

News Brief July 25, 2019



NMC VP Bernalillo County Clerk Linda Stover listens to NM Secretary of Workforce

Secretary of Workforce Solutions Bill McCamley speaking to NMC Economic Development &

Infrastructure Committee about outreach to county commissions re: Federal \$\$ for sector partnerships & economic developers. Don't leave \$\$ on the table!



Government Relations Brian Moore testifies at Revenue Stabilization & Taxation Policy Committee re: TAXES and how the new laws will affect county governments. Protecting county revenue!



Eddy County sheriff's dept. donates 4 Tahoes to Guadalupe County sheriff's dept. Eddy County Lieutenant hands off the cars to Guadalupe County!

Thank you Sheriff Mark Cage!!! Counties helping other counties!

Lea County sheriff's dept. donates 4 Tahoes to Guadalupe County

sheriff's dept. Lea County Undersheriff Michael Walker w/Past President Lea County Commissioner Rebecca Long hand off cars



to Guadalupe County Commissioner Ernest Tapia and others from the county. Thank you Sheriff Corey Helton!!!



Mora County Commissioner Paula Garcia receives appointment by Governor Lujan Grisham to the Interstate Stream Commission. Congratulations!!! Read the article <u>HERE</u>.

San Juan County now providing 24/7 automated information from the County Adult Detention Center. Specific information pertaining to individual booking charges, bonding as well as mug shots can be accessed at its website <u>www.SJCounty.net</u>.

SOS Districts and Terms Realignment

The SOS's office released the final realignment of county official terms of office and district numbers based on the implementation of HB 407. Download <u>HERE</u>.

HB 407 Case Oral Argument Date Set

The New Mexico Supreme Court has issued an order requiring the Secretary of State to respond to the NMC petition for writ of mandamus re: HB 407 **by August 12** and setting the matter for oral argument on **Friday, September 13 at 10 a.m.**



Sandoval County

Commissioner David Heil listens to NM Secretary Vince Martinez speaking to NMC Economic Development & Infrastructure Committee re: state rural grant funding public (private

broadband outreach by 1/1/20, grant funding, public/private partnerships.

Grant County Assessor Raul Turrieta listens as New Mexico Tourism Deputy Secretary Antoinette Vigil speaks to NMC

Economic Development & Infrastructure Committee re: how to grow NM's economy through tourism through grant programs, lodgers tax, Google DMO partnerships on search engines.



August Thurs. Aug. 1–2	NMC Board of Directors New Board Member Orientation Thurs. 2:00 p.m.& Mandatory All Board Code of Conduct Training Thurs. 4:00 p.m.; Board meeting Fri. 8:30 a.m. Eddy County-Artesia
Wed. Aug. 21	Multi-Line Pool Board meeting 8:30 a.m. NMC Santa Fe office
Wed. Aug. 28-30	NMML 62nd Annual Conference, Las Cruces
September Wed. Sept. 4	Legislative Initiatives Review w/Legislative Committee 11:00 a.m. NMC Santa Fe office
Thurs. Sept. 12	Gathering of Counties NM State Fair, ABQ
Mon. Sept. 16	NM EDGE Classes, Bernalillo County, ABQ
October Thurs. Oct. 3-4	NMC Board of Directors Legislative Priorities meeting Thurs. 2 p.m.; Fri. 8:30 a.m. Sierra County
Wed. Oct. 23–25	Infrastructure Finance Conference Las Cruces Convention Center
Wed. Oct 29-31	Multi-Line Pool Board , Joint Pool Boards Retreat, & Workers' Compensation Board meeting TBD
November Thurs. Nov 7	Executive Committee meeting 2:00 p.m. NMC Santa Fe office
Fri .Nov 8	NMML/NMC Joint Legislative meeting 9:00 a.m. Inn at Loretto Santa Fe
Wed. Dec. 4	Advisory Council meeting 11:00 a.m. NMC Santa Fe office

NMC Loss Prevention Trainings Link to <u>RSVP</u>

Wed. 8/7-8 OSHA General Industry 10 hour Outreach Training, Estancia, NM 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

Tues. 8/13 Webinar: New Employee Safety Orientation Mon. 8/26–30 Crisis Intervention Training Deming Mon. 9/9–10 Patrol Response to CNT Situations ABQ Thurs. 9/12 CPR Instructor Training ABQ Tues. 9/24 Webinar: Law Enforcement Use of Force Sun. 10/20–23 CIT Crisis Intervention Training, Raton, NM 8 a.m.–5 p.m.

RFP is out! Counties: Bid to host a NMC Annual Conference 2021, 2022, or 2023!

By hosting a NMC Annual Conference you are able to highlight your county, welcome 600–750 attendees, and generate @ \$215,000 in direct spending throughout the week. Counties may bid on multiple years. Finalized proposals due to Talia Storch, tstorch@nmcountles.org, by Monday, September 23. Counties with qualifying bids will be asked to present to the NMC Board of Directors Friday, October 4, 2019 in Sierra County. **Thurs. 10/24–25** "Civilian" Crisis Intervention Training, Raton, NM 8 a.m.–5 p.m.

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NM EDGE IS NOW OFFERING: NM PUBLIC FINANCE CLASSES EXPERTISE YOU NEED NM Public Finance Classes Level I and II Mon. August 5-9, 2019 CNM Montoya Campus in Albuquerque, NM. Enrollment open until end of business day **August 1**. Get the class schedule here:

August Class Schedule for New Mexico Public Finance



Filmmaking underway for the New Mexico Counties overdose prevention and naloxone education video. This week filming takes place in the Chaves County adult and juvenile detention facilities. Thank you administrator Corn for supporting this important project. Naloxone educator

Bernie Lieving is being interviewed for the film. Stay tuned for further updates!

2019 Energy Summit: Building NM's Clean Energy Future—Monday, August 5-6, 2019

Hosted by Sen. Heinrich, the Summit will provide actionable policy recommendations, technical assistance, and resources to help counties implement real solutions to reduce carbon emissions covering: Solar, Buildings, Transportation, and Rural Electrification. Click <u>HERE</u> for agenda. Contact **202.228.4285** or <u>Heinrich_events@heinrich.senate.gov</u>.

On Capitol Hill, NACo Calls for Stronger Intergovernmental Partnerships

National Association of Counties (NACo) CEO/Executive Director Matthew Chase <u>testified on Capitol Hill on Tuesday</u> (listen here) in support of a national commission to facilitate intergovernmental collaboration. Urge your members of Congress to support the <u>Restore the Partnership Act</u> (H.R. 3883) and the <u>Unfunded Mandates Information</u> <u>Transparency Act</u> (H.R. 300).

Webinars

Tues. Sept. 17 Early Childhood Rural Peer Learning Network 12 p.m.-1:30 p.m. MDT

Thur. Sept. 19 Early Childhood Suburban Peer Learning Network 12 p.m.-1:30 p.m. MDT

Fri. Sept. 20 Early Childhood Urban Peer Learning Network 12 p.m.–1:30 p.m. MDT

Search County Employment Opportunities or enter new job posts <u>here</u> for up to 30 days.

New Employee at the County? Submit <u>here</u> to add, delete, or replace to our directory.

USDA Grant Applications for Rural Economic Development

Grants can be used for business startup costs, advanced telecommunications services, community facilities projects, etc. Consider projects with key strategies:

- Achieving e-Connectivity for Rural America
- Developing the Rural Economy
- Harnessing Technological Innovation
- Supporting a Rural Workforce
- Improving Quality of Life

Application deadlines are **First Quarter**, **Sept. 30, 2019**; Second Quarter, Dec. 31, 2019; Third Quarter, March 31, 2020; and Fourth Quarter, June 30, 2020. Applications are due by 4:30 p.m. local time at the Rural Development state office where the project will be located. Contact Patricia Navarrette, 505.761.4961.

SAVE THE DATE: 16th Annual Gathering of Counties Day at the New Mexico State Fair Thursday, September 12, 2019

For more information on your County Queen Candidate, contact Temple Daniels, 505.620.7558

All 33 counties are eligible to register for a complimentary booth along Main Street. Great opportunity to highlight your county's unique culture and heritage. Keep in mind that many school groups visit the fair during the day when planning your booth handouts and activities. **Deadlines:**

Booth registration Aug. 9 State Fair Queen Contest Registration Aug. 31 State Fair Parade Registration Aug. 23

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