



*Rio Arriba*  
*County Manager's Office*

**COMMISSIONERS**

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**COUNTY MANAGER**  
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**DEPUTY MANAGER**  
**Linda J. Padilla**

**AGENDA**

**EMERGENCY MEETING**

**Monday, April 21, 2025**

**10:00 A.M.**

**Rio Arriba County**  
**Española, New Mexico 87532**

- I. Meeting Called to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Pledge of Allegiance
- IV. Prayer
- V. Moment of Silence in remembrance of Sheriff Billy A. Merrifield
- VI. Commissioner Greetings and Opening Remarks
- VII. County Manager Greeting and Opening Remarks
- VIII. Approval of Today's Agenda
- IX. Old Business
- X. New Business

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**Agenda Special Meeting**  
**April 21, 2025**

- XI. Executive Session
  - A. Per Article 15, Section 10-15-1 of the New Mexico State Statutes Open Meetings Act Executive Session pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 10-15-1(H)(2), limited personnel matters for the purpose of discussing “hiring, promotion, demotion, dismissal, assignment or resignation” of the Rio Arriba County Sheriff
  
- XII. Action Items
  - A. Requests and Approvals
  - B. Appointment and swearing in of the replacement for the Rio Arriba County Sheriff based upon the untimely death of Sheriff Billy A. Merrifield
  
- XIII. Announcements
  - A. Regular County Commission Meeting for April, will be held in Tierra Amarilla on Tuesday, April 21, 2025, at 10:00 a.m.
  
- XIV. Meeting Adjournment