

VILLAGE OF CORRALES
RESOLUTION NO. 09-003

**AFFIRMING PARTNERSHIP AND SUPPORT FOR THE
2010 CENSUS**

WHEREAS, the Village of Corrales is a municipality located within State Planning and Development District 3 which encompasses Bernalillo, Sandoval, Torrance, and Valencia Counties; and

WHEREAS, the Village Governing Body is composed of elected officials representing the residents of Corrales within State Planning and Development District 3; and

WHEREAS, A decennial census of every resident is required under Article 1, Section 2 of the U.S. Constitution; and,

WHEREAS, The Village of Corrales Governing Body is committed to ensuring every resident is counted; and,

WHEREAS, More than \$300 billion per year nationally in federal and state funding is allocated to communities based on census data, including funds for healthcare, community development, housing, education, transportation, social services, employment and much more; and,

WHEREAS, Census data determines how many seats each State will have in the U.S. House of Representatives as well as the redistricting of State Legislatures, County and municipal councils and voting districts; and,

WHEREAS, The 2010 Census creates hundreds of thousands of jobs across the nation; and,

WHEREAS, All units of government, large and small corporations, non-profit organizations, religious organizations and local businesses of all sizes require accurate information on population and family size and income data for investment, job development and marketing guidance and to determine the impact of educational, health and social programs; and

WHEREAS, Individual and family information is held completely confidential by strong federal laws supported by consistent court rulings at all levels and is never released even to other units of local, state or federal governments except in large statistical totals, or to family members after 72 years for genealogical purposes only; and,

WHEREAS, A united voice from businesses , government, community-based and faith-based organizations, educators, media and others will allow the 2010 Census message to reach a broader audience, providing trusted advocates who can spark positive conversations about the 2010 Census; and,

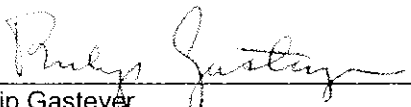
WHEREAS, Census 2010 participation provides a historic opportunity for the Village of Corrales to help shape the foundation of our society and play an active role in American democracy.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by Governing Body of the Village of Corrales, New Mexico that it:

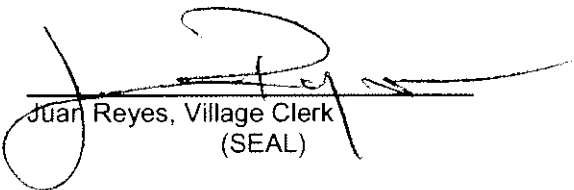
- a) Supports the goals and ideals for the 2010 Census and will disseminate 2010 Census information to encourage participation.
- b) Encourages participation in events and initiatives including Complete Count Committees that will raise overall awareness of the 2010 Census and increase participation among all populations.
- c) Will use 2010 Census articles, in newsletters, mailings, and other communications.
- d) Will appoint a staff liaison to work with the Census Bureau.
- e) Will provide a link to the 2010 Census Web site from Village web site.
- f) Will participate in 2010 Census partnership kick-off meetings.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND APPROVED this 13th day of January 2009, by the Governing Body of the Village of Corrales.

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Philip Gasteyer
Mayor, Village of Corrales

ATTEST:


Juan Reyes, Village Clerk
(SEAL)