



Vice President Mike Pence spoke to a crowd at Elite Well Services in the Permian basin in Artesia, NM and linked the future prosperity of the U.S. energy sector to approval this year of the U.S.-Mexico-Canada Agreement. NMC President Eddy County Sheriff Mark Cage was joined by Claire and Chance Chase who hosted the event. Sheriff Cage received the VP's coin!

Statewide Census 2020 Gathering

Monday August 26, 2019
Isleta Resort & Casino
1000 Broadway SE
Albuquerque, NM 87105

JOIN NEW MEXICO COUNTS 2020 FOR A GATHERING OF STAKEHOLDERS WHO ARE ALL WORKING TO ENSURE A COMPLETE AND FAIR COUNT IN THE 2020 CENSUS. THE GATHERING WILL BRING TOGETHER LOCAL LEADERS IN HARD-TO-COUNT AREAS, GOVERNMENT AGENCIES, NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, AND PHILANTHROPIC PARTNERS.

REGISTER HERE:
NMCOUNTS2020.ORG/EVENT/STATEWIDE-CENSUS-2020-GATHERING/

Email Cathy Frey with any questions:
cathyfrey@nmag.org



**Monday, August 26, 2019
8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.**
Free registration to learn how to implement a complete and fair count in the 2020 census.

Register Here:
nmccounts2020.org/event/statewide-census-2020-gathering/

Lea County received a \$1 million grant from DFA to enhance 911 services.

[New Mexico Opportunity Zones Forum](#)

Tuesday, August 27, 2019 from 7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
National Hispanic Cultural Center (FREE w/lunch)
1701 4th Street SW, Albuquerque
Space is limited - Registration required [HERE](#)
22 Counties have opportunity zones designation: Click [HERE](#)

2019 New Mexico Statewide Behavioral Health Summit — September 17, 2019

UNM Continuing Education Conference Center
1634 University Blvd NE, Albuquerque, NM 87131

Sponsored by the Bernalillo County Department of Behavioral Health Services, the Behavioral Health Services Division of the NM Human Services Department, and the New Mexico Hospital Association.

Event features : Introductory remarks by Human Services Department Secretary David Scrase and facilitation by national experts [Open Minds](#).

[Link to registration](#) [Click to view agenda](#)

Do You Have a Water System Project that Needs Funding?

New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) Construction Programs Bureau (CPB) Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF) accepting [Applications](#) throughout the year. Apply online or contact NMED CPB at 505-827-2806 or by email at NMENV-cpbinfo@state.nm.us. The CWSRF may be able to fund water projects including:

- Water Meters projects; Water Efficiency projects; Desalination; Water reuse and conservation to reduce water flow to wastewater treatment.

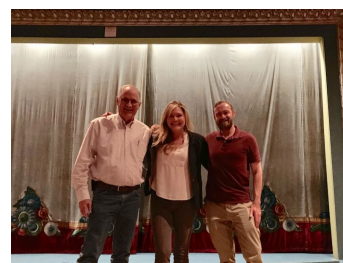
August	Wed. Aug. 28-30 NMML 62nd Annual Conference, Las Cruces
September	Wed. Sept. 4 Legislative Initiatives Review w/Legislative Committee 11:00 a.m. NMC Santa Fe office
	Thurs. Sept. 12 Gathering of Counties NM State Fair, ABQ
	Mon. Sept. 16 NM EDGE Classes, Bernalillo County, ABQ
October	Thurs. Oct. 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 Ruidoso, Inn of the Mountain Gods
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
	Wed. Dec. 11 Multi-Line Pool Board meeting 8:30 a.m.

NM County Clerks Affiliate looking for a technical assistance provider for education & support to County Clerks and the Affiliate. Bids are due no later than **4:00PM on September 5, 2019**. Response shall address: experience with duties of county clerk's office, education/ support to elected officials/staff, compensation requirements, etc. Bids may be submitted electronically to MovingForward@NMClerks.org or delivered in hard copy to the Chaves County Clerk's Office, 1 St. Mary's Place, Roswell, NM 88203. [Click here](#) to see complete response details.

2020 Census Complete Count Grant Funding

DFA has sent out county-optional grant agreements to ALL counties! Submit your 1) county resolution, 2) intergovernmental grant agreement and 3) outreach plan to DFA by **September 27, 2019 for funding on October 11, 2019**. Did you know?

- Each New Mexican not counted is a loss of ~\$3,745 in funding/year
- If NM undercounts residents by 1%, we lose ~\$780 million in the next 10 years
- NM is considered the hardest to count state in the nation



NM Economic Development Secretary Alicia Keyes, Deputy Sec. Jon Clark, and NMC Brian Moore at the opening of the restored Mission Theater in Clayton, NM, which was funded from the Main Street program.

NMC Loss Prevention Trainings Link to [RSVP](#)

- 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.
- Thurs. 10/24-25** "Civilian" Crisis Intervention Training, Raton, NM 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

NATIONAL NEWS

[8 Ways to Make Your City/County More Like Burning Man—inspiring leaders across America](#)

Every August, tens of thousands of people descend on the northern Nevada desert for Burning Man, the weeklong gathering to celebrate arts and self-expression. The temporary city of 70,000 rebuilds and refines itself every year from the ground up, and it has become [something of a model for urban planners](#).

[Harris County settles bail case, reforms system](#)

The nation's third-largest county has eliminated bail for most misdemeanor offenses, setting up a major jail population reduction.

[Apply Now: Training to Improve Police Responses](#)

The [Bureau of Justice Assistance](#) is seeking applications for funding for its Academic-based Training Initiative to Improve Police Responses for People with Mental Illness and Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities program. Applications **due Oct. 4**.

Webinars

- Fri. Sept. 6** [Securing the Future for Older Americans](#) 12-1 p.m. MDT
- Tues. Sept. 17** [Early Childhood Rural Peer Learning Network](#) 12 p.m.-1:30 p.m. MDT
- Wed. Sept. 18** [Test-Drive County Explorer: A Demo of NACO's Interactive Mapping Tool](#) 12 p.m.-1:00 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 [here](#) for up to 30 days.

New Employee? Submit [here](#) add/delete/replace to directory.

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



It's that time again...
HONING YOUR NM EDGE
September 16-19, 2019
CNM Workforce Training Center
Albuquerque, NM

Deadline for NM EDGE September enrollment classes is end of business day Sept. 4!
For a list of classes being offered, click on the link: [September 2019 Road Map](#)

24th Annual NM Infrastructure Finance Conference October 23-25, 2019, Las Cruces
Registration OPEN here: <http://www.nmifc.com/>
Presentations: Spaceport America, NM DFA capital outlay, census 2020, NM Tourism, USDA, community and economic development, housing, transportation, and utilities.
Keynote speakers: NM Lt. Gov. Howie Morales, Congresswoman Xochitl Torres Small



16th Annual Gathering of Counties Day at the New Mexico State Fair
Thursday, September 12
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. Highlight your county's unique culture and heritage.
Deadlines:
State Fair Parade Registration Aug. 23
State Fair Queen Contest Registration Aug. 31

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