

2022 Legislative Conference

January 18, 2022 - January 20, 2022

Santa Fe, New Mexico

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

Registration deadline for in-person attendees is **Monday, December 27, 2021**

NMC Human Resources Affiliate Meet Up

Nineteen HR professionals from around New Mexico met to discuss upcoming changes regarding the Public Employee Retirement Association, NM Healthcare Authority, cannabis regulations, and COVID Vaccines/ OSHA updates.



NMC Harassment Prevention Training

Last chance for 2021!

Online Thursday, December 9, 2PM-3:30PM
Open to any county employee. Participants will learn about the behavior and conduct which constitutes unlawful harassment on the basis of sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, race, color, religion, national origin, age (40+), and disability. Come away with an understanding of the difference between quid pro quo sexual harassment and hostile work environment, who can be considered harassers, and that illegal harassment is not limited to the workplace. Employees, supervisors, and managers will learn their responsibilities in reporting, investigating, and stopping unlawful harassment. The class will cover the risks of romantic consensual relationships (when love blossoms in the workplace), and the line between the consensual romance and sexual harassment (when the flower withers and dies). Participants will also learn what adverse actions are considered retaliatory. At the conclusion, participants knowledge will be tested by answering two hypotheticals. Please register: <https://www.anymeeting.com/AccountManager/RegEv.aspx?>



Live Radio on Special Session

Tune in next week on Thursday, December 9, 2021 at 9AM streaming on GMCR.org live radio (click on Listen button) to hear NMC Government Relations Brian Moore join the hot conversation about redistricting, the special session, NMC priorities, and speculations on the 30-day session.



Host Grant County Assessor Raul Turrieta will be sure to keep the discussion open and free-flowing. You won't want to miss this one!



USDA to Hold Two ReConnect Broadband Webinars in December

The webinars will guide applicants through the application process for the ReConnect Program broadband funding.

Wednesdays December 8th and December 15th Noon to 1:30PM MT

Both webinars will cover the same information Register for either workshop: [Events | USDA](#)



COVID-19 Public Education Campaign

to increase confidence in COVID-19 vaccines and reinforce basic prevention measures.

The toolkit includes posters and flyers, social media templates, and shareable videos to help explain why all vaccinated adults ages 18+ should get a COVID vaccine booster.

[Resources](#) About COVID-19 Vaccine Boosters:

[Posters & Flyers](#)

[Social Media Posts](#)

[Video—COVID Vaccine Fast Facts: Booster Shots](#)

BLM Needs Input on Sage Grouse Plans

BLM will examine new scientific information to assess what management actions may best support sagebrush habitat conservation. This is an important economic and environmental issue for public lands counties in western states. **Deadline to submit comments is February 7, 2022.** <https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/90121/510>

WANTED: USDOT Stakeholder

Comments Re: National EV Charging Infrastructure

Comments by Jan. 28, 2022. Interested in comments suggesting ways that the guidance could promote equity in the deployment of EV charging infrastructure.

Link to NMC Meetings [Annual Calendar](#)

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

All trainings open to county elected officials & employees

Wed Dec 8 Virtual NMCIA Board meeting 8:30 AM

Wed Dec 8 Webinar—[ARPA Usage Series with Esri & NACo: Broadband](#) 11AM-Noon

Thu Dec 9 Online Harassment Prevention Training 2PM-3:30PM [Register](#)

Tue & Thu Jan Live online NMEDGE Classes Jan. 11, 13, 17, 18, 25, 27

Mon Jan 17-18 Live online NM EDGE Classes

Tue Jan 18-20 Hybrid NMC Legislative Conference in person & virtual, Santa Fe County

Tue Jan 18 Legislative Session Begins Noon

Tue Jan 18 Hybrid NMCIA Membership meeting 9AM Eldorado Hotel

Tue Jan 18 Hybrid NMC Board of Directors meeting 2PM Eldorado Hotel

Thu Jan 27 Virtual NMC Executive Committee meeting 11AM

Wed Feb 2 Deadline for Bill Introduction

Sat Feb 5 NMC Board of Directors meeting 8:30AM Santa Fe County

Thu Feb 10 Virtual NMC Executive Committee meeting 11AM

Sat Feb 12-16 NACo Legislative Conference D.C.

Thu Feb 17 Legislative Session ends Noon

Tue & Thu Mar NM EDGE Classes Live Online, Mar. 8, 10, 15, 17, 22, 24, 29, 31

Wed Mar 16 NMCIA Board of Directors meeting 8:30AM TBD

Wed Mar 23 Legislative Regional meeting 10AM Dona Ana County

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