

HOUSE VOTERS AND ELECTIONS COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 12

51ST LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2013

A JOINT RESOLUTION

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 10 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF NEW
MEXICO TO ALLOW COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES TO ESTABLISH
INDEPENDENT POLICE REVIEW BOARDS WITH AUTHORITY TO INVESTIGATE
AND RESOLVE CITIZEN COMPLAINTS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. It is proposed to amend Article 10 of the
constitution of New Mexico by adding a new section to read:

"A. The governing body of a county or municipality
may establish a citizen police review board that shall be
independent of the governing body.

B. A governing body that establishes a citizen
police review board shall provide for a process to select the
board's members from the list of jurors for the county or
municipality in which the review board convenes.

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