

### **News Brief**

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#### NACo Resources for Finding Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) Funding

The National Association of Counties has developed a number of resources to assist counties in finding out where funding is available through the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law. NACo has developed an easy **BIL Funding Summary** of all the different programs where counties can find funding as well as a **BIL Executive Summary** that talks about the overall federal infusion of funding. The resources include a very helpful **BIL Matrix** that breaks down all of the federal funding streams, deadlines for application, upcoming opportunities, etc.

Counties are encouraged to visit the website regularly to see the opportunities available to meet their important infrastructure needs.



#### Attend NMC Annual Conference Workshops Thursday, June 16 9AM-11:45AM

**Elections Under Siege 9AM-10:15AM** 

Spotlights the critical role that counties play in protecting election integrity and transparency. Workshop participants will have the opportunity to question panel experts about concerns raised in the national media.

Infrastructure Investments for New Mexico's Next Generation and Beyond 10:30AM-11:45AM Engage with state and federal experts on the significance of federal funding investments in the American Rescue Plan Act and Bipartisan Infrastructure Law. Working together is vital to investing these funds for the future.















## NACo Report: Promoting Health and Safety Through a Behavioral Health Continuum of Care (PDF)

The brief highlights policies, programs, and practices counties are implementing to support community members before, during, and after a behavioral health emergency.

# Envisioning a new way to respond to mental health crises through 988 legislation

On **July 16**, the 988-dialing code will replace the current 10-digit number for the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline, and building this new system will require sustained investment at the federal, state, and local levels.





In PERSON at the NMC Summer Conference on June 13-14, 2022

Albuquerque Convention Center



## The 2022 NM Counties Public Works Equipment ROADEO is back!

It takes place at the NM State Fairgrounds in the Expo New Mexico Junior Pavilion during the NMC Annual Conference in Bernalillo County on Wednesday, June 15. The Public Works Affiliate is excited to be back in-person and reconnect with county friends after being without this event for the past three years!

So brush up on your 'maneuvering' skills and get ready for a thrill not to be missed!

### NACo now accepting policy resolutions and platform changes for the 2022 NACo Annual Conference—Deadline June 21

Participate in national policy decisions affecting county governments. NACo's 10 policy steering committees, Board of Directors and the general membership consider proposed policy resolutions and platform language that will guide NACo advocacy until the next NACo Annual Conference in July 2023. All policy resolutions must be submitted electronically (preferably as a Word document) via email to resolutions@naco.org by June 21, 2022. Submissions MUST identify the title and issue area in the email subject line (e.g. Social Services Block Grant, Human Services and Education).

### Link to NMC Meetings <u>Annual Calendar</u>

Link to Loss Prevention Trainings RSVP

Click for Sample Resolution

Wed Jun 1-2
Wed Jun 8-9
16-Hour Verbal De-escalation Las Cruces
Wed Jun 8-9
Mon Jun 13-17
NMC Annual Conference Bernalillo County

Mon Jun 13-14 NM EDGE Classes In-Person ABQ

Convention Center
Thu Jun 16 NMC Board of Directo

Thu Jun 16 NMC Board of Directors meeting, Elections 4PM Bernalillo County, ABQ Convention Center, Room San Miguel/Mesilla

Mon Jul 11-15 40-Hour Crisis Intervention Roswell

Thu Jul 21–24 NACo Annual Conference Adams Count

Mon Jul 25-28 OSHA 30-Hour Training Los Lunas
Fri Aug 5 NMC Board of Directors meeting 8:30AM
Valencia County

Mon Aug 8-9
Wed Aug 10

12-Hour Suicide Prevention Eddy County
NMCIA Board of Directors meeting
8:30AM Bernalillo County, ABQ

Wed Aug 31-2 NMML Annual Conference Albuquerque
Sep Tue & Thu NM EDGE Classes Live Online Sep 8, 13, 15,

Mon Sep 12-16 Instructor Development T4T Las Cruces
Tue Sep 13-14 16-Hour De-escalation Training Taos
Wed Sep 14 Legislative Initiative Review 11AM NMC

office
Sep TBD
Gathering of Counties NM State Fair ABQ
Sep Tue, Thu
NM EDGE classes Live Online 9/8, 9/13, 9/1

Sep Tue, Thu NM EDGE classes Live Online 9/8, 9/13, 9/15, 9/20, 9/22, 9/27, 9/29
Thu Oct 6-7 NMC Board Legislative meeting 2PM & Board

meeting 8:30AM Dona Ana County

Wed Oct 19-20 NMCIA Board Retreat 8:30AM TBD

Wed Oct 26-28 Infrastructure Finance Conference ABQ

Thu Nov 3 NMC Executive Committee 10AM Santa Fe
County

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