

**RESOLUTION NO. 2354**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF ROSWELL EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR  
NEW MEXICO SENATE BILLS NUMBER 754 AND NUMBER 819.**

**WHEREAS**, local government closest to the people and the government having the greatest impact on the people and should be the government most responsive to the people; and

**WHEREAS**, local government in New Mexico depends on the state for much of their authority and look to the laws of the state for their procedures and may be greatly affected by any disharmony among state laws; and

**WHEREAS**, clarification of current state statute would allow municipalities greater flexibility in determining individual governance, thereby bringing government decision making closer to the people and promoting open, responsive government; and

**WHEREAS**, Senate Bills No. 754 and 819 would both resolve disharmony among state laws and enhance local representative government; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY, THE CITY COUNCIL OF ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO** that: the City Council's support for New Mexico Senate Bills No. 754 and No. 819 is hereby announced and declared and the state's legislators and governor are asked to enact such bills as laws of the State of New Mexico.

CITY SEAL

THOMAS E. JENNINGS, Mayor

Attest:

  
TIMOTHY D. STOESSEL, City Clerk

