BOARD OF HOUSING COMMISSIONERS
MEMORIAL NO. 2026-01

EXPRESSING GRATITUDE TO DONORS, WILLOW FOUNDATION OF NEW MEXICO, AND COTTONWOOD CLASSICAL PREPARATORY SCHOOL, FOR THE GIFT OF THANKSGIVING MEALS,FOR THEIR DEDICATED SERVICE TO ASSISTING EXTREMELY LOW-INCOME FAMILIES LIVING IN ALBUQUERQUE HOUSING AUTHORITY RENTAL COMMUNITIES

WHEREAS, **Willow Foundation of New Mexico, and Cottonwood Classical Preparatory School** (CCPS) have nobly served the people of Albuquerque in November 2025 with generous gifts of food for Thanksgiving Meals;

WHEREAS, they organized Thanksgiving Meal food donation collection activities in our city for the benefit of extremely low-income children and families living in Albuquerque Housing Authority (AHA) rental communities;

WHEREAS, the donated food collected during November 2025 included providing extremely low-income families living in AHA rental communities with critically needed nutritional support for future success, including 50 frozen turkeys for Thanksgiving, and they supported many children living in AHA rental communities with wonderful holiday food that would not be able to eat otherwise;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE AHA BOARD OF HOUSING COMMISSIONERS, the governing body of the AHA that:

The deep gratitude of the AHA be expressed to, **Willow Foundation of New Mexico, and Cottonwood Classical Preparatory School** for their dedicated service to the extremely low-income families of Albuquerque living in AHA rental communities by giving the aforementioned organizations a signed copy of this Memorial. Thank you for the many gifts to our residents. They appreciate you.

PASSED and ADOPTED this 21st day of January 2026.

BY A VOTE OF 3 FOR, AND 0 AGAINST.

Members Absent: Smith, Parsons

Members voting against: _____

ALBUQUERQUE HOUSING AUTHORITY
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By: /s/ Maurreen Skowran
Maurreen Skowran, Chairperson of the Board

ATTEST:

/s/ Linda Bridge
Linda Bridge, Secretary to the Board and Executive Director