RESOLUTION NO. 19-072

A RESOLUTION TO JOIN THE COALITION OF SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES NEW MEXICO.

The City Council is informed:

WHEREAS, Sustainability works to create resilient, equitable, and prosperous communities for current and future generations; and

WHEREAS, the City supports the skills and strategies needed to address sustainable policies, technologies, best practices, and collaborative opportunities; and

WHEREAS, the City seeks to increase its knowledge of and influence in resource conservation, renewable energy, social equity and engagement, and sustainable practices in New Mexico; and

WHEREAS, the City seeks collaborative opportunities with New Mexico’s cities, counties and Native American Pueblos, Nations and Tribes; and

WHEREAS, the Coalition of Sustainable Communities of New Mexico provides a structure to support the aforementioned goals; and

WHEREAS, the Coalition of Sustainable Communities of New Mexico will: 1) provide detailed information on key issues of proposed policies, regulations and best practices; 2) convene working groups to tackle solutions requiring multiple stakeholders; and 3) help align member interests into a coordinated voice for state policy.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it Resolved by the Governing Body of the City of Las Cruces:

(I)

THAT, the City of Las Cruces expresses its intent to join the Coalition of Sustainable Communities New Mexico in its commitment to provide the leadership, capacity building and collaboration in accelerating efforts to ensuring resilient, equitable, and prosperous communities for current and future generations.

(II)

THAT, that a copy of this Resolution shall be forwarded to the entire New Mexico Congressional Delegation to show support for the collaborative work of the Coalition of Sustainable Communities New Mexico.
THAT City staff is hereby authorized to do all deeds as necessary in the accomplishment of the herein above.

DONE AND APPROVED this ___ day of ___________, 2018.

APPROVED:

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk
(SEAL)

Moved by: ______________________
Seconded by: ____________________

VOTE:
Mayor Miyagishima: ________
Councillor Gandara: ________
Councillor Smith: ________
Councillor Vasquez: ________
Councillor Eakman: ________
Councillor Sorg: ________
Councillor Flores: ________

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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City Attorney