



County of Los Alamos

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Agenda - Final County Council - Regular Session

*Randall Ryti, Council Chair; Ryn Herrmann, Vice-Chair;
Theresa Cull; Melanee Hand; Beverly Neal-Clinton; Suzie
Havemann; and David Reagor, Councilors*

Tuesday, May 19, 2026

6:00 PM

Fire Station No. 3
129 State Road 4 - White Rock

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1. OPENING/ROLL CALL
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
3. PUBLIC COMMENT

This section of the agenda is reserved for comments from the public on items that do not require action by the Council or are not otherwise on the agenda.

4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
5. PRESENTATIONS, PROCLAMATIONS AND RECOGNITIONS

- A. [21155-26](#) Proclamation Declaring the week of May 17-23, 2026, as "National Public Works Week" (Accepted by Eric Martinez, Public Works Director and Keith Wilson, Deputy Public Works Director)

Presenters: County Council

- B. [21476-26](#) Proclamation Declaring the month of May as "Mental Health Awareness Month" (Accepted by the Los Alamos County Health Council)
Presenters: County Council
- C. [21506-26](#) Recognition of Atomic City Transit for Earning the 2025 New Mexico Transit Association (NMTA) and New Mexico Department of Transportation (NMDOT) Rural Transit System of the Year Award and the Avail Transit Vanguard Award
Presenters: Eric Martinez, Public Works Director, Keith Wilson and James Barela
Attachments: [A - Award Photos](#)
- D. [21547-26](#) Recognition of the 2026 "I Voted" Sticker Contest Winners
Presenters: Michael Redondo, County Clerk
Attachments: [A - 2026 I Voted Sticker Contest Results.pdf](#)
- E. [21300-26](#) Overview of Council Strategic Goal - Quality of Life
Presenters: Linda Matteson, Deputy County Manager
Attachments: [A - Quality of Life 2026](#)

6. PUBLIC COMMENT FOR ITEMS ON CONSENT AGENDA

7. CONSENT AGENDA

The following items are presented for Council approval under a single motion unless any item is withdrawn by a Councilor for further Council consideration in the agenda section entitled "Business."

Approval of the Consent Agenda

Consent Motion -

I move that Council approve the items on the Consent Agenda as presented and that the motions in the staff reports be included for the record; or,

I move that Council approve the items on the Consent Agenda and that the motions contained in the staff reports, as amended be included for the record.

- A. [21499-26](#) Approval of County Council Minutes for the May 5, 2026, Regular Session

Presenters: Michael Redondo, County Clerk

Attachments: [A - Council Minutes for May 5 2026.pdf](#)

- B. [21645-26](#) Approval of Budget Revision No. 26-69 in the Amount of \$550,000.00 and Approval for the Placement of an Order for a Vacuum Excavator Truck ("Vactor") in the Amount of \$549,720.28

Presenters: Clay Moseley, Deputy Utility Manager-GWS Services and Tara Mariano, Senior Budget Analyst

Attachments: [A - Budget Revision No. 26-69](#)

[B - Vac-Con Quote No. 113902](#)

- C. [21646-26](#) Approval of Budget Revision No. 26-58 for the Repair of an 18" Water Transmission Line with Brad Parker Construction in the amount of \$234,827.00

Presenters: Joann Gentry, Deputy Utility Manager-Finance & Admin. and Tara Mariano, Senior Budget Analyst

Attachments: [A - AGR 23-58 Task Order No. 13](#)

[B - Budget Revision 2026-58](#)

[C - Written Determination Emergency Procurement](#)

- D. [21647-26](#) Approval of the Reinstatement of Contract for IFB 25-31 for the Bayo NP Booster Station Rehabilitation Project including the two prior change orders in the Amount of \$1,427,586.41 plus Gross Receipts Tax and Approval of Change Order No. 3 with TLC Company, Inc. in the amount of \$34,983.25 plus Gross Receipts Tax with a New Final Completion Date of June 30, 2026

Presenters: James Martinez, Deputy Utility Manager-Engineering

Attachments: [A - IFB25-31 Change Order No.3](#)

[B - IFB25-31 Change Order No.2](#)

[C - IFB25-31 Change Order No.1](#)

[D - Written Determination Emergency Procurement](#)

8. INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCE(S)

- A. [CO0745-26](#) Introduction of Incorporated County of Los Alamos Code Ordinance No. 02-379; An Ordinance Amending Chapter 40, Article III, Sections 40-151, and 40-152 of the Code of the Incorporated County of Los Alamos Pertaining to Gas Service Rates

Presenters: Joann Gentry, Deputy Utility Manager-Finance & Admin.

Attachments: [A - LAC Code Ordinance 02-379 - Gas Rates](#)
 [B - Gas Rate Ordinance Presentation](#)
 [C - Publication Notice](#)

9. PUBLIC HEARING(S)

- A.** [OR1127-26b](#) Incorporated County of Los Alamos Ordinance No. 754: An Ordinance Granting a Cable Franchise to Comcast of Florida/Michigan/New Mexico/Pennsylvania/Washington LLC, to Construct, Operate and Maintain a Cable System in the Public Rights-of-Way and to Provide Cable Service, Within the Incorporated County of Los Alamos; Establishing the Terms and Conditions of the Franchise Agreement; and Establishing Certain Remedies for the Violation of the Franchise

Presenters: Anne Laurent, County Manager

Attachments: [A - Ordinance No. 754 Cable Franchise](#)
 [B - Public Hearing Notice of Ordinance No. 754](#)

- B.** [RE0680-26](#) Incorporated County of Los Alamos Resolution No. 26-04; A Resolution Removing the Unsecured and Uncollectible Ambulance Billing Accounts from the Accounts Receivable List of the Incorporated County of Los Alamos

Presenters: Melissa Dadzie, Chief Financial Officer, Erik Litzenberg, Fire Chief and Manuel Pacheco, Fire Battalion Chief

Attachments: [A - Notice of Publication](#)
 [B - Resolution No. 26-04 with Exhibits](#)

10. BUSINESS

- A.** [AGR1217-26](#) Consideration and Possible Approval of Task Order No. 31 under Service Agreement No. AGR-22-18a with All-Rite Construction, Inc. in the Amount of \$578,117.43 plus Applicable Gross Receipts Tax for the Demolition of Three Buildings on County Owned Land at 112, 124, and 126 Longview Drive and Establish a Project Budget in the Amount of \$750,000

Presenters: Miguel Jimenez, Senior Project Manager and Eric Martinez, Public Works Director

Attachments: [A – Longview Area Map](#)
[B – Task Order No. 31 - AGR22-18a](#)
[C – Project Budget Spreadsheet](#)
[D - Longview Drive Presentation](#)

- B. [21367-26](#) Award of Bid No. IFB 26-21 for the Purpose of the Jemez Mountain Fire Protection Phase III Project with Dub-L-EE, LLC in the Amount of \$3,904,195.98, plus a 15% Contingency and Applicable Gross Receipts Tax

Presenters: James Martinez, Deputy Utility Manager-Engineering

Attachments: [A - IFB 26-21 Construction Plans](#)

- C. [21641-26](#) Award of Bid No. 26-30 in the Amount of \$7,120,655.79 plus Applicable Gross Receipts Tax to Hasse Contracting Company Inc. for the Trinity Drive/NM502 Safety and ADA Improvements Project and Establish a Project Budget in the Amount of \$8,172,067.28 for Roadway and Utility Work

Presenters: Eric Ulibarri, County Engineer, Jennifer Morrow, Engineering Project Manager, James Martinez, Deputy Utility Manager-Engineering and Eric Martinez, Public Works Director

Attachments: [A - Board of Public Utilities Agenda Documents, May 6, 2026](#)
[B - Project Area Map](#)
[C - Project Budget Spreadsheet](#)
[D - Resolution 24-29 Trinity Drive](#)
[E - Project Overview](#)

11. COUNCIL BUSINESS

A. *General Council Business*

- 1) [21585-26](#) Possible Action to Give Direction on Draft Ordinance Regarding the Formation of the Inclusivity Board

Presenters: Linda Matteson, Deputy County Manager

Attachments: [A - Draft Language](#)
[B - Inclusivity Task Force Final Report](#)

B. *Appointments*

- 1) [21050-26](#) Board/Commission Appointment(s) - Board of Public Utilities

(BPU)

Presenters: Loryn 'Ryn' Herrmann, County Council Vice Chair
and Melanee Hand, Councilor

Attachments: [A - Appointment Process for BPU](#)
[B - BPU Vacancy Brochure](#)
[C - BPU Member Roster](#)
[D - Voter Registration as of May 2026](#)
[E - Matt Heavner - Application & Interview Notes](#)
[F - Richard Nebel - Application & Interview Notes](#)
[G - Email to Council](#)
[H - Interview Committee Recommendation Form](#)

C. Board and Commission Vacancy Report

D. Boards and Commission Reports

E. County Manager's Report

- 1) [21116-26](#) County Manager's Report for April 2026

Presenters: Anne Laurent, County Manager

Attachments: [A - April County Manager's Update](#)
[B - Report of 2026 GRT Revenue Bond Sale](#)

F. Council Chair Report

G. Approval of Councilor Expenses

H. Preview of Upcoming Agenda Items

Note: This report shows tentative Council agenda items and is for planning purposes only. All items on the report are subject to changes such as item title, meeting date and/or being removed or not considered by Council.

- 1) [21093-26](#) Tickler Report of Upcoming Agenda Items

Presenters: County Council

Attachments: [A - Tickler Report dated May 15, 2026](#)

12. COUNCILOR COMMENTS

13. WORKING GROUPS AND EXTERNAL ENTITIES REPORTS**1) [21683-26](#) Councilor Submitted Reports**

Presenters: County Council - Work Session

Attachments: [A - Trip Report ECA New Nuclear Forum April 2026](#)
[B - April 2026, New Nuclear Forum Bulletin Complete](#)

14. ADJOURNMENT

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