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March 9, 2022

### HOUSE EXECUTIVE MESSAGE NO. 38

The Honorable Brian Egolf, Jr., Speaker of the House and  
Members of the House of Representatives  
State Capitol Building  
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Dear Speaker Egolf and Members of the House:

I am pleased to sign HOUSE TAXATION AND REVENUE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL 153, with emergency clause. A narrative explaining the action I have taken on all three pieces of capital-related legislation can be found in the message attached to Senate Bill 212.

Accordingly, I this day SIGN and RETURN:

HOUSE TAXATION & REVENUE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL 153, with emergency clause, enacted by the Fifty-Fifth Legislature, Second Session, 2022, except the following part or parts, item or items, which I have vetoed pursuant to Article IV, Section 22 of the Constitution of the State of New Mexico:

On page 25, line 9, I have vetoed the words "to Graham gymnasium."

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Michelle Lujan Grisham".  
Michelle Lujan Grisham  
Governor

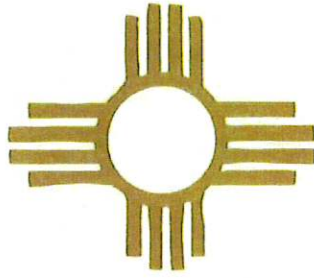
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By [Signature]  
Chief Clerk of the House



The Legislature  
of the  
State of New Mexico

55th Legislature, 2nd Session

LAWS 2022

CHAPTER 55

HOUSE TAXATION AND REVENUE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR

HOUSE BILL 153, with emergency clause

Introduced by **PARTIAL  
VETO**



**EMERGENCY  
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# CHAPTER 55

## AN ACT

RELATING TO GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS; AUTHORIZING THE  
ISSUANCE AND SALE OF CAPITAL PROJECTS GENERAL OBLIGATION  
BONDS TO MAKE CAPITAL EXPENDITURES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN  
FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS, CONSTRUCTION AND ACQUISITIONS, FOR  
LIBRARY ACQUISITIONS AND FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AND  
ACQUISITIONS AT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION, STATE  
SPECIAL SCHOOLS AND TRIBAL SCHOOLS; PROVIDING FOR A PROPERTY  
TAX LEVY FOR PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL OF, INTEREST ON AND CERTAIN  
COSTS RELATED TO THE BONDS; REQUIRING APPROVAL OF THE  
REGISTERED VOTERS AT THE 2022 GENERAL ELECTION OF THE STATE;  
DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.--This act may be cited as the  
"2022 Capital Projects General Obligation Bond Act".

SECTION 2. PURPOSE.--For the purpose of providing funds  
for capital expenditures as authorized in the 2022 Capital  
Projects General Obligation Bond Act, general obligation  
indebtedness of the state is authorized for the purposes and  
in the amounts set forth in Section 10 of that act.

### SECTION 3. BOND TERMS.--

A. The state board of finance, except as limited  
by the 2022 Capital Projects General Obligation Bond Act,  
shall determine the terms, covenants and conditions of bonds



1 issued pursuant to that act, including:

2 (1) date or dates of issue, denominations  
3 and maturities;  
4 (2) principal amounts;  
5 (3) rate or rates of interest; and  
6 (4) provisions for redemption, including  
7 premiums, registration and refundability, whether the bonds  
8 are issued in one or more series and other covenants relating  
9 to the bonds and the issuance thereof.

10 B. The bonds shall be in such form as the state  
11 board of finance determines with an appropriate series  
12 designation and shall bear interest payable as set forth in  
13 the resolution of the state board of finance.

14 C. Payment of the principal of the bonds shall  
15 begin not more than two years after the date of their  
16 issuance, and the bonds shall mature not later than ten years  
17 after the date of their issuance. Both principal and  
18 interest shall be payable in lawful money of the United  
19 States at the office of the paying agent within or without  
20 the state as the state board of finance may direct.

21 D. The bonds shall be executed with the manual or  
22 facsimile signature of the governor or the state treasurer,  
23 and the seal or a facsimile of the seal of the state shall be  
24 placed on each bond, except for any series of bonds issued in  
25 book entry or similar form without the delivery of physical

1 securities.

2 E. The bonds shall be issued in accordance with  
3 the provisions of the 2022 Capital Projects General  
4 Obligation Bond Act, the Supplemental Public Securities Act  
5 and the Uniform Facsimile Signature of Public Officials Act  
6 and may be issued in accordance with the Public Securities  
7 Short-Term Interest Rate Act.

8 F. The full faith and credit of the state is  
9 pledged for the prompt payment when due of the principal of  
10 and interest on all bonds issued and sold pursuant to the  
11 2022 Capital Projects General Obligation Bond Act.

12 SECTION 4. EXPENDITURES.--The proceeds from the sale of  
13 the bonds shall be expended solely for providing money to be  
14 distributed for the purposes and in amounts not to exceed the  
15 amounts set forth in Section 10 of the 2022 Capital Projects  
16 General Obligation Bond Act and to pay expenses incurred  
17 under Section 6 of that act. Any proceeds from the sale of  
18 the bonds that are not required for the purposes set forth in  
19 Sections 6 and 10 of that act shall be used for the purpose  
20 of paying the principal of and interest on the bonds.

21 SECTION 5. SALE.--The bonds authorized under the 2022  
22 Capital Projects General Obligation Bond Act shall be sold by  
23 the state board of finance at such time and in such manner  
24 and amounts as the board may elect. The bonds may be sold at  
25 private sale or at public sale, in either case at not less

1 than par plus accrued interest to the date of delivery. If  
2 sold at public sale, the state board of finance shall publish  
3 a notice of the time and place of sale in a newspaper of  
4 general circulation in the state and may also publish the  
5 notice in a recognized financial journal outside the state.  
6 The required publications shall be made once each week for  
7 two consecutive weeks prior to the date fixed for the sale,  
8 the last publication thereof to be at least five days prior  
9 to the date of the sale. The notice shall specify the  
10 amount, denomination, maturity and description of the bonds  
11 to be offered for sale and the place, date and hour at which  
12 the sealed bids shall be received. At the time and place  
13 specified in the notice, the state board of finance shall  
14 open the bids in public and shall award the bonds to the  
15 bidder or bidders offering the best price for the bonds. The  
16 state board of finance may reject any or all bids and  
17 readvertise and may waive any irregularity in a bid. All  
18 bids, except that of the state, shall be accompanied by a  
19 deposit of two percent of the principal amount of the bonds  
20 in a form acceptable to the state board of finance. The  
21 deposit of an unsuccessful bidder shall be returned upon  
22 rejection of the bid. The state board of finance may also  
23 sell the bonds or any part of the bonds to the state  
24 treasurer or state investment officer. The state treasurer  
25 or state investment officer is authorized to purchase any of



1 the bonds for investment. The bonds are legal investments  
2 for any person or board charged with the investment of any  
3 public funds and may be accepted as security for any deposit  
4 of public money.

5 SECTION 6. EXPENSES.--The expenses incurred by the  
6 state board of finance in or relating to the preparation and  
7 sale of the bonds shall be paid out of the proceeds from the  
8 sale of the bonds, and all rebate, penalty, interest and  
9 other obligations of the state relating to the bonds and bond  
10 proceeds under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended,  
11 shall be paid from earnings on bond proceeds or other money  
12 of the state, legally available for such payments.

13 SECTION 7. PROPERTY TAX LEVY.--To provide for the  
14 payment of the principal of and interest on the bonds issued  
15 and sold pursuant to the provisions of the 2022 Capital  
16 Projects General Obligation Bond Act, there shall be and  
17 there is hereby imposed and levied during each year in which  
18 any of the bonds are outstanding an ad valorem tax on all  
19 property in the state subject to property taxation for state  
20 purposes sufficient to pay the interest as it becomes due on  
21 the bonds, together with an amount sufficient to provide a  
22 sinking fund to pay the principal of the bonds as it becomes  
23 due, and, if permitted by law, ad valorem taxes may be  
24 collected to pay administrative costs incident to the  
25 collection of such taxes. The taxes shall be imposed,



1 levied, assessed and collected at the times and in the manner  
2 that other property taxes for state purposes are imposed,  
3 levied, assessed and collected. It is the duty of all tax  
4 officials and authorities to cause these taxes to be imposed,  
5 levied, assessed and collected.

6 SECTION 8. TREASURER--DUTIES.--The state treasurer  
7 shall keep separate accounts of all money collected pursuant  
8 to the taxes imposed and levied pursuant to the provisions of  
9 the 2022 Capital Projects General Obligation Bond Act and  
10 shall use this money only for the purposes of paying the  
11 principal of and interest on the bonds as they become due and  
12 any expenses relating thereto.

13 SECTION 9. IRREPEALABLE CONTRACT--AUTHORITY FOR  
14 ISSUANCE.--An owner of bonds issued pursuant to the  
15 provisions of the 2022 Capital Projects General Obligation  
16 Bond Act may, either at law or in equity, by suit, action or  
17 mandamus, enforce and compel the performance of the duties  
18 required by that act of any officer or entity mentioned in  
19 that act. The provisions of that act constitute an  
20 irrepealable contract with the owners of any of the bonds  
21 issued pursuant to that act for the faithful performance of  
22 which the full faith and credit of the state is pledged.  
23 Without reference to any other act of the legislature, the  
24 2022 Capital Projects General Obligation Bond Act is full  
25 authority for the issuance and sale of the bonds authorized

1 in that act, and such bonds shall have all the qualities of  
2 investment securities under the Uniform Commercial Code,  
3 shall not be invalid for any irregularity or defect in the  
4 proceedings for the issuance and sale of the bonds and shall  
5 be incontestable in the hands of bona fide purchasers or  
6 holders thereof for value. All bonds issued under the  
7 provisions of that act, and the interest thereon, are exempt  
8 from taxation by the state and any subdivision or public body  
9 thereof.

10 SECTION 10. PROJECTS.--The proceeds from the sale of  
11 bonds issued under the provisions of the 2022 Capital  
12 Projects General Obligation Bond Act shall be distributed as  
13 follows for the purposes and in the amounts specified:

14 A. for senior citizen facility improvement,  
15 construction and equipment acquisition projects, to the aging  
16 and long-term services department:

17 (1) forty thousand one hundred forty-one  
18 dollars (\$40,141) to purchase and install meals equipment and  
19 other equipment for the Barelás senior center in Albuquerque  
20 in Bernalillo county;

21 (2) three hundred seventy-five thousand  
22 fifty dollars (\$375,050) to purchase and equip vehicles for  
23 the city of Albuquerque senior affairs nutrition and  
24 transportation program in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county;

25 (3) three hundred fifty-three thousand three

1 hundred fifty-eight dollars (\$353,358) for renovations to the  
2 Highland senior center in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county;

3 (4) two million nine hundred seventy-one  
4 thousand four hundred forty-two dollars (\$2,971,442) for  
5 renovations to the North Valley senior center in Albuquerque  
6 in Bernalillo county;

7 (5) one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for  
8 renovations to the Palo Duro senior center in Albuquerque in  
9 Bernalillo county;

10 (6) two hundred thirty-five thousand dollars  
11 (\$235,000) for renovations to the Raymond G. Sanchez senior  
12 center in Bernalillo county;

13 (7) four hundred fifty-seven thousand  
14 dollars (\$457,000) for renovations to the Whispering Pines  
15 senior center in Bernalillo county;

16 (8) ninety thousand dollars (\$90,000) for  
17 renovations to the Glenwood senior center in Catron county;

18 (9) fifty-two thousand dollars (\$52,000) to  
19 purchase and equip vehicles for the Glenwood senior center in  
20 Catron county;

21 (10) ninety-two thousand five hundred  
22 dollars (\$92,500) to purchase and install meals equipment and  
23 other equipment for the Quemado senior center in Catron  
24 county;

25 (11) forty thousand dollars (\$40,000) to



1 purchase and install meals equipment and other equipment for  
2 the Reserve senior center in Catron county;

3 (12) forty thousand dollars (\$40,000) for  
4 renovations to the Reserve senior center in Catron county;

5 (13) forty-three thousand five hundred  
6 dollars (\$43,500) for improvements to the facility to address  
7 code compliance issues and for the purchase and installation  
8 of equipment and building systems at La Casa senior center in  
9 Curry county;

10 (14) seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000)  
11 to plan and design the Fort Sumner senior center in Fort  
12 Sumner in De Baca county;

13 (15) fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) to  
14 purchase and equip vehicles for the Fort Sumner senior center  
15 in Fort Sumner in De Baca county;

16 (16) thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000)  
17 for renovations to the Frank O'Brien Papen community center  
18 in Las Cruces in Dona Ana county;

19 (17) six hundred sixty-six thousand one  
20 hundred ninety-nine dollars (\$666,199) to plan, design,  
21 construct, equip and furnish the Robert P. Munson senior  
22 center in Las Cruces in Dona Ana county;

23 (18) one hundred ten thousand dollars  
24 (\$110,000) to purchase and equip vehicles for the Robert P.  
25 Munson senior center in Las Cruces in Dona Ana county;



1                   (19) one million three hundred fifty-two  
2 thousand four hundred forty-two dollars (\$1,352,442) for  
3 renovations to the Alejandro Ruiz senior center in Carlsbad  
4 in Eddy county;

5                   (20) one hundred sixty-two thousand  
6 twenty-four dollars (\$162,024) to purchase and equip vehicles  
7 for the Alejandro Ruiz senior center in Carlsbad in Eddy  
8 county;

9                   (21) thirty-eight thousand two hundred  
10 dollars (\$38,200) to purchase and equip vehicles for the Gila  
11 senior center in Grant county;

12                   (22) thirty-eight thousand two hundred  
13 dollars (\$38,200) to purchase and equip vehicles for the  
14 Mimbres senior center in Grant county;

15                   (23) thirty-eight thousand two hundred  
16 dollars (\$38,200) to purchase and equip vehicles for the  
17 Santa Clara senior center in Santa Clara in Grant county;

18                   (24) sixty thousand five hundred dollars  
19 (\$60,500) to purchase and equip vehicles for the Hobbs senior  
20 center in Hobbs in Lea county;

21                   (25) thirty-four thousand two hundred  
22 eighty-four dollars (\$34,284) to purchase and equip vehicles  
23 for the senior center in Capitan in Lincoln county;

24                   (26) forty-eight thousand four hundred  
25 twenty-nine dollars (\$48,429) to purchase and equip vehicles

1 for the Carrizozo senior center in Lincoln county;

2 (27) thirty-four thousand two hundred  
3 eighty-four dollars (\$34,284) to purchase and equip vehicles  
4 for the Corona senior center in Lincoln county;

5 (28) thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) to  
6 purchase and equip vehicles for the Hondo senior center in  
7 Lincoln county;

8 (29) ninety-four thousand dollars (\$94,000)  
9 for renovations to the Ruidoso community center in Ruidoso in  
10 Lincoln county;

11 (30) forty-eight thousand four hundred  
12 twenty-nine dollars (\$48,429) to purchase and equip vehicles  
13 for the Ruidoso Downs senior center in Ruidoso Downs in  
14 Lincoln county;

15 (31) fifty-seven thousand five hundred  
16 seventy-nine dollars (\$57,579) for renovations, including the  
17 purchase and installation of equipment, to the Deming senior  
18 center in Deming in Luna county;

19 (32) five million four hundred fifteen  
20 thousand three hundred dollars (\$5,415,300) to plan, design,  
21 construct, equip and furnish the Gallup senior center in  
22 Gallup in McKinley county;

23 (33) seventy-six thousand dollars (\$76,000)  
24 to purchase and equip vehicles for the Gallup senior center  
25 in Gallup in McKinley county;

1 (34) sixty-two thousand two hundred sixty-  
2 two dollars (\$62,262) for renovations, including the purchase  
3 and installation of equipment, to the Logan senior center in  
4 Logan in Quay county;

5 (35) seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000) to  
6 purchase and equip vehicles for the Alcalde senior center in  
7 Rio Arriba county;

8 (36) ninety thousand dollars (\$90,000) to  
9 purchase and equip vehicles for the Beatrice Martinez senior  
10 center in Espanola in Rio Arriba county;

11 (37) seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000)  
12 to plan and design the Chama senior center in Rio Arriba  
13 county;

14 (38) seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000) to  
15 purchase and equip vehicles for the Coyote senior center in  
16 Rio Arriba county;

17 (39) seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000) to  
18 purchase and equip vehicles for the Espanola senior center in  
19 Espanola in Rio Arriba county;

20 (40) seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000) to  
21 purchase and equip vehicles for the Chimayo La Arboleda  
22 senior center in Rio Arriba county;

23 (41) one hundred sixteen thousand two  
24 hundred thirty-seven dollars (\$116,237) for renovations to  
25 the Santa Clara Pueblo adult daycare center in the Pueblo of

1 Santa Clara in Rio Arriba county;

2 (42) twenty-four thousand dollars (\$24,000)  
3 to purchase and install meals equipment and other equipment  
4 for the Blanco senior center in San Juan county;

5 (43) fifty-five thousand dollars (\$55,000)  
6 to purchase and equip vehicles for the Blanco senior center  
7 in San Juan county;

8 (44) thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000)  
9 for renovations to the Bloomfield senior center in Bloomfield  
10 in San Juan county;

11 (45) twenty-four thousand dollars (\$24,000)  
12 to purchase and install meals equipment and other equipment  
13 for the Lower Valley senior center in San Juan county;

14 (46) one hundred thirty thousand dollars  
15 (\$130,000) to purchase and install meals equipment and other  
16 equipment for the Las Vegas senior center in Las Vegas in San  
17 Miguel county;

18 (47) one hundred forty thousand dollars  
19 (\$140,000) to purchase and equip vehicles for the Las Vegas  
20 senior center in Las Vegas in San Miguel county;

21 (48) twenty-five thousand eight hundred ten  
22 dollars (\$25,810) for renovations to the Bernalillo senior  
23 center in Sandoval county;

24 (49) thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) to  
25 purchase and equip vehicles for the Bernalillo senior center



1 in Sandoval county;

2 (50) seven hundred seventy-four thousand  
3 five hundred sixty-nine dollars (\$774,569) to plan, design,  
4 construct, equip and furnish the Broadmoor senior center in  
5 Rio Rancho in Sandoval county;

6 (51) two hundred twenty-six thousand four  
7 hundred seventy-four dollars (\$226,474) for renovations to  
8 the Meadowlark senior center in Rio Rancho in Sandoval  
9 county;

10 (52) thirty thousand two hundred eight  
11 dollars (\$30,208) to purchase and equip vehicles for the Pena  
12 Blanca community center in Sandoval county;

13 (53) five hundred thousand dollars  
14 (\$500,000) for renovations to the Chimayo senior center, also  
15 known as the Benny J. Chavez community center, in Santa Fe  
16 county;

17 (54) two hundred thirty-five thousand six  
18 hundred thirty dollars (\$235,630) to purchase and install  
19 meals equipment and other equipment for the Mary Esther  
20 Gonzales senior center in Santa Fe in Santa Fe county;

21 (55) sixty-five thousand eight hundred five  
22 dollars (\$65,805) to purchase and install meals equipment and  
23 other equipment for the Pasatiempo senior center in Santa Fe  
24 in Santa Fe county;

25 (56) two million forty-one thousand four

1 hundred forty-one dollars (\$2,041,441) to plan, design,  
2 construct, equip and furnish the Santa Cruz senior center in  
3 Santa Fe county;

4 (57) one million four hundred fifty thousand  
5 dollars (\$1,450,000) to plan, design, construct, equip and  
6 furnish the Amalia senior center in Taos county;

7 (58) seven hundred twenty-seven thousand  
8 five hundred eighty-seven dollars (\$727,587) to plan, design,  
9 construct, equip and furnish the Questa senior center in Taos  
10 county;

11 (59) one hundred sixty-nine thousand six  
12 hundred twenty-one dollars (\$169,621) for renovations,  
13 including the purchase and installation of equipment, to the  
14 Estancia senior center in Torrance county;

15 (60) fifty-three thousand five hundred  
16 ninety-nine dollars (\$53,599) to plan and design the Moriarty  
17 senior center in Torrance county;

18 (61) one hundred fifty-eight thousand eight  
19 hundred sixty-one dollars (\$158,861) for renovations,  
20 including the purchase and installation of equipment, to the  
21 Mountainair senior center in Torrance county;

22 (62) fifty-eight thousand dollars (\$58,000)  
23 to purchase and install meals equipment and other equipment  
24 for the Belen senior center in Valencia county;

25 (63) fifty-five thousand dollars (\$55,000)

1 to purchase and equip vehicles for the Bosque Farms community  
2 center in Bosque Farms in Valencia county;

3 (64) four hundred sixty thousand dollars  
4 (\$460,000) to plan, design, construct, equip and furnish the  
5 Del Rio senior center in Valencia county;

6 (65) fifty-eight thousand dollars (\$58,000)  
7 to purchase and install meals equipment and other equipment  
8 for the Del Rio senior center in Valencia county;

9 (66) seventy-three thousand dollars  
10 (\$73,000) to purchase and install meals equipment and other  
11 equipment for the Meadow Lake senior center in Valencia  
12 county;

13 (67) seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000)  
14 to plan, design, construct, renovate and improve the Acoma  
15 Pueblo senior center, including replacement of wheelchair-  
16 accessible doors and energy-efficient windows, for the Pueblo  
17 of Acoma in Cibola county;

18 (68) one hundred twenty-three thousand  
19 dollars (\$123,000) to plan, design, construct, purchase and  
20 equip the Laguna senior center for the Pueblo of Laguna in  
21 Cibola county;

22 (69) five hundred thousand dollars  
23 (\$500,000) to plan, design, construct, renovate and improve  
24 the Santa Clara Pueblo adult daycare center, including  
25 flooring and lighting, for the Pueblo of Santa Clara in Rio

1 Arriba county;

2 (70) one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000)  
3 to purchase and equip vehicles for the San Felipe Pueblo  
4 senior center for the Pueblo of San Felipe in Sandoval  
5 county;

6 (71) one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000)  
7 to plan, design, construct, renovate and improve the Pojoaque  
8 Pueblo senior center, including the heating, ventilation and  
9 air conditioning systems and railings, for the Pueblo of  
10 Pojoaque in Santa Fe county; and

11 (72) eight hundred twenty-two thousand  
12 dollars (\$822,000) to acquire easements and rights of way and  
13 to plan, design, construct, equip and furnish a new senior  
14 daycare facility in the Pueblo of Taos in Taos county;

15 B. for library acquisitions at public libraries,  
16 public school libraries, academic libraries and tribal  
17 libraries statewide:

18 (1) to the cultural affairs department:

19 (a) six million dollars (\$6,000,000)  
20 for equipment, library furniture, fixtures and supplemental  
21 library resource acquisitions, including print, non-print and  
22 electronic resources, collaborative library resources and  
23 information technology projects, and for the purchase and  
24 installation of broadband internet equipment and  
25 infrastructure at non-tribal public libraries statewide; and



1 (b) one million dollars (\$1,000,000)  
2 for equipment, library furniture, fixtures and supplemental  
3 library resource acquisitions, including print, non-print and  
4 electronic resources, collaborative library resources and  
5 information technology projects, and for the purchase and  
6 installation of broadband internet equipment and  
7 infrastructure at tribal libraries statewide;

8 (2) to the higher education department, six  
9 million dollars (\$6,000,000) for supplemental library  
10 resource acquisitions, including books, equipment, electronic  
11 resources, collaborative library resources and information  
12 technology projects, for academic libraries statewide; and

13 (3) to the public education department, six  
14 million dollars (\$6,000,000) for equipment and supplemental  
15 library resource acquisitions, including print, non-print and  
16 electronic resources, at public school libraries statewide;  
17 and

18 C. for capital improvements and acquisitions at  
19 institutions of higher education, special schools and tribal  
20 schools statewide:

21 (1) to the board of regents of eastern New  
22 Mexico university:

23 (a) two million four hundred  
24 seventy-five thousand dollars (\$2,475,000) to plan, design,  
25 construct, renovate, purchase and install fire suppression

1 systems for the occupational technology center, physical  
2 education center and arts and science center at the Roswell  
3 branch campus of eastern New Mexico university in Chaves  
4 county; and

5 (b) nine million dollars (\$9,000,000)  
6 to plan, design, construct, furnish and equip a new student  
7 academic services building at eastern New Mexico university  
8 in Portales in Roosevelt county;

9 (2) to the higher education department:

10 (a) fifteen million dollars  
11 (\$15,000,000) to plan, design, construct, furnish and equip a  
12 trades and applied technologies facility at central New  
13 Mexico community college in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county;

14 (b) one million six hundred eighty-five  
15 thousand dollars (\$1,685,000) to plan, design and construct  
16 infrastructure improvements, including drainage and parking  
17 lot improvements, at Clovis community college in Clovis in  
18 Curry county;

19 (c) two million one hundred thousand  
20 dollars (\$2,100,000) to plan, design, construct, furnish and  
21 equip a vocational trades building at New Mexico junior  
22 college in Hobbs in Lea county;

23 (d) four million dollars (\$4,000,000)  
24 to plan, design, construct, furnish and equip a trades  
25 building at Navajo technical university in Crownpoint in

McKinley county;

(e) five million dollars (\$5,000,000) to plan, design, construct, furnish and equip a student services facility for the south campus at the Shiprock branch campus of Dine college in San Juan county;

(f) three million dollars (\$3,000,000) to plan, design, construct, purchase and equip information technology infrastructure upgrades campuswide at San Juan college in Farmington in San Juan county;

(g) one million five hundred thousand dollars (\$1,500,000) to plan, design, construct, renovate and equip infrastructure improvements campuswide, including heating, ventilation and air conditioning replacements, at Luna community college in Las Vegas in San Miguel county; and

(h) two million three hundred thousand dollars (\$2,300,000) to plan, design, construct, renovate and equip infrastructure improvements, including heating, ventilation and air conditioning systems in the main and west wing buildings, at Santa Fe community college in Santa Fe county;

(3) to the board of regents of the New Mexico school for the blind and visually impaired, four million dollars (\$4,000,000) to plan, design, construct, furnish and equip a residential cottage at the New Mexico school for the blind and visually impaired in Alamogordo in

1 Otero county;

2 (4) to the board of regents of New Mexico  
3 highlands university, four million five hundred thousand  
4 dollars (\$4,500,000) to plan, design, construct, furnish and  
5 equip a facilities building, including abatement and  
6 demolition, at New Mexico highlands university in Las Vegas  
7 in San Miguel county;

8 (5) to the board of regents of the New  
9 Mexico institute of mining and technology:

10 (a) five million dollars (\$5,000,000)  
11 to plan, design, construct, renovate and equip infrastructure  
12 improvements to the Playas training and research center at  
13 the New Mexico institute of mining and technology in Playas  
14 in Hidalgo county; and

15 (b) three million three hundred  
16 thousand dollars (\$3,300,000) to plan, design, construct,  
17 furnish and equip Kelly hall at the New Mexico institute of  
18 mining and technology in Socorro in Socorro county;

19 (6) to the board of regents of New Mexico  
20 military institute, four million dollars (\$4,000,000) to  
21 plan, design, construct, demolish, furnish and equip an  
22 expansion to Bates hall at the New Mexico military institute  
23 in Roswell in Chaves county;

24 (7) to the board of regents of the New  
25 Mexico school for the deaf, one million four hundred thousand



1 dollars (\$1,400,000) to plan, design, construct, renovate,  
2 furnish and equip improvements and an addition to the  
3 Albuquerque preschool facility for the New Mexico school for  
4 the deaf in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county;

5 (8) to the board of regents of New Mexico  
6 state university:

7 (a) twenty-two million five hundred  
8 thousand dollars (\$22,500,000) to plan, design, construct,  
9 furnish and equip a college of engineering facility,  
10 including abatement and demolition of Thomas and Brown hall,  
11 at New Mexico state university in Las Cruces in Dona Ana  
12 county;

13 (b) thirteen million five hundred  
14 thousand dollars (\$13,500,000) to plan, design, construct,  
15 renovate, furnish and equip the health and social sciences  
16 building and O'Donnell hall at New Mexico state university in  
17 Las Cruces in Dona Ana county;

18 (c) two million dollars (\$2,000,000) to  
19 plan, design, construct, renovate, furnish and equip the  
20 school of nursing skills and simulation center in the health  
21 and social services building at New Mexico state university  
22 in Las Cruces in Dona Ana county;

23 (d) one million three hundred fifty  
24 thousand dollars (\$1,350,000) to plan, design, construct,  
25 renovate, furnish and equip infrastructure improvements,

1 including roof replacement, at the Dona Ana branch community  
2 college campuses of New Mexico state university in Dona Ana  
3 county;

4 (e) one million two hundred fifty  
5 thousand dollars (\$1,250,000) to plan, design, construct,  
6 renovate and equip infrastructure improvements, including  
7 roof replacement, to Martinez hall at the Grants branch  
8 campus of New Mexico state university in Cibola county; and

9 (f) ten million five hundred thousand  
10 dollars (\$10,500,000) to plan, design, construct, renovate,  
11 furnish and equip, including abatement and demolition, the  
12 New Mexico department of agriculture building at New Mexico  
13 state university in Las Cruces in Dona Ana county;

14 (9) to the board of regents of northern New  
15 Mexico state school, three million dollars (\$3,000,000) to  
16 plan, design, construct and repair infrastructure  
17 improvements, including parking lots and roads, at the  
18 Espanola and El Rito campuses of northern New Mexico state  
19 school in Rio Arriba county;

20 (10) to the board of regents of the  
21 university of New Mexico:

22 (a) forty-five million dollars  
23 (\$45,000,000) to plan, design, construct, furnish and equip a  
24 new center for collaborative art and technology at the  
25 university of New Mexico in Albuquerque in Bernalillo county;

1 (b) thirty-six million dollars  
2 (\$36,000,000) to plan, design, construct, renovate, furnish  
3 and equip a children's psychiatric center for the health  
4 sciences center at the university of New Mexico in  
5 Albuquerque in Bernalillo county;

6 (c) three million dollars (\$3,000,000)  
7 to plan, design, construct, renovate and equip infrastructure  
8 improvements to Gurley hall at the Gallup branch campus of  
9 the university of New Mexico in McKinley county;

10 (d) one million three hundred thousand  
11 dollars (\$1,300,000) to plan, design, construct, renovate,  
12 furnish and equip infrastructure improvements campuswide at  
13 the Los Alamos branch campus of the university of New Mexico  
14 in Los Alamos county;

15 (e) three million dollars (\$3,000,000)  
16 to plan, design, construct, renovate, furnish and equip  
17 renovations and an addition to Fred Peralta hall at the Taos  
18 branch campus of the university of New Mexico in Taos county;  
19 and

20 (f) nine hundred thousand dollars  
21 (\$900,000) to plan, design, construct, renovate, furnish and  
22 install improvements, including roof replacement and solar  
23 installation, to the learning commons resource center at the  
24 Valencia branch campus of the university of New Mexico in  
25 Valencia county; and

1 (11) to the board of regents of western New  
2 Mexico university:

3 (a) two million dollars (\$2,000,000) to  
4 plan, design, construct, furnish and equip a Deming learning  
5 center at western New Mexico university in Deming in Luna  
6 county; and

7 (b) two million dollars (\$2,000,000) to  
8 plan, design, construct, renovate, furnish and equip  
9 infrastructure improvements <sup>MLJ</sup> to ~~Graham~~ <sup>MLJ</sup> ~~gymnasium~~, including  
10 roadway improvements to Kentucky street, at western New  
11 Mexico university in Silver City in Grant county.

12 SECTION 11. ELECTION.--

13 A. Bonds issued pursuant to the 2022 Capital  
14 Projects General Obligation Bond Act shall be submitted to  
15 the registered voters of the state at the general election to  
16 be held in November 2022, and, if they receive a majority of  
17 all the votes cast thereon at such election, shall take  
18 effect upon certification of the state canvassing board  
19 announcing the results of the election. No bonds shall be  
20 issued or sold under that act until the registered voters of  
21 this state have voted upon and approved the bonds and  
22 property tax as provided in this section. Any bonds issued  
23 under that act shall be issued within thirty months from the  
24 date of such election.

25 B. The ballots used at the 2022 general election



1 shall contain substantially the following language:

2 (1) "The 2022 Capital Projects General  
3 Obligation Bond Act authorizes the issuance and sale of  
4 senior citizen facility improvement, construction and  
5 equipment acquisition bonds. Shall the state be authorized  
6 to issue general obligation bonds in an amount not to exceed  
7 twenty-four million four hundred seventy thousand dollars  
8 (\$24,470,000) to make capital expenditures for certain senior  
9 citizen facility improvement, construction and equipment  
10 acquisition projects and provide for a general property tax  
11 imposition and levy for the payment of principal of, interest  
12 on and expenses incurred in connection with the issuance of  
13 the bonds and the collection of the tax as permitted by law?

14 For \_\_\_\_\_ Against \_\_\_\_\_";

15 (2) "The 2022 Capital Projects General  
16 Obligation Bond Act authorizes the issuance and sale of  
17 library acquisition bonds. Shall the state be authorized to  
18 issue general obligation bonds in an amount not to exceed  
19 nineteen million two hundred sixty-six thousand dollars  
20 (\$19,266,000) to make capital expenditures for academic,  
21 public school, tribal and public library resource  
22 acquisitions and provide for a general property tax  
23 imposition and levy for the payment of principal of, interest  
24 on and expenses incurred in connection with the issuance of  
25 the bonds and the collection of the tax as permitted by law?

1                               For \_\_\_\_\_ Against \_\_\_\_\_";

2       and

3                               (3) "The 2022 Capital Projects General  
4       Obligation Bond Act authorizes the issuance and sale of  
5       higher education, special schools and tribal schools capital  
6       improvement and acquisition bonds. Shall the state be  
7       authorized to issue general obligation bonds in an amount not  
8       to exceed two hundred fifteen million nine hundred eighty-six  
9       thousand dollars (\$215,986,000) to make capital expenditures  
10      for certain higher education, special schools and tribal  
11      schools capital improvements and acquisitions and provide for  
12      a general property tax imposition and levy for the payment of  
13      principal of, interest on and expenses incurred in connection  
14      with the issuance of the bonds and the collection of the tax  
15      as permitted by law?

16                              For \_\_\_\_\_ Against \_\_\_\_\_".

17                              C. Each question set forth in this section  
18      includes a specific work or object to be financed by the  
19      bonds. If any such question is not approved by a majority  
20      vote of the electorate at the state's 2022 general election,  
21      the issuance of bonds for the work or object specified by the  
22      question shall be excluded from and shall not be part of the  
23      2022 Capital Projects General Obligation Bond Act. The  
24      failure of a question to be approved by the electorate at the  
25      2022 general election shall not affect those questions that

1 are approved at the election.

2 D. The secretary of state shall include the  
3 submission of the capital projects general obligation bonds  
4 to the people at the 2022 general election, and it shall be  
5 included in the general election proclamation. The secretary  
6 of state shall cause the 2022 Capital Projects General  
7 Obligation Bond Act to be published in full in at least one  
8 newspaper in each county of the state if one be published  
9 therein, once each week, for four successive weeks next  
10 preceding the general election as required by the  
11 constitution of New Mexico.

12 SECTION 12. ART IN PUBLIC PLACES.--Pursuant to Section  
13 13-4A-4 NMSA 1978 and where applicable, the appropriations  
14 authorized in the 2022 Capital Projects General Obligation  
15 Bond Act include money for the art in public places fund.

16 SECTION 13. PROJECT SCOPE--EXPENDITURES--REVERSION.--

17 A. If an appropriation for a project authorized in  
18 the 2022 Capital Projects General Obligation Bond Act is not  
19 sufficient to complete all the purposes specified, the  
20 appropriation may be expended for any portion of the purposes  
21 specified in the appropriation. Expenditures shall not be  
22 made for purposes other than those specified in the  
23 appropriation.


24 B. The state agencies and state institutions to  
25 which money has been appropriated in the 2022 Capital

1 Projects General Obligation Bond Act shall be responsible for  
2 monitoring the projects funded in that act to ensure  
3 compliance with the constitution and laws of New Mexico and  
4 shall cause to be reverted any unexpended or unencumbered  
5 balance remaining at the earlier of the third full fiscal  
6 year after issuance of the bonds or the termination or  
7 completion of the specific project. Reverted funds shall be  
8 deposited in the debt service fund established by the state  
9 treasurer for the purpose of paying the principal of and  
10 interest on the state's general obligation bonds.

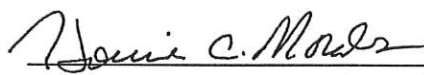
11 SECTION 14. SEVERABILITY.--If any part or application  
12 of the 2022 Capital Projects General Obligation Bond Act is  
13 held invalid, the remainder or its application to other  
14 situations or persons shall not be affected.

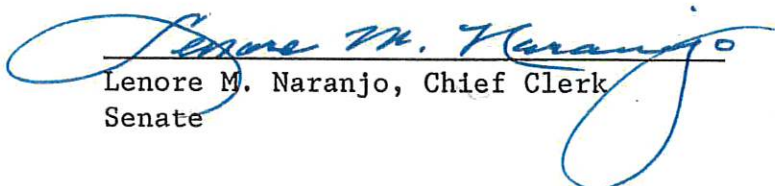
15 SECTION 15. EMERGENCY.--It is necessary for the public  
16 peace, health and safety that this act take effect  
17 immediately. \_\_\_\_\_



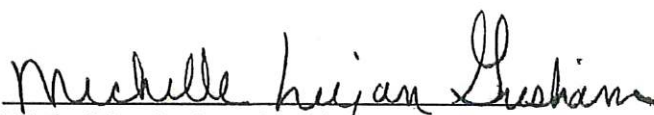
  
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Approved by me this 9<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2022

  
Michelle Lujan Grisham, Governor  
State of New Mexico