

1 HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL 35

2 42ND LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 1996

3 INTRODUCED BY

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10 A JOINT MEMORIAL

11 REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR'S COMMITTEE ON CONCERNS OF THE  
12 HANDICAPPED TO STUDY THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE TRANSPORTATION  
13 NEEDS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES ARE NOT BEING MET BY PRESENT  
14 TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS AND THE EXTENT TO WHICH IMPROVED  
15 COORDINATION OF EXISTING SPECIAL TRANSPORTATION PROGRAMS COULD  
16 ADDRESS THOSE NEEDS.

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18 WHEREAS, lack of transportation, especially transportation  
19 services using vehicles equipped with ramps or wheelchair lifts,  
20 is one of the most frequently mentioned problems of persons with  
21 disabilities; and

22 WHEREAS, that lack of transportation inhibits the  
23 possibilities for persons with disabilities to hold jobs or  
24 engage in mainstream societal activities such as voting,  
25 shopping, meeting and worshipping; and

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1           WHEREAS, several state and federally funded programs are  
2 directed at providing transportation services and accessible  
3 vehicles for persons with disabilities; and

4           WHEREAS, those programs all call for maximum coordination  
5 between programs and communities to meet additional needs of the  
6 community; and

7           WHEREAS, other states use a regional provider concept  
8 rather than the individual small program grantee approach used  
9 in New Mexico; and

10          WHEREAS, individuals with disabilities believe they were  
11 not included in the state highway and transportation department  
12 planning process, have no member on the newly created  
13 transportation planning council and were even denied an adequate  
14 opportunity to express their concerns at public hearings on the  
15 plan precisely because of inadequate transportation services;

16          NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE  
17 STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the governor's committee on concerns of  
18 the handicapped be requested to convene and lead a task force to  
19 study the issue of transportation needs and the possibility of  
20 better coordination of special transportation programs and  
21 present its report to the appropriate interim legislative  
22 committee no later than September 15, 1996; and

23          BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the task force have broad  
24 representation from governmental agencies, service providers and  
25 consumers statewide, including the state independent living

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1 council, state highway and transportation department,  
2 developmental disabilities planning council, state agency on  
3 aging, current 16(b)2 recipients and individuals with  
4 disabilities; and

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be  
6 transmitted to the governor's committee on the concerns of the  
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**State of New Mexico  
House of Representatives**

FORTY- SECOND LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION, 1996

February 1, 1996

Mr. Speaker:

Your RULES AND ORDER OF BUSINESS COMMITTEE, to  
whom has been referred

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has had it under consideration and finds same to be  
GERMANE in accordance with constitutional provisions.

Respectfully submitted,

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Barbara A. Perea Casey,

Chairperson

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Not Adopted \_\_\_\_\_

(Chief Clerk)

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Date \_\_\_\_\_

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4 The roll call vote was 10 For 0 Against

5 Yes: 10

6 Excused: Lujan, Olguin, Rodella, R. G. Sanchez, S. M Williams

7 Absent: None

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# State of New Mexico House of Representatives

FORTY- SECOND LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION, 1996

February 13, 1995

Mr. Speaker:

Your TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

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has had it under consideration and reports same with recommendation that it DO PASS, amended as follows:

1. On page 2, line 18, strike "convene and lead a task force" and insert in lieu thereof "meet with the coordinating council".
2. On page 2, line 22, strike "committee" and insert in lieu thereof "committees".
3. On page 2, strike lines 23 through 25 in their entirety and on page 3, strike lines 1 through 4 in their entirety.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Daniel P. Silva, Chairman

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(Chief Clerk) (Chief Clerk)

Date \_\_\_\_\_

The roll call vote was 7 For 0 Against

Yes: 7

Excused: Miera, Rodella

Absent: Olguin, Watchman, Whitaker

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SECOND SESSION, 1996

February 14, 1996

Mr. President:

Your RULES COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

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has had it under consideration and reports same with  
recommendation that it DO PASS.

Respectfully submitted,

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Gloria Howes, Chairman

Adopted \_\_\_\_\_  
(Chief Clerk)

Not Adopted \_\_\_\_\_  
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The roll call vote was 6 For 0 Against

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Yes: 6

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No: 0

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Excused: Aragon, EJennings, Wray

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Absent: 0

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