

**CITY OF ESPANOLA  
ORDINANCE NO: 2017-10**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ESPANOLA; ADOPTING A  
COMPREHENSIVE PLAN; PROVIDING FOR ADMINISTRATION OF  
THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN**

**WHEREAS;** the City of Española was incorporated in 1925 and has since operated as a municipal corporation, political subdivision of the state of New Mexico;

**WHEREAS;** the last master plan update of the City of Española was accomplished in 2003-2004;

**WHEREAS;** the planning commission of the City of Española has completed a new master plan for the physical development of the City and the area within the planning and platting jurisdiction of the City which includes all territory within the boundaries of the City as well as all territory within 3 miles of the City's boundaries and not within the boundaries of another municipality;

**WHEREAS;** the master plan prepared and recommended by the planning commission of the City of Española provides a plan for future development and such plan bears a rational reasonable relationship to the need for planning in the area and is based upon:

1. Careful and comprehensive surveys and studies of existing conditions and probable future growth of the City and its environs,
2. Careful consideration of the general purpose of guiding and accomplishing a coordinated, adjusted and harmonious development of the city which will, in accordance with existing and future needs, best promote health, safety, morals, order, convenience, prosperity or the general welfare as well as efficiency and economy in the process of development,
3. Documentation with maps, plats, charts and descriptive and explanatory material showing the general location, character and extent of streets, bridges, via ducts and parkways; parks and playgrounds, flood ways, waterways and other ways, grounds, places and spaces,
4. Documentation of the general location of public schools, public buildings and other public property and the extent of public utilities whether publicly or privately owned,
5. Documentation of the general location, character, layout and extent of community centers and neighborhood units and the re-planning of blighted areas and slum areas together with indications of acceptance, widening, removal, extension, relocation, narrowing, vacation, abandonment or change of use of any of the foregoing public ways, grounds, places, spaces, buildings, properties, utilities or terminals and;

**WHEREAS;** the master plan was adopted by the planning commission and recommended for approval of the governing body of the City of Española on the 19th day of October, 2017

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY (CITY COUNCIL) OF THE CITY OF ESPAÑOLA THAT:**

Section 1. The COMPREHENSIVE PLAN 2017 recommended by the City planning commission attached hereto and made a part of this ordinance as EXHIBIT A is hereby adopted as the COMPREHENSIVE PLAN of the City of Española.

Section 2. This ordinance shall become effective five days after publication by title and summary.

**PASSED, APPROVED & ADOPTED this 28<sup>th</sup> day of November 2017.**



Honorable Alice A. Lucero  
Mayor, City of Española

Attest:



Anna Marie Squires  
City Clerk, City of Española

