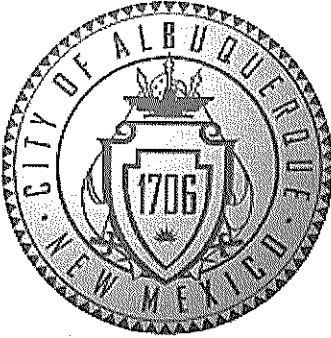


**CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE****Office of the Mayor**

One Civic Plaza NW, Albuquerque, NM 87103

Timothy M. Keller, Mayor

**INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

August 4, 2026

**TO:** Klarissa J. Peña, President, City Council

**FROM:** Timothy M. Keller, Mayor 

**SUBJECT:** Mayor's appointment of Clarice Honahnie to the Commission on American Indian and Alaska Native Affairs

I am submitting for your advice and consent the following name for appointment to the Commission on American Indian and Alaska Native Affairs in accordance with the City Albuquerque Ordinance 2-6-6-1.

**APPOINTEE NAME**

Clarice Honahnie  
Albuquerque, NM, 87102

**TERM**

October 1, 2027

Clarice Honahnie is the Native American Liaison at HopeWorks, where she works with tribal organizations, elected officials, and community groups on outreach and communication. Her background includes several years in Hopi cultural and land-related work: as a data entry specialist for Hopi Cultural Preservation, she processed records tied to wildlife licensing and land mapping, and as Director of Explore Hopi, she managed tourism programs built around Hopi land and cultural sites, including staff training for guided tours and exhibits.

Her later career moved into community health and housing, including case management with First Nations Community HealthSource's homeless outreach program, work as a Community Health Representative at Isleta Health Center, and supervising HopeWorks' housing program.

On the Commission on American Indian and Alaska Native Affairs, Honahnie brings direct experience with Hopi land and cultural resource records, combined with a long record of tribal community engagement across health, housing, and outreach roles.

A resident of Council District 2, Clarice Honahnie will be appointed to the Commission and serve as the Environment Representative; their first term will expire on October 1, 2027.

**The remaining members are:**

| <b>Representing</b>                | <b>Name</b>         | <b>Term</b> |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------|
| 1. All Pueblo Council of Governors |                     | At Pleasure |
| 2. At Large                        | Ms. Chas L. Tso     | 10/1/2026   |
| 3. At Large                        |                     | 10/1/2025   |
| 4. At Large                        | Ms. Kim Gleason     | 10/1/2026   |
| 5. Culture Rep                     | Mr. Krista R. Chico | 10/1/2026   |
| 6. Educational Rep                 |                     | 10/1/2026   |
| 7. Environment Rep                 | Ms. Marissa Naranjo | 10/1/2024   |
| 8. Governmental Rep                |                     | 10/1/2026   |
| 9. Health Rep                      |                     | 10/1/2026   |
| 10. Isleta Pueblo                  |                     | At Pleasure |
| 11. Laguna Pueblo                  | Ms. Thelma Antonio  | At Pleasure |
| 12. Sandia Pueblo                  |                     |             |
| 13. Santa Ana Pueblo               |                     |             |
| 14. To'hajiiilee Chapter           | Ms. Nora Morris     | At Pleasure |
| 15. Workforce/Employment Rep       | Ms. Pauline Joe     | 10/1/2028   |

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Samantha Sengel, Chief Administrative Officer

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Date