

1 **CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO**

2 **RESOLUTION NO. 2012-77**

3 **INTRODUCED BY:**

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5 Mayor Coss

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10 **A RESOLUTION**

11 **DECLARING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SISTER CITY RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN**
12 **THE CITY OF SANTA FE AND THE CITY OF LIVINGSTONE, ZAMBIA.**

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14 **WHEREAS**, the City of Santa Fe, New Mexico, USA and the City of Livingstone, Zambia,
15 Africa, desire to formalize a Sister City relationship between the people of the two communities; and

16 **WHEREAS**, like Santa Fe, Livingstone is a tourist destination that is located near Victoria
17 Falls, one of the seven natural wonders of the world; and

18 **WHEREAS**, on June 28, 2012, the mayors of the City of Santa Fe and the City of
19 Livingstone entered into a Twinning Agreement which expressed their desire for their communities to
20 remain interconnected; and

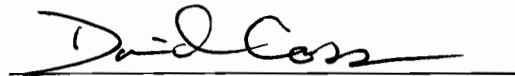
21 **WHEREAS**, the City of Santa Fe and the City of Livingstone on the basis of cooperation,
22 equality and mutual benefit will develop their Sister City relationship to promote and broaden
23 economic cooperation and cultural exchanges between the two cities.

24 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE**
25 **CITY OF SANTA FE** that the Governing Body does hereby establishes a Sister City relationship

1 with the City of Livingstone, Zambia and declares its interest in exploring the establishment of
2 business and trade relations between the City of Santa Fe and the City of Livingstone in:

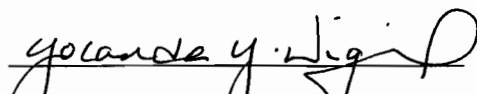
- 3 1. The areas of the arts such as exhibits, music, dance and other cultural activities; and
- 4 2. Education, through the establishment of contacts with educational institutions; and
- 5 3. Science and technology, sports, health, youth and any areas that will contribute to the
6 prosperity and the further development of a Sister City relationship between the people of Santa Fe
7 and Livingstone.

8 PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED this 12th day of September, 2012.

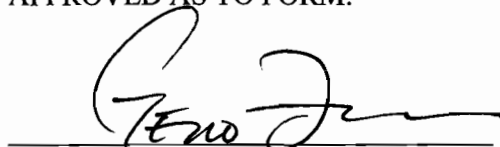
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11 DAVID COSS, MAYOR

12 ATTEST:

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15 YOLANDA Y. VIGIL, CITY CLERK

16 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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19 GENO ZAMORA, CITY ATTORNEY