



State of New Mexico

Michelle Lujan Grisham
Governor

February 4, 2020

SENATE EXECUTIVE MESSAGE NO. 56

The Honorable Mary Kay Papen, President Pro Tempore and
Members of the New Mexico State Senate
State Capitol Building
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Dear President Pro Tempore Papen and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 5(B)(2) of the New Mexico Constitution, I am authorizing for your consideration during the Fifty-Fourth Legislature, Second Session, submission of Senate Bill 246, which amends the Public Improvement District Act ("Act") to clarify the meanings of "county" and "municipality" under that Act; to allow for the formation of a Public Improvement District and other allowable actions without an election under certain circumstances; to alter procedures for selecting a district board under that Act and to change terms of district board members; to remove the option of imposing a higher rate of property tax if approved by voters in the district; and to provide for the continuation and expiration of terms of district board members previously appointed or elected under the Act. The Bill also amends the Tax Increment for Development Act ("TID Act") to clarify the meanings of "county" and "municipality" under the TID Act; to alter procedures for appointing members of a district board and the terms served by board members; to subject contracts entered into by a district board to the Procurement Code; to remove from local boards the authority to levy property taxes under certain circumstances; and to provide for the continuation and expiration of terms of district board members previously appointed or elected under the TID Act.

Respectfully yours,


Michelle Lujan Grisham
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By Lucille V. Masterson
for Chief Clerk of the Senate