



## ADVANCED REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

**100's have registered so far!!!**

Includes NM EDGE/County College courses, NMC annual golf tournament, 5K fun run/walk, and heavy equipment ROADEO. Curry County will host a 1950's themed sock-hop reception – so grease back your hair, bring your poodle skirts, leather jackets, and get ready to have a grand ol' time! NMC will also be hosting a western themed backyard BBQ – be prepared to play some games and dance the night away! Click link [County Member and Government Agency Registration](#).



**REGISTER NOW! Legislative Meetings in April! Click [HERE](#) for complimentary registration. 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m. Invite your legislators! The Governor plans to attend the Bernalillo County meeting and several cabinet secretaries will be present at each meeting.**

**Wed. 4/17** Doña Ana County Government Center  
BOCC Chambers, 845 N. Motel Circle  
Las Cruces, NM 88007

**Thurs. 4/18** Bernalillo County Clerk's Warehouse  
2400 Broadway SE, Building H  
Albuquerque, NM 87102

**Wed. 4/24** San Miguel County Highlands University  
Student Union Bldg 800 National Ave.  
Las Vegas, NM 87701

**Thurs. 4/25** Chaves County Sheriff's Training Rm  
1 St. Mary's Place Roswell, NM 88203

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### [Rulemaking planned on Property Assessed Clean Energy programs](#)

Learn more about the county perspective on PACE during an April 10 call with CFPB.

### [Cannabis reform included as part of criminal justice bill](#)

The *Next Step Act* reforms federal sentencing guidelines, prison conditions and reentry efforts.

### [NACo's Immigration Task Force gets new resource page](#)

The new resource page highlights how counties continue to be impacted directly by federal immigration policies and practices.

### **Celebrate County Health Day April 18**

Join us for County Health Day on Thursday, April 18, and share your county's progress toward improving health for all! [Click here](#) and follow [@NACoTweets](#)

### [Overtime pay rule public comment open until May 21](#)

Proposed rule increases the salary threshold for overtime pay, making one million more workers eligible.

### **Celebrate National County Government Month**

April is [National County Government Month](#) (NCGM)! To celebrate, the National Association of Counties (NACo) is proud to present two of our latest resources.

[Counties Matter](#) and [County Explorer](#)

### **USDA Designates 21 NM Counties as Primary Natural Disaster Areas and Emergency Support for Border States**

Producers in Bernalillo, Catron, Chaves, Cibola, Colfax, Eddy, Grant, Lincoln, Los Alamos, McKinley, Mora, Otero, Rio Arriba, Sandoval, San Juan, San Miguel, Santa Fe, Sierra, Socorro, Taos and Union counties who suffered losses caused by recent drought, may be eligible for U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Farm Service Agency (FSA) emergency loans. Producers in the contiguous New Mexico counties of De Baca, Dona Ana, Guadalupe, Harding, Hidalgo, Lea, Luna, Quay, Roosevelt, Torrance and Valencia counties are eligible to apply for emergency loans. Deadline Nov. 22, 2019. Information online at <https://www.farmers.gov/recover>

## Webinars

**Apr. 18 [Meeting the Needs of Individuals with Substance Use Disorders: Strategies for Jails](#)** 12 p.m.—1:15 p.m. MDT

**Apr. 25 [Meeting the Needs of Individuals with Substance Use Disorders: Strategies for Reentry From Jail](#)** 12 p.m.—1:15 p.m. MDT

Search County Employment Opportunities or enter new job posts [here](#) for up to 30 days.

New Employee at the County? Submit [here](#) to add, delete, or replace to our directory.

Did someone forward you this email? [Sign up](#) here.

### **PERA Board of Trustees County Appointment Available – Deadline is Friday, April 26<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 p.m.**

The Public Employee Retirement Association is seeking to fill a vacant county position on the PERA Board of Trustees. Interested county members must submit a letter of interest with a resume to: PERA Board of Trustees Public Employee Retirement Association, 33 Plaza La Prensa, Santa Fe, NM 87507

### **Local Government Liaison**

First point of contact for municipalities, counties and tribal governments who need Taxation and Revenue Dept. (TRD) assistance; gives prompt answers to questions regarding service; assists with questions on monthly distributions, issues with TIDD, enactment tables, GRT rates and reports beyond RP500.

**Contact David Monteith**, Local Government Liaison  
505-827-2588, email [tax.localgov@state.nm.us](mailto:tax.localgov@state.nm.us)

#### April

**Fri. Apr. 5** NMC Executive Committee Budget meeting, 12 p.m. NMC Santa Fe Office

**Wed. Apr. 10** Advisory Council meeting, 11 a.m. Curry County

**Wed. Apr. 17** Legislative meeting 10 a.m. Doña Ana County

**Thurs. Apr. 18** Legislative meeting 10 a.m. Bernalillo County

**Wed. Apr. 24** Legislative meeting 10 a.m. San Miguel County

**Thurs. Apr. 25** Legislative meeting 10 a.m. Chaves County

#### May

**Fri. May 3** NMC Board of Directors meeting San Juan County, 8:30 a.m.

**Wed. May 8** Multi-Line Pool Board meeting 8:30 a.m. NMC Santa Fe office

**Thurs. May 9** Workers' Comp. Pool Board meeting 9 a.m. NMC Santa Fe office

**Wed. May 15-17** WIR Annual Conference, Spokane, WA

**Mon. June 17-21** NMC 83rd Annual Conference, Curry County

**Mon. June 17-19** NM EDGE Classes, Curry County

**Wed. June 19** Workers' Comp. Membership meeting 8:30 a.m. Curry County

**Wed. June 19** Multi-Line Membership meeting 10:15 a.m. Curry County

**Thurs. June 20** NMC Board of Directors meeting 4:30 p.m. Curry

**Wed. July 10** Legislative Initiatives Review w/Legislative Committee 10:00 a.m. NMC Santa Fe office

### **NMC Loss Prevention Trainings**

#### **April: [Link to RSVP](#)**

**Thurs. 4/11 Webinar: Adult Detention Accreditation Program 2:00 p.m. Free**

**Mon. 4/15-19** Crisis Intervention Training, Albuquerque

**Wed. 4/17** PREA in Detention: Critical Issues and Mandatory Requirements – Santa Fe

**Thurs. 4/18** PREA in Detention: Critical Issues and Mandatory Requirements – Albuquerque

**Mon. 4/29-30** OSHA General Industry 10 hour – Clovis

#### **May: [Link to RSVP](#)**

**Tues. 5/7** Webinar: Adult Detention Restricted Housing & Out of Cell Time

**Mon. 5/13-17** Basic Interviewing and Interrogation ABQ

**Tues. 5/15** PREA in Detention: Critical Issues and Mandatory Requirements – Farmington

**Mon. 5/20-21** OSHA General Industry 10 hour – Las Vegas

#### **June: [Link to RSVP](#)**

**Mon. 6/3-7** 40-hr Train-the-Trainer: 2019 Adult Detention Curriculum—Las Cruces

### **Advanced Handgun—Adverse Situations Training**

**WHEN:** Sat. April 27, 8:15 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

**WHERE:** Founders Ranch, 74 Barton Road, Edgewood, NM 87015

**COST:** \$200/person, cash, money order, cashier's check or purchase order ONLY, made out to: Global One, LLC

**RSVP:** Gilbert Baca 505-385-7089, [globalGilBaca@gmail.com](mailto:globalGilBaca@gmail.com)

- Open to those with other advanced firearms training
- Review safety rules, Krav Maga Combat, Adverse situations, One-hand, Obstacle manipulations, Tactical movement, TAC/MED scenarios
- Sign background authorization

### **USDA Rural e-Connectivity Pilot Program Apps**

Accepting applications starting April 23, 2019 through [reconnect.usda.gov](http://reconnect.usda.gov) providing \$600 million to expand broadband infrastructure and services

Deadline May 31, 2019 for grants, June 21, 2019 for loan/grant combinations, and July 12, 2019 for low-interest loans

Assistance here: <https://www.usda.gov/reconnect/contact-us>

### **TrueConnect Loan Benefit Program**

Need to secure a small loan quickly when unexpected emergencies arise? Have poor credit or no credit?

NMC has partnered with TrueConnect

- safe, affordable alternative to payday loans
- works through payroll deduction
- paid off in 12 months (\$1,000 to \$3,000 loans)
- helps employee establish good credit
- includes free financial education and credit counseling

Find out if your county has this offer or have a presentation to your Commission. Contact Susan Mayes, [smayes@nmcounties.org](mailto:smayes@nmcounties.org)