



**VILLAGE OF CORRALES  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

**RESOLUTION 09-011**

**A Resolution to support legislation, House Bill 647, pending in the First Session, 2009 of the 49<sup>th</sup> Legislature of the State of New Mexico relating to Municipal Elections; modifying and updating certain procedures in the Municipal Election Code; removing references to emergency paper ballots; reconciling conflicting amendments to the same section of law by repealing laws 1995, Chapter 98, Section 3; amending, repealing and enacting sections of NMSA1978.**

**Whereas**, there have been a number of changes over the past few years both on the state and federal levels concerning the conduct of elections; and

**Whereas**, municipal elections are governed by a separate election code; and

**Whereas**, there are sections of the Municipal Code that are no longer consistent with the conduct of other elections; and

**Whereas**, these inconsistencies between the State Election Code and the Municipal Election Code are confusing to the voter; and

**Whereas**, the municipal and county clerks have appointed as task force to study the feasibility of standardizing the Municipal Election Code; and

**Whereas**, the New Mexico Municipal League seeks legislation to standardize procedures for state, county and municipal elections.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Governing Body of the Village of Corrales expresses its support for the H.B. 647, introduced in the First Session, 2009, of the 49<sup>th</sup> Legislature of the State of New Mexico, and directs the Mayor to communicate its support to the Senators and Representatives whose districts include the Village of Corrales.

Approved this 24<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2009 by the Governing Body of the Village of Corrales.

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The Honorable Philip Gasteyer, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Juan Reyes, Village Clerk  
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