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CITY of ALBUQUERQUE
EIGHTEENTH COUNCIL

COUNCIL BILL NO. R-09-366 ENACTMENT NO. _____

SPONSORED BY: Ken Sanchez

RESOLUTION

Naming The Fitness Center of Los Volcanes Senior Center "Joe O. Armijo Senior Fitness Center" (Sanchez)
NAMING THE FITNESS CENTER OF LOS VOLCANES SENIOR CENTER, "JOE O. ARMIJO SENIOR FITNESS
CENTER."

WHEREAS, Joe Armijo dedicated his time to the lives and well being of the Senior Citizen's of Albuquerque; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Armijo served his community through his appointment by Mayor Chávez and the Albuquerque
City Council as a member of the Department of Senior Affairs Advisory Board for nearly ten years; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Armijo served as President of the Department of Senior Affairs Advisory Board, committing his
time to enhance the lives of the senior citizens of Albuquerque; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Armijo and his wife Mary Lou Vau Armijo shared their time with other seniors at Los Volcanes
Senior breakfasts almost every morning; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Armijo served his Country in World War II and was a member of the Knights of Columbus, the
New Mexico Court Association, and the New Mexico Officials Association; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Armijo was a devoted husband and father to his 11 children, and a devoted grandfather to his 29
grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Armijo participated in senior activities with his wife at Los Volcanes Senior Center and also
participated in the Ribbon Cutting Ceremonies for Los Volcanes Fitness Center in July 2008; and

WHEREAS, the family of Joe O. Armijo, the senior citizens of Los Volcanes Senior Center, the senior citizens of
Albuquerque, and the community of City Council District One lost a good friend and public servant on April 10, 2009; and

WHEREAS, Joe O. Armijo will be greatly missed and his legacy long remembered.

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

Section 1. That the Fitness Center at Los Volcanes Senior Center shall be named the "Joe O. Armijo Senior
Fitness Center" to commemorate his dedication to the senior citizens of his community and the City of Albuquerque.

Section 2. That a plaque bearing the name "Joe O. Armijo Senior Fitness Center" shall be prominently placed on
the Fitness Center at Los Volcanes Senior Center.

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