

## State of New Mexico

Michelle Lujan Grisham Governor

April 9, 2025

## HOUSE EXECUTIVE MESSAGE NO. 13

The Honorable Javier Martínez, Speaker of the House and Members of the House of Representatives State Capitol Building Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Honorable Speaker Martínez and Members of the House:

Pursuant to my authority under Article IV, Section 22 of the New Mexico Constitution, I have signed HOUSE BILL 6 ("HB 6"), enacted by the Fifty-Seventh Legislature, First Session, 2025, which requires the payment of prevailing wages and fringe benefits to laborers and mechanics performing construction, alteration, demolition, or repair services related to future projects funded by industrial revenue bonds ("IRBs"). IRBs are one of the State's most effective economic incentives for attracting large capital-intensive projects. This legislation ensures that those laborers and mechanics working on future IRB-funded projects receive the wages and benefits they deserve.

Respectfully yours, Michelle Lujan Grisham Governor

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