

Immigrant Friendly City Resolution Fact Sheet August 2018

Albuquerque's Immigrant Friendly Resolution went into effect on April 24, 2018. The resolution directs City departments to review all current City policies, procedures, and practices to ensure they are in accordance with the resolution and report back to the Council within six months.

The general provisions of the resolution are:

- No City entity can collect information regarding the citizenship or immigration status of any individual.
 - Except as required by law to determine eligibility for a federal or state program administered by the City.
 - Except to determine eligibility for City employment.
- City employees cannot disclose any personal information about any person they learned as part of their work for the City of Albuquerque.
 - Personal information includes: SSN; tax ID numbers; place and date of birth; status as recipient of public assistance or as a crime victim; custody release date; home address; sexual orientation; disability status; religion; national origin.
 - Except in order to provide a city service or carry out a function of government.
 - Except in response to an IPRA request where information is not exempted.
 - Except when otherwise compelled by law.
- City entities cannot use City resources to facilitate the investigation, detection, apprehension, or detention of an individual based on real or perceived immigration status.
 - City resources include, but are not limited to: moneys; equipment; personnel; and facilities.
- The City shall refuse access to all non-public areas of City property by federal immigration agents who do not present a judicial warrant.
 - Non-public areas of the City include but is not limited to the Prisoner Transport Center.
- All persons who live within the City should have full access to all City services with respect and dignity regardless of their race, disability, national origin, gender identity, religion, sex, sexual orientation, ethnicity, and economic and immigration status.

For additional questions please email us at OIRA@cabq.gov or call us at 505-768-3040.