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MEMO: Extraordinary Session signatures still being accepted

SANTA FE – Today, in response to ongoing discussions on both sides of the aisle, the Legislative Council Service released a memo to legislative members stating that they are still accepting signatures from legislators who wish to be counted in favor of calling an extraordinary session and that there are no imposed deadlines.

The extraordinary session (a process in which 3/5 of both legislative chambers can elect to call themselves into session) was initiated in order to address the Governor's unilateral spending of federal aid in an apparent violation of the legislature's constitutional appropriating authority.

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