Fe may vote at any one of the following Voting Convenience Centers, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on March 6, 2018:

1. Montezuma Lodge, 431 Paseo de Peralta

2. Gonzales Community School, 851 W. Alameda

1	3.	Salazar Elementary School, 1231 Apache Avenue
2	4.	Atalaya Elementary School, 721 Camino Cabra
3	5.	St. John's United Methodist Church, 1200 Old Pecos Trail
4	6.	Christian Life Church, 121 Siringo Road
5	7.	Nina Otero Community School, 5901 Herrera Drive
6	8.	Sweeney Elementary School, 4100 S. Meadows Road
7	9.	Southside Library, 6599 Jaguar Drive
8	10.	Nava Elementary School, 2655 Siringo Road
9	11.	Kearny Elementary School, 901 Avenida de las Campanas
10	12.	Genoveva Chavez Community Center, 3221 Rodeo Road
11	ABSENTEE V	OTER PRECINCT (All Districts)
12	Office of the Ci	ty Clerk, Room 215, City Hall, 200 Lincoln Avenue
13		ER PRECINCTS (All Districts)
14	1.	Office of the City Clerk, Room 215, City Hall, 200 Lincoln Avenue
15	2.	Genoveva Chavez Community Center, 3221 Rodeo Road
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17	January 30, 201	8 and close at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, March 2, 2018. Absentee ballots may be cast in
18		g on Tuesday, January 30, 2018 until 5:00 p.m. on Friday, March 2, 2018. Absentee
19		onducted in the office of the City Clerk, during the regular hours and days of business,
20		Friday. Applications for absentee ballots may be obtained only from the office of the
21		applications for absentee ballots must be completed and accepted by the City Clerk
22		m., Friday, March 2, 2018. After 5:00 p.m. on Friday, March 2, 2018, all unused

absentee ballots will be publicly destroyed by the City Clerk. The City Clerk will accept completed

absentee ballots delivered by mail, or in person by the voter casting the absentee ballot, their

caregiver or the voter's immediate family, until 7:00 p.m. on March 6, 2018.

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2	A. Early voting will be conducted in the office of the City Clerk, during the regular
3	hours and days of business, Monday through Friday. Early voting will begin at 8:00 a.m. on
4	Wednesday, February 14, 2018 and close at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, March 2, 2018.
5	B. Early voting will also be conducted at the Genoveva Chavez Community Center,
6	3221 Rodeo Road and will begin at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, February 14, 2018 and close at 5:00
7	p.m. on Friday, March 2, 2018. Early voting, at this location, will be held Tuesday through Saturday,
8	during the early voting period from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., except on Friday, March 2, 2018, voting
9	shall close at 5:00 p.m.
10	C. All applications for early voting ballots must be completed and accepted by the City
11	Clerk prior to 5:00 p.m., Friday, March 2, 2018. After 5:00 p.m. on March 2, 2018, all unused early
12	voting ballots will be publicly destroyed by the City Clerk.
13	Section 8. BALLOTS. The casting of votes by qualified municipal electors shall be
14	recorded on paper ballots to be counted by Image Cast Evolution electronic vote tabulators.
15	Section 9. CANVASS OF THE ELECTION RESULTS. The City Clerk shall
16	complete the canvass of the election results no later than 5:00 p.m. on March 9, 2018, to certify the
17	results of the election and take any other necessary action relating to the election.
18	PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 11th day of October, 2017.
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21	JAVIER M. GONZALES, MAYOR
22	ATTEST:
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Section 7. EARLY VOTING LOCATIONS.

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4	KELLEY A. BRENNAN, CITY ATTORNEY
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