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CITY of ALBUQUERQUE
TWENTY FIFTH COUNCIL

COUNCIL BILL NO. R-23-138

ENACTMENT NO. _____

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RESOLUTION

**Establishing The City Council President Or Their Designee As The City Representative On
The Albuquerque Regional Economic Alliance (AREA) Board Of Directors (Lewis)
ESTABLISHING THE CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT OR THEIR DESIGNEE AS THE CITY
REPRESENTATIVE ON THE ALBUQUERQUE REGIONAL ECONOMIC ALLIANCE (AREA)
BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**

**WHEREAS, Albuquerque Regional Economic Alliance (AREA) is the newly rebranded
Albuquerque Economic Development; and**

**WHEREAS, AREA is a regional organization that promotes economic development
within the Albuquerque metropolitan area; and**

**WHEREAS, the AREA 1.0 Regional Plan for Economic Growth and Resiliency lists
the following three goals: GOAL 1 Establish National Identity as Leading Location for
Business, GOAL 2 Attract, Retain and Align Talent, GOAL 3 Break Down Barriers to
Regional Competitiveness; and**

**WHEREAS, AREA has a Board of Directors comprised of business, real estate, and
elected officials from the Albuquerque region; and**

**WHEREAS, the City of Albuquerque provides funds to support the work of AREA;
and**

**WHEREAS, at present there is no City of Albuquerque representative on the board of
directors; and**

WHEREAS, the City Council provides representatives to boards for multiple different local organizations, including but not limited to the Hispano Chamber of Commerce, Visit Albuquerque, Explora, and the New Mexico Municipal League; and

WHEREAS, given the regional importance of AREA, the City Council President or their designee should provide representation on the AREA board of directors.

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

SECTION 1. The City of Albuquerque representative on the AREA board of directors shall be a member of the City Council appointed by the President.

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