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CITY OF HOBBS  
RESOLUTION NO. 3917

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING EFFORTS TO  
LOCATE LOUISIANA ENERGY SERVICES, L.P.  
IN SOUTHEASTERN NEW MEXICO

WHEREAS, Louisiana Energy Services, L.P. (National Enrichment Facility) seeks to build a uranium enrichment plant to provide enriched uranium for the United States nuclear energy industry; and

WHEREAS, the economic benefit to Southeastern New Mexico will be stability, growth, job creation, and industry diversification; and

WHEREAS, the facility will produce a depleted uranium byproduct in cylinders (Uranium Byproduct Cylinders-UBCs) that will be temporarily stored onsite; and

WHEREAS, the facility will be virtually the same as uranium enrichment plants that have operated safely in Europe for more than 30 years; and

WHEREAS, the facility will be licensed and regulated by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, along with appropriate state agencies; and

WHEREAS, the facility will have regulated air and water emissions at or below state and federal limits, as allowed by the NRC and New Mexico Environment Department; and

WHEREAS, the National Enrichment Facility, to be situated in Southeastern New Mexico, has the support of major U.S. utilities, the DOE, and U. S. Senate Energy Committee Chairman Pete Domenici and Congressman Steve Pearce.

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF HOBBS, NEW MEXICO that the municipality supports locating such facility in Southeast New Mexico in the interest of regional economic stability.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 4th day of August 2003.

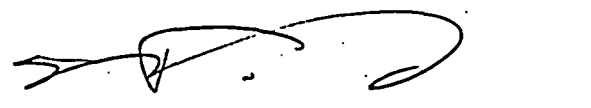
  
ROBERT P. WALLACH, Mayor

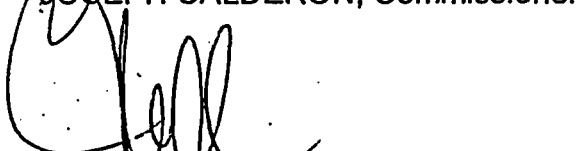
  
GARY FONAY, Commissioner

ABSENT  
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MARK BAWCUM, Commissioner

  
HECTOR RAMIREZ, Commissioner

  
JOSEPH CALDERON, Commissioner

  
MONTY NEWMAN, Commissioner

  
JOHN BOYD, Commissioner