

RESOLUTION NO. 08-11

**A RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT BY THE CITY OF ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO AS PARTNER WITH MAINSTREET ROSWELL TO COLLABORATE IN A COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DOWNTOWN REVITALIZATION PROGRAM.**

**WHEREAS**, the New Mexico MainStreet Program is part of the New Mexico Economic Development Department offering technical assistance and services to affiliated local MainStreet Organizations; and

**WHEREAS**, the New Mexico MainStreet Program requires a resolution of support from the municipality to accompany a biennial MOU between New Mexico MainStreet, the local MainStreet organization and the municipality establishing mutual agreement on the roles, responsibilities and expectations between the three partners of the MOU; and

**WHEREAS**, the Municipality wishes to continue downtown revitalization as part of its community economic efforts; and

**WHEREAS**, the MainStreet Four Points Approach is a nationally known successful revitalization strategy with more than 25 years of demonstrable economic progress in over 1800 communities across the country; and

**WHEREAS**, the downtown is a unique place of character and commerce for the municipality and its residents and visitors; and

**WHEREAS**, the municipality wishes to economically benefit from a strong and vibrant downtown economy.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Governing Body, the City Council of the City of Roswell, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, that;

1. The City of Roswell supports and will collaborate with MainStreet Roswell MainStreet Project in the vision, principles and values of comprehensive commercial district revitalization through the National Trust Main Street Center's Four Point Approach.
2. The City of Roswell will continue to provide financial assistance as the City Council deems appropriate to MainStreet Roswell MainStreet Project to accomplish community economic development in the downtown which benefits all residents of the community.
3. The City of Roswell will act as fiscal agent for any capital outlay funds received from the state and/or federal governments and their agencies as agreed between MainStreet Roswell MainStreet Project and the City of Roswell.
4. The City of Roswell has budgeted \$30,000 as pledged support in fiscal year 2008 to contract with MainStreet Roswell MainStreet Project to work on the City's behalf in community economic development efforts in downtown. Subject to the availability of funds in future years, this level of support is not planned to be changed.

**PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED** the 13<sup>th</sup> day of March 2008.

CITY SEAL

  
SAMPLAGRONE, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
DAVE KUNKO, CITY CLERK