

**SANDOVAL COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA
LOCATION: ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING COMMISSION CHAMBERS
1500 IDALIA ROAD, BUILDING D
BERNALILLO, NM 87004
APRIL 22, 2026 – 6 P.M.**

The meeting may be viewed online at

www.sandovalcountynm.gov.

Public comment will be taken in person and online at

<http://sandovalcountynm.gov/commission/public-comment/>

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chari Juarez called meeting to order at 6:00p.m. Present were Chair Juarez, Vice Chair Herr, Commissioner Meek, Commissioner Bruch, and via telecommunications Commissioner Jones.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND SALUTE TO NEW MEXICO STATE FLAG

Chair Juarez led both the Pledge of Allegiance and the New Mexico Pledge.

3. INTRODUCTIONS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CLOSED SESSION ANNOUNCEMENT

(Jordan Juarez, Chairman)

As previously noticed, immediately prior to today's meeting, on April 14, 2026, at 10:00pm and April 22nd at 4:00pm. The Sandoval County Board of County Commissioner's convened as a committee of the whole in closed session either in person or electronically on the 3rd Floor Conference Room County Administration Building, to discuss limited personnel matters for non-classified county employees to purchase, acquisition, or disposal of real property the discussion of bargaining strategy, preliminary to collective bargaining negotiations and matters subject to the attorney-client privilege pertaining to threatened or pending litigation in which Sandoval County is or may become a participant pursuant to the Open Meetings Act NMSA 1978, §§ 10-15-1 (H)(2), (5), (7) and (8) The matters discussed in the closed session were limited to those specified in the Notices of the Closed Session and no action was taken.

Chair Juarez wanted to recognize today April 22nd is Earth day, it's important we take care of our precious resource especially in Sandoval County.

4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Commissioner Herr made a motion to approve the agenda, seconded by Commissioner Jones. Commissioner Bruch, Commissioner Jones, Chair Juarez and Commissioner Herr, voted yes. Motion passed unanimously.

5. PROCLAMATIONS, CERTIFICATES AND AWARDS

No Proclamations, Certificates and Awards.

6. PRESENTATIONS

A. Presentation on 2026 General Obligation Bond project options and financial implications.

(Rob Burpo, County Financial Advisor, First American Financial Advisors, Inc.)

Rob Burpo, County Financial Advisor, First American Financial Advisors, Inc. presented the 2026 General Obligation Bond project options and financial implications.

B. Sandoval County Sheriff's Office Chaplain Program Presentation

(Jeff Carr, Sandoval County Sheriff's Office Lead Chaplain)

Jerr Carr, Sandoval County Sheriff's Office Lead Chaplain, presented the Sandoval County Sheriff's Office Chaplain Program presentation.

7. BOARD AND COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

A. Reappointment of Mr. James Maduena to the Sandoval County Planning Commission.

(Daniel Beman, Director of Planning of Zoning)

Commissioner Bruch made a motion, seconded by Vice Chair Herr. Commissioner Bruch, Commissioner Jones, Vice Chair Juarez, and Commissioner Herr, voted yes. Motion passed unanimously

8. PUBLIC COMMENT AND COMMUNICATIONS

Sandoval County Commissioners shall receive public comment regarding Agenda items in person or by email at
<http://sandovalcountynm.gov/commission/public-comment/>

No public comment.

9. APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA

Approval of Regular Commission Meeting Minutes of 04/08/2026

Vice Chair Herr made a motion to approve, seconded by Commissioner Bruch. Commissioner Bruch, Commissioner Jones, Chair Juarez, and Vice Chair Herr, voted yes. Motion passed unanimously.

10. ADOPTION OF ORDINANCES / PUBLIC HEARINGS

No Adoption of Ordinances/Public Hearings

11. ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

A. Request for a Motion to Adopt Resolution No. 4-22-26-11A Authorizing the Creation of three (3) new Landfill Spotter/HEO (Non-CDL) Positions for the Landfill.
(Wayne Johnson, County Manager)

Vice Chair Herr made a motion to approve, seconded by Commissioner Bruch. Chair Juarez, Vice Chair Herr, Commissioner Bruch, and Commissioner Jones, voted yes. Motion passed unanimously.

B. Request for a motion to Adopt Resolution No. 4-22-26.11B Authorizing County Staff to submit an application for Technical Assistance to the NMFA for funding considerations to support a regionalization effort of water systems in the Placitas and Algodones area of Sandoval County.
(Eric Masterson, Deputy County Manager)

Commissioner Bruch made a motion to approve, seconded by Vice Chair Herr. Vice Chair Herr, Chair Juarez, Commissioner Bruch, Commissioner Jones, voted yes. Motion passed unanimously.

C. Request for a Motion to Adopt Resolution No. 4-22-26.11C Authorizing the Application submission to the New Mexico Department of Transportation for County Road 13/Rio Puerco Bridge plan and design and to approve the 5% matching funds of the NMDOT TPF Fundings.
(David Martinez, Assistant Director of Public Works)

Commissioner Jones made a motion to approve, seconded by Vice Chair Herr. Chair Juarez, Vice Chair Herr, Commissioner Bruch, and Commissioner Jones, voted yes. Motion passed unanimously.

12. APPROVALS

A. Request for a Motion of Approval of the Letter of Support for Legislation to Permanently Protect the Caja Del Rio.
(Joshua Jones, District 5 County Commission)

Commissioner Bruch made a motion, seconded by Vice Chair Herr. Chair Juarez, Vice Chair Herr, Commissioner Bruch, and Commissioner Jones, voted yes. Motion passed unanimously.

B. Request for a Motion of Approval for the quote submitted by Wizer Electric for scope of work to complete the Cuba Fire station project.
(Chris Bagley, Fire Chief)

Vice Chair Herr made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Bruch. Vice Chair Herr, Commissioner Bruch, Commissioner Jones, and Chair Juarez, voted yes. Motion passed unanimously.

13. APPROVAL OF ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES/ SIGNING OF OFFICIAL DOCUMENTS

Commissioner Jones provided his consent for the usage of his digital signatures.

14. ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE NEXT BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEETING ON MAY 13, 2026, AT 6:00 P.M.

15. COMMISSIONERS DISCUSSION

Commissioner Bruch discussed that on the 27th there will be an event for our veterans. The time and location will be posted online. He also mentioned that on Friday night, our cadets will be performing at the Cleveland High School Performing Arts Center, with details also posted online.

Commissioner Jones announced that May 1st is the San Felipe Feast Day and encouraged everyone to come out and celebrate.

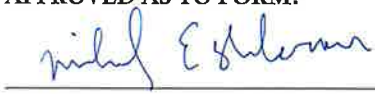
16. ADJOURNMENT

Chair Juarez, stand adjourned at 7:08pm.

DONE IN BERNALILLO, NEW MEXICO, COUNTY OF SANDOVAL, THIS 13th DAY OF MAY, 2026


ANNE BRADY-ROMERO, County Clerk


JORDAN JUAREZ, Chairman

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

MICHAEL ESHLEMAN, County Attorney


JON HERR, Vice Chairman


KATHERINE A. BRUCH, District 1


MICHAEL MEEK, District 3


JOSHUA A. JONES, District 5