April 5, 2021

Mayor Alan Webber & City Councilors
City of Santa Fe
P.O. Box 909
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Dear Mayor Webber and City Council Members,

I’d like to offer the help of AIA Santa Fe's Design Assist Team for City of Santa Fe projects. The Design Assist Team is a community-oriented group of local experts in design and planning assembled to address specific design challenges. The team can offer help to the City in setting parameters, refining concepts, and providing design expertise for projects. Construction projects profoundly affect the look and feel of an environment.

The members of the Santa Fe Chapter of the American Institute of Architects include a diverse group of talented designers that live, work and vote in Santa Fe, and hold the City dear to their hearts. These individuals care deeply about the character our City and have in many instances dedicated years of their life to contributing positively to the design and construction of cherished public spaces.

We can assist with the development of design solutions for specific issues the city is currently undertaking, including the Midtown campus, Northwest Quadrant, and Guadalupe Corridor. As a sample, I have attached three extensive conceptual designs for the Guadalupe Corridor developed by our members. As you are aware, another of our members designed the exterior of the Santa Fe Convention Center, and yet another developed the city’s distinctive punched-tin style Santa Fe Trails bus stops.

We are not only design professionals, but we are also members of this community who value the character and built environment of which it is composed. We know that there are immense design challenges to address at the City level, and we’d like to share our expertise and ideas where they would benefit our community.

Please contact me directly if we can help.

Very Respectfully,

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