

**POJOAQUE VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Board of Education  
March 18, 2020

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the New Mexico Governor has declared a public health emergency due to the spread of the COVID-19 virus and directed that all public schools, including Pojoaque Valley School District, be closed until April 6, 2020; and

WHEREAS the School Board of the Pojoaque Valley School District acknowledges that, until rescinded by the Governor, the New Mexico Secretary of Education has been granted governing and management authority over the public schools, pursuant to applicable state law; and

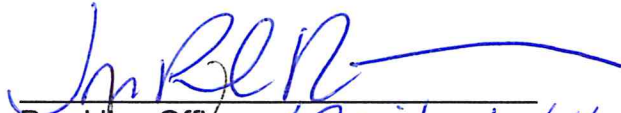
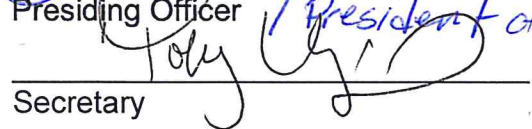
WHEREAS, during this closure of public schools, all public school districts, including Pojoaque Valley Schools are expected to maintain certain administrative functions, including student food services, school-based health centers and childcare programs, as well as all safety and other essential district operations;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, during this closure, that the School Board of the Pojoaque Valley School District has and will continue to abide by the orders of the Governor and the state Department of Health, and the guidance of the Public Education Department, as well as relevant federal health and education authorities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board supports the efforts of the Superintendent and is committed to working collaboratively with the Superintendent during this public health emergency, consistent with state law.

Adopted this 18th day of March, 2020, by the

Pojoaque Valley School District, Board of Education

  
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 Presiding Officer / *President of the Board*  
  
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 Secretary