## CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 1 2 **RESOLUTION NO. 2013-27** INTRODUCED BY: 3 4 5 **Mayor Coss** 6 Councilor Bushee Councilor Ives 7 8 9 **A RESOLUTION** 10 AUTHORIZING THE DONATION OF "LA REALIDAD DE LAS CAPITULACIONES" TO 11 THE FRAY ANGÉLICO CHÁVEZ HISTORY LIBRARY, NEW MEXICO HISTORY 12 13 MUSEUM. 14 WHEREAS, on the occasion of the 400th anniversary of the founding of La Villa Real de la 15 Santa Fe de San Francisco de Asis, the City of Santa Fe received a gift from its Sister City, Santa Fe 16 de la Vega, Granada, Spain entitled "La Realidad de las Capitulaciones"; and 17 WHEREAS, "La Realidad de las Capitulaciones" is a presentation case containing individual 18 facsimile letters from 1492 as they pertain to the activities of Christopher Columbus in the New 19 World; and 20 WHEREAS, the case is currently in the possession of the New Mexico History Museum as 21 the City does not have the ability to house such gift nor is the City set up to handle requests for access 22 to the case by researchers and students; and 23 WHEREAS, the Governing Body desires to donate "La Realidad de las Capitulaciones" to 24

the Fray Angélico Chávez History Library at the New Mexico History Museum, which is a non-

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circulating, closed stack research facility that preserves historical materials in many formats
documenting the history of the state, the Southwest, and meso-America from pre-European contact to
the present; and
WHEREAS, the Fray Angélico Chávez History Library has the ability to permanently house
the case and its contents which will be preserved for the future and can be easily accessed by students
and researchers.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE
CITY OF SANTA FE that the Governing Body authorizes the donation of "La Realidad de las
Capitulaciones" to the Fray Angélico Chávez History Library at the New Mexico History Museum.
PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 13th day of March, 2013.
ATTEST:  DAVID COSS, MAYOR  YOLANDA Y. VIGIL, CITY CLERK
APPROVED AS TO FORM:  GENO ZAMORA, CITY ATTORNEY

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