

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF SANTA FE COUNTY

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-09

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AN ORDINANCE  
AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2023-06,  
THE SANTA FE COUNTY FIRE CODE, TO ADOPT CURRENT NFPA 855  
STATIONARY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEMS STANDARDS

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SANTA FE COUNTY:

**Section 1.** Section 7(DD) of Ordinance No. 2023-06 is deleted in its entirety.

**Section 2.** A new section of Ordinance No. 2023-06 is added as follows:

“**Section 22.** The County hereby incorporates by reference as though fully set out in this Ordinance and adopts as part of the Fire Code the following standard as promulgated by the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), 1 Batterymarch Park, Quincy, MA 02269:

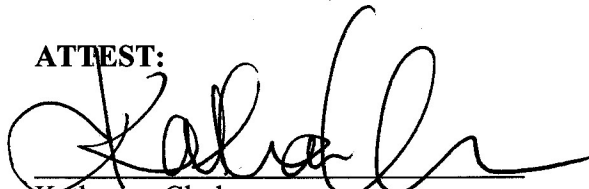
- A. NFPA 855-2023: Standard for the Installation of Stationary Energy Storage Systems. In the event NFPA amends NFPA 855-2023 or adopts a new edition of NFPA 855, the Fire Marshal shall, within three months of the Fire Marshal becoming aware of NFPA’s adoption of the amendment or new edition, inform the Board of County Commissioners and make a recommendation concerning whether it should adopt the amended or new edition of NFPA 855.”

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 13<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2023 by the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Fe County.

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OF SANTA FE COUNTY

By:   
Anna C. Hansen, Chair

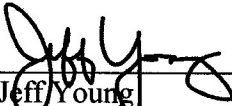
ATTEST:

  
Katharine Clark  
Santa Fe County Clerk

Date: 12/14/2023

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Approved as to form:

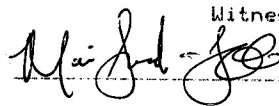
  
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Jeff Young  
Santa Fe County Attorney



COUNTY OF SANTA FE )  
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Katharine E. Clark  
County Clerk, Santa Fe, NM

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# AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

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County of Bernalillo SS

Wayne Barnard, the undersigned, authorized Representative of the Albuquerque Journal, on oath states that this newspaper is duly qualified to publish legal notices or advertisements within the meaning of Section 3, Chapter 167, Session Laws of 1937, that payment therefore has been made of assessed as court cost, and that the notice, copy of which is hereto attached, was published in said paper in the regular daily edition, for 1 time(s) on the following date(s):

11/22/2023

Sworn and subscribed before me, a Notary Public, in and for the County of Bernalillo and State of New Mexico this

22 day of November of 2023

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Statement to come at the end of month.

ACCOUNT NUMBER 1009632

AUDREY RAYLEENE CRISPIN  
Notary Public - State of New Mexico  
Commission # 1140072  
My Comm. Expires Apr 6, 2027  
*Audrey Rayleene Crespin*

Public Hearing Notice  
December 12, 2023  
The Board of County Commissioners (BOC) may adopt the Proposed Ordinance with or without changes, vote not to adopt the Proposed Ordinance, recess the public hearing in accordance with the Open Meetings Act, or postpone the public hearing or adjourn the public hearing of the Proposed Ordinance until a future meeting of the BOC. Further notice per publication of a rescheduled meeting or postponed hearing or action is not legally required. Interested parties are invited to attend at or witness the December 12, 2023 public hearing where recessing or postponement might be announced should this inquire of the County as to whether the BOC took action to recess or postpone.  
Copies of Proposed Ordinance  
Copies of the proposed ordinance are available for inspection and copying in the Santa Fe County Clerk's Office located at 100 Cotton St. Santa Fe, NM 87501. The proposed ordinance is also available at the County's website: [www.santafecountynm.gov](http://www.santafecountynm.gov).  
Journal: November 22, 2023

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SANTA FE COUNTY

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON AND GENERAL SUMMARY OF SANTA FE COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 2023-06, ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2023-06, THE SANTA FE COUNTY FIRE CODE TO ADOPT CURRENT NFPA 855 STATIONARY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEMS STANDARDS."

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Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners (BOC) of Santa Fe County (County) will hold a public hearing on the above-titled ordinance (Proposed Ordinance) in the BOC's Chambers located at 102 Grant Avenue, Santa Fe, NM 87501, at or after 5:00 p.m. on December 12, 2023. Individuals who would like to request auxiliary aids or services should contact the County Manager's Office at (505) 825-6200 in advance to discuss specific needs.

If you choose not to attend in person, members of the public can listen and participate in the virtual public hearing via Webex, using meeting number (access code) 2486 622 2598 and password 5JcEV7a9U9. To participate by phone, call 1-408-418-9288. To participate via the internet, go to <https://sfc.webex.com/sfc/>. For instructions on participating via Webex, visit [www.santafecountynm.gov/joinmeeting](http://www.santafecountynm.gov/joinmeeting).

General Summary of Proposed Ordinance. The Proposed Ordinance would amend County Ordinance 2023-06, the Santa Fe County Fire Code, to adopt current NFPA 855 Stationary Energy Storage Standards. In addition, in the event NFPA amends NFPA 855-2022 or adopts a new edition of NFPA 855, the Fire Marshal shall, within three months of the Fire Marshal becoming aware of NFPA's adoption of the amendment or new edition, inform the Board of County Commissioners and make a recommendation concerning whether to amend or adopt the amended or new edition of NFPA 855. This is only a general summary of the Proposed Ordinance. Interested persons must consult the Proposed Ordinance text to understand all of its provisions.

Public Hearing and Submission of Written Comments. All interested parties will be heard at the public hearing. Written comments, questions, and objections regarding the Proposed Ordinance may also be submitted to the County Manager's Office in writing to P.O. Box 276, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-0276, via email at [smh@santafecountynm.gov](mailto:smh@santafecountynm.gov), or presented in person at the public hearing. Comments, questions, and objections submitted in advance of the public hearing may be received by 1:00 p.m. on December 11, 2023, to ensure that they are presented to the BOC before the public hearing.