## UNION COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 2023-12

## PERMIT FOR GLADSTONE NEW ENERGY, LLC TO BEGIN CONSTRUCTION OF FIRST PHASE OF THE GLADSTONE NEW ENERGY WIND FARM

- WHEREAS, Gladstone New Energy, LLC ("Gladstone") wants to construct the Gladstone New Energy Wind Farm in Union County, to consist of wind turbines and infrastructure; and
- WHEREAS, Gladstone has filed an Application for Siting Approval, substantially in compliance with Union County Ordinance #40, to proceed with construction within unincorporated areas of Union County, such Application recognizing that this Resolution in no way waives the County's right to request and received further perfection of the Application or further compliance with County ordinances; and
- WHEREAS, Gladstone, within its Application, has requested permission to use heavy machinery to make a ground disturbance, that is, to build roads, beginning immediately.
- NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY OF UNION that by this Resolution the Board of Commissioners hereby permit, approve and allow the construction of the Gladstone New Energy, LLC Wind Farm, subject to compliance by Gladstone with all existing local, state and federal ordinances, regulations and statutes; and
- **FURTHER RESOLVED,** Union County hereby extends its support to the Gladstone New Energy LLC., to the extent permitted by applicable law; and
- **FURTHER RESOLVED**, this resolution shall continue in full force and effect, unless modified or extended by act of the Union County Commission, until December 31, 2026.

Resolution 2023-12 Gladstone New Energy Wind Farm November 15, 2022

**DONE AND RESOLVED** this 15th day of November, 2022.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF UNION COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Justin Bennett, Chairman

Brenda Green, County Clerk

Clayton Kiesling, Member

Frankie Aragon, Member