

RESOLUTION NO. 1968

RESOLUTION AND NOTICE OF OPEN CITY COUNCIL MEETING
TO TAKE PUBLIC COMMENT ON PROPOSED PLAN FOR DUAL-
MEMBER DISTRICT ELECTIONS

WHEREAS, the Legislature of the State of New Mexico has now enacted law requiring certain municipalities to be divided into single or dual-member election districts pursuant to 1985 N.M. Session Laws, Chapter 203, N.M.S.A. 1978, Sections 121.1; 3-12-2 (1985 Supp.), which shall be effective June 14, 1985, and

WHEREAS, after due consideration, the members of the City Council of Roswell, New Mexico, have determined that it is in the best interests of the City of Roswell to enact a plan for dividing the City into five dual-member election districts, with two council members to be elected from each of said districts,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ROSWELL CITY COUNCIL, CONSTITUTING THE GOVERNING BODY OF SAID MUNICIPALITY, IN THE COUNTY OF CHAVES, AND STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. Any approval given to any different plans is hereby withdrawn.

Section 2. On July 2, 1985, beginning at 7:30 p.m., there will be held in the Council Chamber at City Hall, 425 North Richardson, Roswell, New Mexico, a special open meeting of the Council for the express purpose of hearing and taking public comment on the division of the City into five dual-member election districts and specifically on the following proposed division of the District:

<u>Election District No.</u>	<u>Chaves County Precincts</u>
1	3, 4; and portions of 2, 5, 6, 41 and 42
2	13, 14, 15, 22; and portions of 10, 11, 12, and 21
3	23, 24, 25, 31, 32, 33, 83; and portions of 35
4	81, 82, 85, 91; and portions of 72, 84, 92 and 93
5	34, 61, 62; and portions of 51, 52 and 63

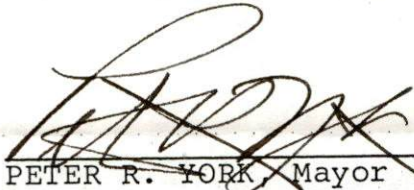
Section 3. The Council will have on display at the City Hall large maps showing the boundaries of the proposed election districts, as well as a supply of smaller maps, demographic analyses, and explanations of the above-described proposed division of the City, available to the public prior to the above-referenced open meeting.

Section 4. The Council will schedule formal adoption of a plan for dividing the City into five dual-member election districts after the Council has had an opportunity

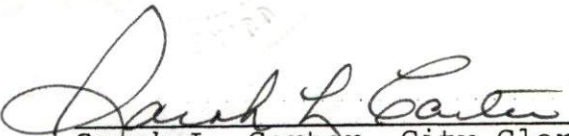
to consider the statements and comments of the public at the above-referenced open meeting.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 11th day of June, 1985.

CITY SEAL


PETER R. YORK, Mayor

ATTEST:


Sarah L. Carter, City Clerk