

**CITY of ALBUQUERQUE
NINETEENTH COUNCIL**

R.2011.006

COUNCIL BILL NO. F/S R-10-167 ENACTMENT NO. _____

SPONSORED BY: Trudy Jones

1 **RESOLUTION**
2 **REQUESTING THE ADMINISTRATION TO CONDUCT AN EVALUATION OF**
3 **COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE CITY'S WASHINGTON REPRESENTATIVE TO**
4 **DETERMINE HOW IT COMPARES TO OTHER JURISDICTIONS.**

5 **WHEREAS, the City of Albuquerque has historically used the services of a**
6 **lobbyist in Washington, D.C. to assist with furthering the City's federal**
7 **program and to advise City leaders with regard to federal issues and funding;**
8 **and**

9 **WHEREAS, the City of Albuquerque has retained the services of a lead**
10 **Washington representative for over 20 years; and**

11 **WHEREAS, the City's contract with the current lobbyist will expire on June**
12 **30, 2011; and**

13 **WHEREAS, given the City's financial situation, it would be prudent to**
14 **ensure that its costs are in line with other jurisdictions prior to entering into**
15 **another contract.**

16 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL, THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF**
17 **ALBUQUERQUE:**

18 **Section 1. The Administration is requested to conduct an analysis of other**
19 **jurisdictions to compare related expenses.**

20 **Section 2. The Administration should provide its findings and present**
21 **them to the City Intergovernmental and Legislative Relations Committee.**

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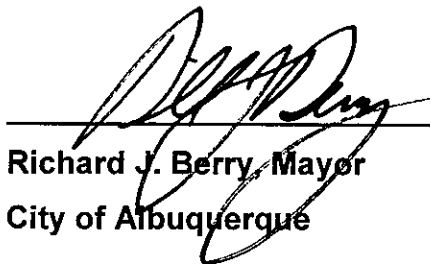
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2 BY A VOTE OF: 9 FOR 0 AGAINST.

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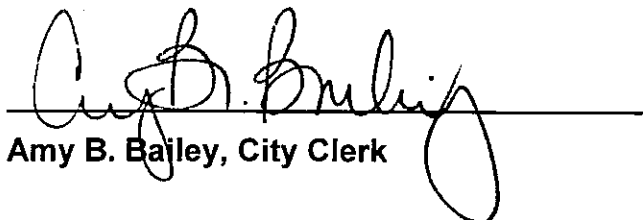
7 Don F. Harris, President
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11 APPROVED THIS 16th DAY OF February, 2011
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16 Bill No. F/S R-10-167
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20 Richard J. Berry, Mayor
21 City of Albuquerque
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28 Amy B. Bailey, City Clerk
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