

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD**

**In re:**

**TOWN OF TAOS,**

**PELRB NO. 205-05**

**Respondent.**

**ORDER**

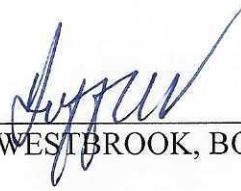
**THIS MATTER** comes before the Public Employee Labor Relations Board (“Board”) on an Order to Show Cause hearing recommendation by Executive Director Thomas J. Griego that the Board’s May 19, 2005 approval of the Town of Taos (“Town”) local board ordinance be revoked. The Board being sufficiently advised and with a vote of 3-0 finds as follows:

1. The Town has appointed only one member to its local labor; that appointment being made in or around January of 2020.
2. The Town’s local board has not promulgated rules necessary to perform its functions and duties as established in the Public Employee Bargaining Act, NMSA 1978 §§ 10-7E-9 and 10-7E-10(A), including procedures for the designation of appropriate bargaining units; the selection, certification and decertification of exclusive representatives; and the filing of, hearing on and determination of complaints of prohibited practices.
3. The Town’s board has not met to hold hearings or make inquiries necessary to carry out its functions and duties, e.g. passage of an Open Meetings Act Resolution required by NMSA 1978 §10-15-1(B), and is therefore not an operational board in compliance with its previously approved local board ordinance or NMSA 1978 §§ 10-7E-9 and 10-7E-10(A).

**THEREFORE, THE BOARD,** revokes its approval of the Town's local board ordinance.

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DUFF WESTBROOK, BOARD CHAIR