

# News Brief October 08, 2020



### Sandoval County Receives Adult Misdemeanor Compliance Program Reaccreditation

The Adult Misdemeanor Compliance Accreditation Professional Standards Council awarded Sandoval County a three-year Certificate of Reaccreditation during the County commission meeting on October 1, 2020. The reaccreditation is effective from December 13, 2019 through December 13, 2022. This is a joint initiative between NMC and the NMML. Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, the award was delayed. NMC Loss Prevention

Manager Bonnie Cummings presented the certificate to Sandoval County DWI Coordinator Diane Irwin. Congratulations Sandoval County on this accomplishment!

#### NMC's Presentation to the Civil Rights Commission (Steve, Grace, & John Chino)



**NMC** states concerns w/devastating fiscal impact to state, counties, cities, schools regarding HB5:

- New cause of action w/no caps; possibly punitive damages
- Award of plaintiff attorney fees
- No qualified immunity as a defense
- An extended three-year statute of limitation
- Fiscal impact on counties without law enforcement reinsurance coverage

NMC Board Actions 10.01.20-10.02.20

**Priority**: County Government—NMC opposes unfunded mandates imposed on county government and opposes legislation that has a significant negative impact on revenue, budgets, and liabilities.

### NMC Board Actions (continued)

- Support of all affiliate legislative issues with no action taken on creating a public/state bank
- Ratification of Sheriff Adan Mendoza as Treasurer
- Extension of Executive Director Steve Kopelman's

Link to NMC Loss Prevention Trainings <u>RSVP</u> SAVE THE DATE—NMC Virtual Legislative Conference January 18-21, 2021	
Thur. Oct. 22-2	<b>3 Zoom</b> Wildland Urban Fire Summit 9 a.m 12:30 p.m. each day
Thur. Oct. 22-2	<b>3</b> CNT for Patrol Officers Albuquerque (Max 5 attendees)
Wed. Oct. 28–29	<b>9 Virtual</b> NMCIA Board meeting starting 8:30 a.m. for approximately 4 hours each
Tue. Nov. 3	<b>LP Webinar</b> Required Hot Work Permit Program 10 a.m.
Reg: http://www.anymeeting.com/PIID=EF54DC87824A3E	
Thur. Nov. 5	<b>Zoom</b> NMC Executive Committee meeting 2 p.m.
Fri. Nov. 6	NMC/NMML Joint Legislative Meeting 9 a.m. <b>TBD</b>
Tue. Nov. 17	<b>LP Webinar</b> Permit Controlled Confined Spaces 10 a.m.
Reg: <u>http://ww</u>	w.anymeeting.com/PIID=EF54DC8782493C
Thur. Nov. 19	<b>LP Online</b> Medic First Aid CPR Instructor Development Training (Max 5 attendees)
Dec . 1,2,7,8	Better Informed Public Officials (BIPO) Training Dec. 1, 8 a.mNoon, Dec. 2, 8 a.m1 p.m., Dec. 7, 8 a.m1 p.m., Dec. 8, 8 a.m Noon

Link to NMC Meetings Annual Calendar



**Register FREE Now!** 

Virtual Wildland Urban Fire Summit Thursday, October 22, 2020 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Friday, October 23, 2020 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Wildfire resilience -

All lands, all neighbors

contract one year with an additional one-year option

Recognition for their service on the Board:

Keith Riddle, Catron County James Landon Newton, Colfax County Diana Urban, Guadalupe County Robert Shepperd, Lincoln County Pete Sheehey, Los Alamos County Ernest Becenti, McKinley County Mike Cherry, Quay County Jim Crowley, San Juan County Laura Montoya, Sandoval County & NACo Representative Susan Trujillo, Taos County Ernest Tapia, WIR Representative Jim Fambro, NMCIA Representative



- 2) CPO 1<sup>st</sup> time Recertification classes on **October 14**
- 3) CPO 1<sup>--</sup> time Recertification classes on October 14
  3) CPO 2<sup>nd</sup> time Continuing Recertification classes on October 15
- 4) Advanced Public Purchasing classes on October 27-29

See the Advanced Purchasing Class Schedule

To check your transcript and enroll, visit our NM EDGE Student Record and Enrollment Site



NMC offices will be closed on Monday, October 12, 2020

Post your county happenings on our FB page! <u>www.facebook.com/pg/nmcounties33/posts</u> 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 <u>here</u> add/delete/ replace to directory.

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



## Fire Prevention Week October 4-10, 2020

"Serve Up Fire Safety in the Kitchen!™"

• Educate everyone about simple actions to stay safe in the kitchen

Check out Bernalillo County's fun and informative videos on social media platforms here: https://www.facebook.com/BerncoFD https://www.youtube.com/channel/ UCbDRDjWBwlaT9Umcy1gFmWA



#### NACo Virtual Federal Policy Summit October 21–22, 2020

The two-day summit will feature informative speakers with practical advice on pressing policy issues and updates on the federal policy landscape – broadband, health care, infrastructure, COVID-19 relief, public lands, disaster assistance and more. With ongoing challenges related to in-person meetings, NACo's Virtual Federal Policy Summit is a free opportunity to connect, learn and share actionable information and resources to help strengthen your county. **REGISTER HERE** 

#### Assistance to Firefighter Grants—COVID-19 Supplemental (AFG-S) Round 2

- Application closes Nov. 13, 2020 3 p.m. MT
- Funding for PPE and expenditures since Jan. 1, 2020; Go to: <u>FY2020AFG-S COVID-</u> <u>19GuidanceDocs</u>

Thur Oct 15 Fall Virtual CIO Forum— Cybersecurity 10 a.m.-1 p.m. MDT