

**SAN JUAN COUNTY  
ORDINANCE NO. 37**

**AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE SALE, EXHIBITION  
OR DISSEMINATION OF OBSCENE MATERIAL,  
AND PROHIBITING THE POSSESSION OF OBSCENE MATERIAL  
WITH THE INTENT TO SELL, EXHIBIT OR DISSEMINATE.**

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SAN JUAN  
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO:**

**SECTION ONE. SHORT TITLE. --**

This Ordinance may be referred to as the "San Juan County  
Anti-Obscenity Ordinance."

**SECTION TWO. DEFINITION, "OBSCENE MATERIAL" --**

For purposes of this Ordinance, the phrase, "obscene  
material" shall be defined as material (written, pictorial or  
recorded), which: (A) taken as a whole, appeals to the prurient  
interest in sex as judged by the average person applying local  
contemporary community standards; (B) describes or depicts in a  
patently offensive manner, any of the following behavior designed  
or intended to stimulate sexual excitement: the description,  
depiction or simulated portrayal of the acts of sodomy, fellatio,  
cunnilingus, masturbation, excretory functions, ejaculation,  
sexual intercourse, bestiality, sadism or masochism; and (C)  
taken as a whole, lacks serious literary, artistic, political or  
scientific value.

**SECTION THREE. SALE, EXHIBITION OR DISSEMINATION OF OBSCENE  
MATERIAL PROHIBITED. --**

It shall be unlawful to knowingly sell, exhibit or  
disseminate in any manner obscene material.

**SECTION FOUR. POSSESSION OF OBSCENE MATERIAL WITH INTENT TO SELL, EXHIBIT OR DISSEMINATE PROHIBITED. --**

It shall be unlawful to knowingly possess obscene material with the intent to sell, exhibit or disseminate same.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 16th day of December, 1994.

**SAN JUAN COUNTY  
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

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