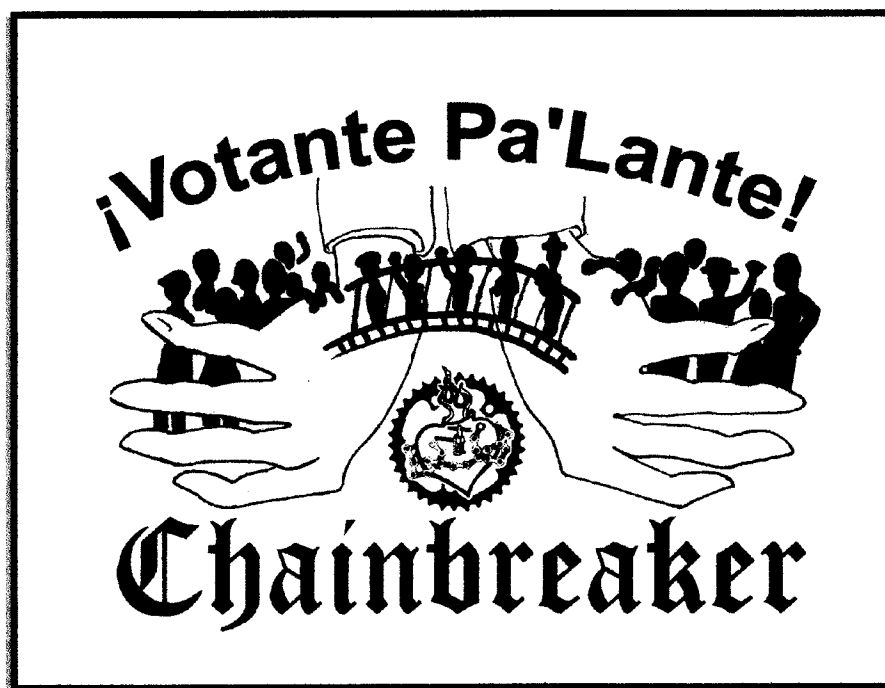


Support Working Families! VOTE TUESDAY, MARCH 6



**Santa Fe Opportunity Bond
Voter Guide**

Who is Chainbreaker?

Chainbreaker is a membership based community organization fighting for **better public transportation** and working to **protect our neighborhoods**. Most of our members are bus and/or bicycle riders and live in the Hopewell/Mann and South Side neighborhoods of Santa Fe. We're your neighbors, your co-workers and your travel companions. We made this voter guide to help answer some questions about the bond questions on the ballot and what passing them will mean for our community.

On March 6, voters will be asked to vote yes or no to support working families and to start to bring the South Side up to the same standard as the rest of the city.

Why Vote?

This economy has hurt working families the most. We watched as more and more of our friends and family members left Santa Fe because they could no longer afford to live here. We ourselves moved to the South Side or farther to the outskirts of the city for the same reason. Now we face longer commutes as gas prices go up. Our neighborhoods lack bus service, workplaces, child care centers, schools, grocery stores and community gathering spaces. Even though the South Side has more young people and is growing faster than any other part of Santa Fe, **we still have far less infrastructure than the rest of the city.**

Unfortunately, many members of our community are left out of decisions about how our city grows. Our neighborhoods are often overlooked by traditional voter campaigns. They say that is because we don't (or can't) vote. We know that voting is only a small part of the solution, but we also know that **we deserve to have our voices heard!**

Support Working Families!

*In the upcoming city election on **March 6**, in addition to voting for new city councilors, there will be 3 questions on the ballot asking if we want to support a bond. A bond is like a loan that the city takes out that residents slowly pay back with money from property taxes. If all three questions are approved, the South Side will get its **first regional park** and fire station. The city as a whole will benefit through **more trail connectivity** and environmentally friendly upgrades to city buildings and arroyos. If all three bonds pass, they'll **create over 150 new construction jobs**. Construction workers are some of the hardest hit by this economy.*

*But **far more is at stake** than that. If this bond passes, we will send the message to the politicians that Santa Feans believe that essential services are worth funding and that **South Side residents deserve the same quality of life that the rest of the people in our city enjoy!***

VOTE MARCH 6!

Opportunity Bond #2

Even though all 3 questions are important, we're focusing most of our energy on question #2 because it has the most direct benefit for our members.

If passed, it will:

- Provide \$5 million for the FIRST regional park in Tierra Contenta
- Provide \$6 million for bike trails to connect our communities.
- Provide \$3 million to fix other aging parks around the city.
- Create almost 100 new jobs.
- Will only raise taxes by less than \$3 a month for an owner of a \$300,000 house.
- Represent more than 61% of total projects of all 3 bonds.

Question #2 will appear on the ballot like this:

General Obligation Parks and Trails Bonds

Shall the City of Santa Fe issue up to \$14,000,000 of general obligation bonds to acquire land for, and to plan, design, build, equip, renovate, and improve public parks, bike-pedestrian trails and related infrastructure?

How & Where to Vote

Tuesday, March 6 go to the polling location for your neighborhood (precinct). Polls will be open from 7AM to 7PM. If you are in line by 7PM, you will be able to vote. You are NOT required to show ID unless you registered by mail.

- **Precinct 41** (*Hopewell/Mann*)
Public School Admin - 610 Alta Vista
- **Precinct 66** (*Rufina*)
Salazar Elementary
- **Precincts 67** (*Vista Alegre Apts.*)
& **75** (*East Tierra Contenta*)
Ortiz Middle School
- **Precinct 74** (*Coronado Apts.*)
Nava Elementary
- **Precinct 52** (*St. Mike's Apts.*)
E.J. Martinez
- **Precinct 86** (*West Tierra Contenta*)
South Side Library

If you don't see your precinct on this list, still need to register to vote or have any questions, visit www.chainbreaker.org or call us at 505-989-3858.

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