

# **News Brief**

June 11, 2020

**Special Legislative Session June 18, 2020** The Legislative Finance Committee met this week to consider the actions (or "sanding") to propose for the state budget special session:

- Expect FY20 general fund revenue to fall about \$375 million below forecast
- Expect FY21 general fund revenue to fall \$1.98 billion below the December forecast
- Draw reserves to 12% ending FY21
- Cut a portion of 2020 special appropriations; switch some general fund \$\$ to debt financing
- Pare back/eliminate new general fund initiatives not sustainable in FY22
- Reduce the 4% across the board pay increase—leaving enough to cover higher benefit costs
- Sand most FY21 general fund appropriations 2% to 4% with smaller reductions for schools, health, and Medicaid
- Use Federal Funds, especially the \$1.25 billion stimulus fund, to temporarily reduce general fund spending ~The Senate's intent is to have a very short session of 1-2 days.



NMC Vice President Bernalillo County Clerk **Linda Stover** earned a 2020 NACo Achievement Award for About My County Activity Book! It's designed to introduce elementary school students to their own county government. Clerk Stover has lead the county's outreach with a book tour through the schools. The award honors innovative, effective county government programs that strengthen services for residents. Congratulations Linda!

# Link to Annual Calendar

**NEW Webinar Trainings!** 

Tues. Jun 16

Thurs. Jun 25

Wed. July 1

NMC Loss Prevention Trainings Link to RSVP Fri. Jun 12 **Webinar:** What Happens When We Go Back?

10 a.m.-11:30 a.m. REGISTER

Webinar: Children and the Transition to Summer 10 a.m.-11:30 a.m. REGISTER

Wed. Jun 17-18 LP Road Ready Safe Driving Instructor Development Online 9 a.m. Wed.-Noon Thur.

Thurs. Jun 18 **LP** Interview and Interrogation 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Tues. Jun 23 Webinar: Safety Committees and Safety

Culture 10 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

**Webinar:** How Do We Hold onto the Positive Thurs. Jun 25

Aspects of Our New World?10 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

NMC Board of Directors meeting 4:30 p.m.

Fri. Jun 26 **LP** Leadership Ethics and Positive Decision

Doña Ana County TBD

Making 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Online Webinar: Effective Employee Discipline HR,

Tues. Jun 30 Supervisors 2 p.m. – 3:30 a.m.

> Webinar: Adjusting to Change through Resiliency Development 10 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

CIT Crisis Intervention Online Refresher Thurs. Jul 2 Training Law Enforcement 10 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

Wed. Jul 15–16 LP Road Ready Safe Driving Instructor Development Online 9 a.m. Wed.-Noon Thur.

## 2020 CENSUS UPDATES/RESOURCES

The Navajo Area Census Office will restart Update Leave operations on Thursday, June 11.



Otero County challenges response rates by census tracts giving out gift cards ranging from 50-500. If the county reaches 75% + allentrants are eligible for a grand prize!

<u> View 2020 Response Rate Dashboard</u>

US 2020 Census Self-Response Map



#### SAVE THE DATE

Wildland Urban Fire Summit October 22–23, 2020 Las Vegas, San Miguel County

## **Call for Presentations**

The WUFS committee is now accepting presentation proposals for the upcoming summit. Click **HERE** for details. Proposals are due by July, 31, 2020. Contact Aelysea Webb, 505-310-3564 or awebb@nmcounties.org for more information.



#### NM EDGE Summer School Registration

Open! Enroll in this June/August summer schedule **NOW** and you will have over **90% of** your classes for BOTH of the first TWO levels done by mid-August!

Certified Public Official = level 1 Certified Public Supervisor = level 2

Click here for <u>Summer Roadmap</u> and register NOW!

Post your county happenings on our FB page! www.facebook.com/pg/nmcounties33/posts Follow us on Twitter @nmcounties33

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

New Employee? Submit <a href="here">here</a> add/delete/ replace to directory.

Did someone forward you this email? <u>Sign up</u>.

San Juan County earned a 2020 NACo **Achievement Award** for Clean Up San Juan! The GIS department along with the solid waste management and other local agencies, addressed the issue of illegal dumping on public lands: a phone app for reporting, web map app for cleanup crew, online operations dashboard, and volunteer cleanup program. Congratulations San Juan County GIS Manager Sherice Snell!

#### **RESOURCES FOR COUNTIES**

Thurs. Jun 18 NACo Tech Xchange Presents <u>Cyber Security w/Tyler Technologies</u> Noon—1 p.m. MDT

Wed. Jun 24 <u>Maximizing Value on Every Public</u> <u>Dollar During & After COVID-19</u> Noon-1p.m. **MDT** 

Mon. Jul 13 <u>NACo Membership Town Hall</u> 2 p.m. MDT; All NACo members invited; includes 2nd VP candidates forum, overview of <u>proposed bylaw amendments</u>, report on <u>voting delegate credentials</u> totals, and federal policy update

Mon. Jul 20 NACo Annual Business Meeting Noon MDT

**Deadline for NACo presidential** <u>appointments</u> is June 14.