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WHO'S WHO

A DIRECTORY OF ELECTED OFFICIALS
FOR DOÑA ANA COUNTY

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**League of Women Voters
of Southern New Mexico**

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STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT WEBSITES

STATE OF NEW MEXICO WEBSITE

<http://www.newmexico.gov>

DOÑA ANA COUNTY WEBSITE

<http://www.donaanacounty.org>

CITY OF LAS CRUCES WEBSITE

<http://www.las-cruces.org>

Who's Who updates at www.lwvsnm.org

VOTER INFORMATION

United States citizens who are 18 years of age on the day of an election and who have established a permanent residence in the State of New Mexico are eligible to register to vote in Doña Ana County. Registration must be done at least 28 days prior to an election, in person or by requesting a mail-in registration from the county Bureau of Elections.

It is not necessary to register with a political party in order to vote. However, New Mexico is a "closed" primary state, meaning that you must be registered with a major political party (Democrat or Republican) in order to vote in that party's primary election. Lack of a party designation does not prevent voters from participating in regular elections. Absentee and early voting is allowed for all voters, subject to specified time lines.

Registration is permanent in New Mexico as long as you do not move or change your name or party affiliation. If you have not voted in several years, it is possible your name could be removed from the voter rolls. Voter registrations are canceled when the voter has moved from the county, has been convicted of a felony or has been declared mentally incompetent. It is important to check your voter registration status to make sure it is current.

For more information contact the Bureau of Elections located in the Doña Ana County Government Center at 845 N. Motel Blvd. in Las Cruces. Phone (575) 647-7428, or find answers online at <https://donaanacounty.org/elections>

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Updates, when required, can be found on the League's website: www.lwvsnm.org

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

US Executive Branch: Elected members of the Executive Branch consist of the President (who is also Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces) and the Vice President (who also serves as President of the Senate). They are elected as a team on a partisan basis for 4-year terms (limited to two terms) in even-numbered years. The President's annual salary is \$400,000. The Vice President's annual salary is \$230,700.

President Donald Trump (R) 2020
The White House - 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20500
Phone: Switchboard: (202) 456-1414 - Comments: (202) 456-1111 TTY/TDD: (202) 456-6213
Website: <https://www.whitehouse.gov/contact/> Contact (e-mail at site)

Vice President Mike Pence (R) 2020
The White House - 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20500
Phones: (202)-1414 - Comments: (202) 456-1111
TTY/TDD: (202) 456-6213
Website: <https://www.whitehouse.gov/contact>

New Mexico Congressional Delegation

U.S. Legislative Branch: Two Senators are elected from each state for staggered terms of 6-years, and are paid a salary of

\$174,000 per annum. United States Representatives are elected by Congressional districts for 2-year terms, and are also paid a salary of \$174,000 per annum. All are elected on a partisan basis. For more information, go to www.house.gov or www.senate.gov

Senator Martin T. Heinrich (D) 2024
303 Hart Senate Office Bldg., Washington, DC 20510
Phone: (202) 224-5521
Fax: (202) 224-2841
Website: <https://www.heinrich.senate.gov/> (e-mail at site)

LC Office: 505 S. Main, Loretto Towne Center #148
Las Cruces, NM 88001
Phone: (575) 523-6561

SPECIAL NOTES: Phone numbers in this directory beginning with area code (575) are local calls within Doña Ana County. Those beginning with (505) are government office numbers in Santa Fe or are cell phone numbers registered there. The number shown after each official's name/party is the year of the next election affecting that office.

Senator Tom Udall (D) 2020
531 Hart Senate Office Building, Washington, DC 20510
Phone: (202) 224-6621; Fax: (202) 228-3261
Website: <https://www.tomudall.senate.gov/> (contact information at site)
LC Office: 201 N. Church St., Suite 201B, Las Cruces, NM 88001
Phone: (575) 526-5475; Fax: 523-6589

District 2 Representative Xochitl Torres Small (D) 2020
1320 Fourth St, Las Cruces, NM 88005
Phone: (575) 323-6284; DC: (202) 225-2365
Website: <https://torressmall.house.gov/> (e-mail at site)

LC Office: 240 S. Water St, Las Cruces, NM 88001
Phone: (575) 323-6384

U.S. Judicial Branch: For information about the U. S. Courts system go to the following website: <https://www.uscourts.gov/>

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

NEW MEXICO SUNSHINE PORTAL is an accountability site for NM state government. Access to information on government spending, budgets, revenues, employees, contracts and more, provided by various state agencies.
Web site: <https://www.sunshineportalnm.com/>

NM EXECUTIVE BRANCH: All State of New Mexico executive officers are elected to partisan 4-year terms (with a two-term limit) in even-numbered, non-presidential election years. The website for New Mexico is <http://www.newmexico.gov>

Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham (D) 2022
490 Old Santa Fe Trail, Room 400, Santa Fe, NM 87501
Phone: (505) 476-2200
Website: <https://www.governor.state.nm.us/> (e-mail at site)
Salary: \$110,000.

Lt. Governor Howie Morales (D) 2022
490 Old Santa Fe Trail, Room 417, Santa Fe, NM 87501
Phone: (505) 476-2250 Fax: (505) 476-2257
Website: <https://www.ltgov.state.nm.us/> (e-mail at site)

Salary: \$85,000.

Secretary of State Maggie Toulouse Oliver 2020
325 Don Gaspar, Suite #300, Santa Fe, NM 87501
Phone: (505) 827-3600; or Toll Free: 1-800-477-3632; Fax: (505) 827-8403
Website: <https://www.sos.state.nm.us>
Salary: \$85,000

Attorney General Hector Balderas (D) 2022
408 Galisteo Street, Villagra Building, Santa Fe, NM 87501
PO Drawer 1508, Santa Fe, NM 87504
Phone: (505) 490-4060 or Toll Free: 1-844-255-9210 Fax: (505) 490-4883
Website: <https://www.nmag.gov/> (e-mail at site)
Salary: \$95,000
LC Office: 201 N Church St #315, Las Cruces, NM 88001
(575) 339-1120

Treasurer Tim Eichenberg (D) 2022
2055 South Pacheco Street (Suites 100 and 200), Santa Fe, NM 87505
Phone: (505) 955-1120; Fax: (505) 955-1180
Website: <http://www.nmsto.gov> (e-mail at site)
Salary: \$85,000

Auditor Brian S. Colon (D) 2022
2540 Camino Edward Ortiz, Suite A, Santa Fe, NM 87507
Phone: (505) 476-3800; Fax: (505) 827-3512
Hot line for fraud, waste or abuse: 1-866-OSA-FRAUD
Website: <https://www.saonm.org/> (e-mail at site)
Salary: \$85,000

NEW MEXICO COMMISSIONS

NM State Land Office: This office administers the State Lands Trust consisting of 9 million acres of surface estate and 13 million oil, gas and mineral estate held in trust and used to generate revenue for New Mexico's public schools, state institutions for higher learning and other public entities. The Commissioner of Public Lands is elected to a 4-year partisan term (with a 2-term limit). Salary: \$90,000.

Commissioner Stephanie Garcia Richard (D) 2022
310 Old Santa Fe Trail, PO Box 1148, Santa Fe, NM 87504
Phone: (505) 827-5760 - Fax: (505) 827-5766
Website: <https://www.nmstatelands.org/>

NM Public Regulation Commission: The NMPRC regulates public utilities, telecommunications companies, and motor carriers operating in the state. It also administers the State Fire Marshal, the NM Firefighters Training Academy, and the Pipeline Safety Bureau. (See <http://www.nmprc.state.nm.us/consumer-relations/no-jurisdiction.html> for information about what is NOT regulated by the PRC and contact information for the appropriate agencies.) Five commissioners are elected on a partisan basis by district for staggered 4-year terms. Salary: \$90,000.

New Mexico Public Regulation Commission
1120 Paseo de Peralta P.E.R.A. Building; PO Box 1269
Santa Fe, NM 87504-1269
Phone: (888)-4ASK-PRC (1-888 427-5772)
Website: <http://www.nmprc.state.nm.us>

Dist. 1 Commissioner Cynthia B. Hall (D) 2020
Phone: (505) 827-8015
E-mail: Cynthia.Hall@state.nm.us

Dist. 2 Commissioner Jefferson L. Byrd (R) 2022
Phone: (505) 827-4531

E-mail: Jeff.Byrd@state.nm.us

Dist. 3 Commissioner Valerie Espinoza (D) 2020
Phone: (505) 827-4533
E-mail: Valerie.Espinoza@state.nm.us

Dist. 4 Commissioner Theresa Becenti-Aguilar (D) 2020
Phone: (505) 827-8019
E-mail: T.Becenti@state.nm.us

Dist. 5 Commissioner Stephen H. Fischmann (D) 2022
Phone: (505) 827-8019
E-mail: Stephen.Fischmann@state.nm.us

NM PUBLIC EDUCATION COMMISSION: This commission consists of ten commissioners elected by district who serve nonpartisan, unsalaried, staggered 4-year terms. Their role is advisory to the NM Secretary of Education.

New Mexico Public Education Commission
300 Don Gaspar; Jerry Apodaca Education Building, Santa Fe, NM 87501
Phone: (505) 827-6661 Fax: (505) 827-6588
Website: <https://webnew.ped.state.nm.us/bureaus/public-education-commission/>

Dist. 1 Commissioner Ricardo Caballero 2020
Phone: (505) 710-5598; E-mail: PEC.DistrictOne@state.nm.us

Dist. 2 Commissioner David L. Robbins 2022
Phone: (505) 296-2660; E-mail: PEC.DistrictTwo@state.nm.us

Dist. 3 Commissioner Glenna M. Voigt 2022
Phone: (505) 341-9496; E-mail: PEC.DistrictThree@state.nm.us

Dist. 4 Commissioner Karyl Ann Armbruster 2020
Phone: (505) 231-8286; E-mail: PECDistrictFour@state.nm.us

Dist. 5 Commissioner Georgina A Davis 2022
Phone: (505) 860-1819 (cell) E-mail: PECDistrictFive@state.nm.us

Dist. 6 Commissioner Michael Chavez 2022
Phone: (575) 567-3973; E-mail: PECDistrictSix@state.nm.us

***Dist. 7 Commissioner Patricia E. Gipson, Chair** 2022
Phone: (575) 405-9135; E-mail: PEC.DistrictSeven@state.nm.us

Dist. 8 Commissioner Sonia Rafferty 2020
Phone: (505) 720-6077; E-mail: PEC.DistrictEight@state.nm.us

Dist. 9 Commissioner Trish Ruiz, Vice Chair 2020
Phone: (575) 964-3258; E-mail: PEC.DistrictNine@state.nm.us

Dist. 10 Commissioner Tim Crone 2020
Phone: (505) 753-3570; E-mail: PEC.DistrictTen@state.nm.us

*Commissioner for Doña Ana County

NM LEGISLATIVE BRANCH: The New Mexico Legislature consists of 70 House and 42 Senate members, elected on a partisan basis by district in even-numbered years. Senators serve 4-year terms and Representatives serve 2-year terms. Legislators are unsalaried but receive a per diem of \$165 for each day they are in session (tied to the federal rate) plus mileage. The Legislature

convenes for regular sessions on the third Tuesday in January each year. It meets for 60 days in odd-numbered years and 30 days in even-numbered years. General information, along with session and committee schedules, is available from the Chief Clerks in either chamber and/or the Legislative Council. Website: <https://www.nmlegis.gov/>

Senate

(505) 986-4714

House

(505) 986-4751

Legislative Council

Suite 411 State Capitol

Santa Fe, NM 87501

Phone: (505) 986-4600

E-mail: lcs@nmlegis.gov

Find My Legislator

https://www.nm.legis.gov/Members/Find_My_Legislator

Legislative Switchboard

(505) 986-4300

STATE REPRESENTATIVES

Representative Micaela Lara Cadena (D- Dist. 33) 2020

PO Box 968, Mesilla NM 88046

Phones: Home: (575) 644-5830;

E-mails: micaela@lara-cadena4nm.com; micaela.cadena@nmlegis.gov

Representative Raymundo Lara (D- Dist. 34) 2020

PO Box 652, Chamberino NM 88027

Phones: (915) 203-4111; Santa Fe: (575) 882-6200

E-mails: elrayzin@gmail.com; _raymundo.lara@nmlegis.gov

Representative Angelica Rubio (D- Dist. 35) 2020

PO Box 2155, Las Cruces, NM 88004

Phones: (575) 616-1151; Santa Fe: (505) 616-1090

E-mails: connie@rubionm35.com; angelica.rubio@nmlegis.gov

Representative Nathan Small (D- Dist. 36) 2020

1320 Fourth St., Las Cruces, NM 88005

Phones: Home (575) 496-9540

E-mails: nathanpsmall36@gmail.com; nathan.small@nmlegis.gov

Representative Joanne J. Ferrary (D- Dist. 37) 2020

6100 Morning Sun Way, Las Cruces, NM 88012

Phones: (575) 649-1231; Santa Fe: (575) 382-6425

E-mails: ferraryrep37@gmail.com; joanne.ferrary@nmlegis.gov

Representative Rodolpho "Rudy" Martinez (D- Dist 39) 2020

PO Box 164, Bayard, NM 88023

Phones: Home: (575) 534-7546

E-mails: rudy_s_martinez@msn.com; rudy.martinez@nmlegis.gov

Representative Doreen Y. Gallegos (D- Dist. 52) 2020

4301 Summit Lane, Las Cruces, NM 88011

Phones: (575) 649-6325

E-mails: doreen@doreengallegos.com; doreen.gallegos@nmlegis.gov

***Representative Willie Madrid** (D- Dist. 53) 2020

108 Hendrich Rd, Chaparral, NM 88081

Phones: (915) 204-9056

E-mails: wmadrid@yahoo.com; willie.madrid@nmlegis.gov

STATE SENATORS

Senator Joseph Cervantes (D– Dist. 31) 2020
2610 South Espina, Las Cruces, NM 88001
Phones: Office: (575) 526-5600; Santa Fe: (575) 522-3352
E-mail: ceci@cervanteslawnm.com; joseph.cervantes@nmlegis.gov

Senator Ron Griggs (R- Dist. 34) 2020
2704 Birdie Loop, Alamogordo NM 88310
Phones: Home: (575) 439-1331
E-mails: griggsholdings2@gmail.com; ron.griggs@nmlegis.gov

Senator John Arthur Smith (D- Dist. 35) 2020
PO Box 998, Deming NM 88031
Phones: (575) 546-4979; (575) 546-8546
E-mails: jas@zianet.com; john.smith@nmlegis.gov

Senator Jeff Steinborn (D– Dist. 36) 2020
978 Jasmine Dr, Las Cruces, NM 88005
PO Box 562, Las Cruces, NM 88004
Phones: Home: (575) 635-5615
E-mail: jeff@jeffsteinborn.com; jeff.steinborn@nmlegis.gov

Senator William P. Soules (D– Dist. 37) 2020
5054 Silver King Road, Las Cruces, NM 88011
Phones: Home: (575) 640-0409
E-mail: billsoules@hotmail.com

Senator Mary Kay Papen (D– Dist. 38) 2020
904 Conway Avenue, Las Cruces, NM 88005
Phones: Home: (575) 524-4462
E-mails: marykaypapen@comcast.net, marykay.papen@nmlegis.gov

District Court: The Third Judicial District Court is the state court of general jurisdiction covering Doña Ana County. It is based in Las Cruces. This Court has jurisdiction over criminal cases, domestic relations (divorce, child support & custody, domestic violence) probate, children's court (abuse & neglect, delinquency, adoptions) and civil cases (auto accidents, contract & property disputes, civil rights violations). Judicial assignments are shown below, with the Chief Judge also having administrative authority. After winning a 6-year partisan election, judges stand for nonpartisan retention. When vacancies occur, the Governor appoints District Judges who then must stand for election at the next general election. District Court Judge Salaries: \$126,000.

NEW MEXICO COURTS

New Mexico Supreme Court

Website: <https://supremecourt.nmcourts.gov>

New Mexico Court of Appeals

Website: <https://coa.nmcourts.gov>

Third Judicial District Court

201 W. Picacho Avenue, Las Cruces, NM 88005

Phone: (575) 523-8200 or (575) 523-8254

Website: <https://thirddistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov>

Fax: (Civil) (575) 523-8290

Fax: (Criminal) (575) 528-8381

Fax: (Domestic) (575) 528-8301

Fax: (General) (575) 523-8299

Div. I District Court Judge Manuel Arrieta (D) Phone: (575) 523-8235	2020
Div. II District Court Judge Marci E. Beyer (D) Phone: (575) 523-8230	2020
Div. III District Court Judge Conrad Perea (D) Phone: (575) 528-8362	2026
Div. IV District Court Judge Mary W. Rosner (D) Phone: (575) 523-8235	2020
Div. V District Court Judge Lisa Claire Schultz (D) Phone: (575) 528-8345	2020
Div. VI District Court Judge Jim T. Martin (D) Phone: (575) 523-8292	2020
Div. VII District Court Judge Douglas R. Driggers (D) Phone: (575) 523-8261	2020
Div. VIII District Court Judge Grace B. Duran (D) Presiding Judge Phone: (575) 523-8220	2026

DISTRICT ATTORNEY: The Third Judicial District Attorney's Office prosecutes criminal activity occurring in Doña Ana County, and performs related services for victims and witnesses. The District Attorney is elected on a partisan basis for a 4-year term. Salary: \$108,883.

District Attorney Mark D'Antonio (D) 2020
845 N. Motel Blvd., Suite D, Las Cruces, NM 88007
Phone: (575) 524-6370; Fax: (575) 524-6379
E-mail: admin@donaanacountyda.com
Website: <http://donaanacountyda.com>

Probate, Magistrate and Municipal Courts: The Third Judicial District Court has supervisory responsibility over three lower jurisdictions in this area: Probate and Magistrate Courts in Doña Ana County, as well as Municipal Courts in Las Cruces, Mesilla, Hatch and Sunland Park. The salary of the Probate Judge is \$33,143. Magistrate Judges, who must be attorneys, are elected for 4-year terms on a partisan basis countywide with term endings as shown. Magistrate Judges' salaries are \$90,000. Municipal Court Judges are elected on a nonpartisan basis in their municipalities. Term endings are shown by their names.

Probate Court Judge

Probate Judge Diana A. Bustamante (D) 2022
845 N. Motel Blvd., Room 1-200, Las Cruces, NM 88007
Phones: (575) 525-6132; TDD: (575) 525-5951
Fax: (575) 525-6159
Website: <http://www.donaanacounty.org/probate>

Magistrate Court Judges

Court Manager Bernice A. Ramos
110 Calle de Allegra, Las Cruces, NM 88005
Phone: (575) 524-2814; Fax: (575) 525-2951
Website: <http://www.nmcourts.gov/othercourts/nmmagistratecourts.php>

Div. I Judge Samantha Madrid (D) 2022

Div. II Judge Linda L. Flores (D)	2022
Div. III Judge Rebecca C. Duffin (D)	2022
Div. IV Judge Norman E. Osbourne (D)	2022
Div. V Judge Kent L. Wingenroth (D)	2022
Div. VI Judge Joel Cano (D)	2022
Div. VII Judge Gian Alexander Rossario (D)	2022

Magistrate Court is also held in Anthony and Hatch

Anthony: 820 Hwy 478; Anthony, NM 88021; (575) 882-2554

Hatch: 201 West Hall Street; Hatch, NM 87937; PO Box 896; (575) 267-5202

Las Cruces Municipal Court Judges

Chief Clerk/Judicial Manager Lisa Almaguer

135 E. Griggs, PO Box 20000, Las Cruces, NM 88004

Phone: (575) 541-2224; Fax: (575) 541-2184

Website: <http://www.las-cruces.org/1501/Municipal-Court>

Presiding Judge Joy Goldbaum 2021

Phone: (575) 541-2224 Fax: (575) 541-2184

Salary: \$105,000

Other Municipal Courts in Doña Ana Count

Anthony Municipal Court

820 Highway 478, Anthony NM 88021

PO Box 2525 Anthony, NM 88021

Phone: 575-882-5722

E-mail: court88021@yahoo.com

Website: <http://anthonymunicipalcourt.com/5001.html>

Salary: \$800 per month

Mesilla Municipal Court

Clerk Andrea Carbajol

2231 Avenida de Mesilla, Mesilla NM 88046

Phone: (575) 524-1091

Website: <https://www.mesillanm.gov/residents/departments/municipal-court.html> (e-mail on site)

Salary: \$15,000

Hatch Municipal Court

Clerk Bertha Torres

PO Box 220, # 5 Chile Capital Lane, Hatch, NM 87937

Phone: (575) 267-5216; Fax: (575) 267-1135

E-mail: bctorres@villageofhatch.org

Website: http://www.villageofhatch.org/local_government/municipal_court

Salary: \$6,000

Sunland Park Municipal Court

Court Administrator Maria Rubio

1000 McNutt Road, Suite F, Sunland Park, NM 88063

Phone: (575) 589-0709 Ext 3110

E-mail: maria.rubio@sunlandpark-nm.gov

Website: http://www.sunlandpark-nm.gov/administration/municipal_court/index.php

Salary: \$20,000

DOÑA ANA COUNTY

The Board of County Commissioners, elected for partisan 4-year staggered terms by district, sets policy for the governance of Doña Ana County that is administered by an appointed County Manager. The Commission meets on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month. Commissioners' salaries: \$33,990 (Districts 2, 3, 4) or \$29,557 (Districts 1, 5)

Doña Ana County Government Center

845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM 88007

Phone: (575) 647-7200 or Toll Free 1-877-827-7200

TDD: (575) 525-5951

Website: <http://www.donaanacounty.org>

County Manager

Fernando R. Macias

Phones: Office; (575) 525-5802; Fax: (575) 525-5812; TDD: (575) 525-5951

Media and Public Communications

Kelly Jameson

Phone: (575) 525-5801 :

Bureau of Elections

Phone: (575) 647-7428

Clerk: Amanda Lopez Askin, PhD 2020

Phone: (575) 647-7421; Fax: (575) 525-9857; TDD: (575) 525-5951

E-mail: elections@donaanacounty.org

Website: <https://www.donaanacounty.org/elections>

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Dist. 1 Lynn Ellins (D) 2022

Phones: (575) 525-5808 (office), (575) 386-9874; Fax: (575) 525-5948

E-mail: lellins@donaanacounty.org

Dist. 2 Dr. Ramon S. Gonzalez (D) 2020

Phones: Office: (575) 525-5804; Cell: (575) 635-5212; Fax: (575) 525-5948

E-mail: rgonzalez@donaanacounty.org

Dist. 3 Shannon D. Reynolds (D) 2022

Phones: Office: (575) 525-5807; Cell: (575) 339-5918 Fax: (575) 525-5948

E-mail: sreynolds@donaanacounty.org

Dist. 4 Isabella Solis (D) 2020

Phones: Office: (575) 525-5810; Cell: (575) 635-2479; Fax: (575) 525-5948

E-mail: isolis@donaanacounty.org

Dist. 5 Manuel Sanchez (D) 2020

Phones: Office: (575) 525-5809; Cell: (575) 386-9815 ; Fax: (575) 525-5948

E-mail: msanchez@donaanacounty.org

COUNTY OFFICIALS

Assessor Leticia Duarte-Benevidez (D) 2022

Phones: Office (575) 647-7400

Fax: (575) 525-5538

E-mail: leticiab@donaanacounty.org

Website: <https://www.donaanacounty.org/assessor>

Salary: \$75,324.

Treasurer Eric L. Rodriguez (D) 2020
Phone: Office: (575) 647-7433; Fax: (575) 525-5946
Website: <https://www.donaanacounty.org/treasurer>
Salary: \$75,327.

Sheriff Kim Kristine Stewart (D) 2022
Phone: Office: (575) 525-1911; Fax: (575) 525-8852
Website: <https://www.donaanacounty.org/sheriff>
Salary: \$78,555.

Caballo Soil and Water Conservation District

Caballo Soil and Water Conservation District promotes stewardship of natural resources by providing leadership, education, technical and financial assistance to the citizens of the District. It supports its constituents through its cropland assistance, brush management, weed management, conservation programs, native plant sales, and workshops. The District helps increase conservation awareness through participation in local and regional events, science fairs, educational initiatives, and NRCS Farm Bill programs.

Susan Downs, District Administrator
P.O. Box 145
Garfield, New Mexico 87936
Phone: (575) 267-0516; Fax: (575) 267-0516
E-mail: caballoswcd@gmail.com
Website: <https://www.landcan.org/local-resources/Caballo-Soil-and-Water-Conservation-District/5093/>
E-mail contacts on the website

Board

Supervisor 1 Samantha Marie Gillis (Hatch)

Supervisor 2 Frank J Garay (Derry)

Supervisor 3 Hector Mendoza (Garfield)

Supervisor 4 Casey McGuire (Garfield)

Supervisor 5 Dee Wear (Hillsboro)

Supervisor 6 Slim Whitlock (Hatch)

For more information, see the New Mexico Association of Conservation Districts Directory
<http://www.nmacd.org/nmacd-district-directory>

Doña Ana County Soil and Water Conservation District

Doña Ana Soil and Water Conservation District (DASWCD) is authorized by the Soil and Water Conservation District Act (73-20-25 through 73-20-48 NMSA 1978) to conserve and develop the natural resources of the state, provide for flood control, preserve wildlife, protect the tax base and promote the health, safety, and general welfare of the people of Doña Ana County. DASWCD is a governmental subdivision of the State of New Mexico.

DASWCD consists of a total of seven Supervisors. The Supervisors are residents and/or landowners of the District or appropriate zone. The Board meets once a month, on the 2nd Thursday, at 9am at Elephant Butte Irrigation District, 530 South Melendres in Las Cruces. DASWCD works in partnership with NMDA, other state and federal agencies, and various organizations to advance conservation on private and public land.

Doña Ana Soil and Water Conservation District

760 Stern Drive, Suite 118
Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005
Phone: 575-522-8775 Fax: 575-521-3905
Email: DASWCD.Board@daswcd.org

Position 1 Kurt S.J. Anderson 2023

Position 2 David Joseph Martinez 2023

Position 3 Kevin Bixby 2021

- Position 4 D. Craig Fenske** 2021
- Position 5 Joshua L. Smith** 2023
- Position 6 Stephen Wilmeth (appointed)**
- Position 7 Dudley Williams (appointed)**

For more information, see the New Mexico Association of Conservation Districts Directory
<http://www.nmacd.org/nmacd-district-directory>

Lower Rio Grande Public Water Works Authority

The Lower Rio Grande Public Water Works Authority was formed by the merger of five water systems, In 2012, the members of Butterfield Park MDWCA, Organ WSA and Brazito MDWCA voted to merge with the Authority, and in 2016 the Valle Del Rio Water System was acquired. With those mergers completed, the Authority now serves the residents of fourteen Colonias in southern Dona Ana County, New Mexico. Formation of this regional Authority gives those communities the ability to resolve many challenges that were previously affecting all eight associations and created additional benefits.

Lower Rio Grande PWWA

325 Holguin Rd, Vado NM 88072
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 Website: <https://lrgauthority.org>

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CITY OF LAS CRUCES

Las Cruces has a Council-Manager form of government, with the City Council (Mayor and Councilors) setting policy that is carried out by an appointed City Manager. The Mayor is elected citywide, and six Councilors are elected by district and for nonpartisan, 4-year staggered terms. The Council meets on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month. Work sessions are on the 2nd and 4th Mondays. Information on meetings and public participation can be obtained by contacting the City Clerk at (575) 541-2115 or by going online to their website: <http://www.las-cruces.org>

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Mayor Kenneth Miyagishima 2023
Work phone: (575) 541-2067
E-mail: KMiyagishima@las-cruces.org
Salary: \$85,012.50

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Salary: \$34,005.

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Dist. 3 Councillor Gabriel Vasquez 2021
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Salary: \$34,005.

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Salary: \$34,005.

Dist. 6 Councillor Yvonne Flores 2021
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Salary: \$34,005.

CITY OF ANTHONY

The City of Anthony, incorporated on January 5, 2010, is governed by a Mayor and four Trustees who are elected at-large on a nonpartisan basis for 4-year staggered terms. Although elected, the governing members serve without pay. The Mayor and Trustees set policy that is administered by the City Clerk/Treasurer.

City of Anthony NM
820 Highway 478; PO Box 2663; Anthony, NM 88021
Phone: (575) 882-2983; Fax: (575) 882-2978
Website: <https://www.cityofanthonymn.com/> (contact information at website)

City Clerk/Treasurer Esther Motongo
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Mayor Diana Murillo-Trujillo 2020
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Trustee Fernando Herrera 2020
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Trustee Elva J. Flores 2022
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Anthony Water and Sanitation District

The Anthony Water and Sanitation District (District) was organized on January 30, 1978 under New Mexico Statutes Chapter 73 Article 21 to serve a public use and promote the health, safety, prosperity, security and general welfare of the inhabitants of this district. The District was created for purchasing, acquiring, establishing or constructing waterworks and constructing sanitary sewers and street infrastructures, park and recreational improvements and other public facilities or economic development projects.

1155 N. 4th St
Anthony, NM 88021 Phone: (575) 882-3922; Fax: (575) 882-3925
E-mail: info@awsd.us or form on website
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Board

Yolanda Alvarez

Ron Gillette

Veronica Rodriguez

VILLAGE OF HATCH

The Hatch City Council consists of a Mayor and four Trustees, elected for 4-year staggered terms on a nonpartisan basis. Call or fax at numbers shown below. Salaries: Mayor: \$12,000; Trustees: \$6,000
Website: <https://villageofhatch.org/>

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133 N Franklin St.
P. O. Box 250, Hatch, NM 87937
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E-mail: clerk@villageofhatch.org

Mayor Andy Nuñez 2021
Phone: 575-267-4763; Fax: 575-267-1135
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Trustees may be contacted at:
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Trustee James “Slim” Whitlock 2021
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Trustee Peter Attencio 2024
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Trustee Casey Crist 2021
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Trustee Dennis Torres (Mayor Pro Tem) 2024
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TOWN OF MESILLA

The Town of Mesilla has a Mayor form of government. The Mayor and the Board of Trustees set policy. The Mayor also supervises city departments. The Mayor and Trustees serve 4-year, nonpartisan staggered terms. Salaries: Mayor: \$30,000; Trustees \$8,000

Mesilla Town Hall
Cynthia Stoechner-Hernandez
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Website: <https://www.mesillanm.gov> (E-mail on site)

Elected officials may be contacted at:
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Mayor Nora L. Barraza 2022
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Trustee Veronica S. Garcia 2022
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Trustee Jesus Caro 2020
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CITY OF SUNLAND PARK

The City Council of Sunland Park consists of a Mayor elected at-large on a nonpartisan basis and six Councilors elected for 4-year, nonpartisan staggered terms by district. The City Council sets policy, which is administered by an appointed City Manager.

Salaries: Mayor: \$25,000; Councilors: \$8,400.

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Mayor Javier Perea 2023
Phone: (575) 589-6903
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District 1 Councilor Jessica Avila 2022
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District 2 Councilor Daisy Georgina Lira 2022
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District 3 Bertha A. Salmon 2022
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District 4 Councilor Alberto A. Jamarillo-Gonzalez 2023
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District 5 Councilor Olga Nuñez 2023
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District 6 Councilor Donald Lee McBride 2023
Phone: (915) 204-7802
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DOÑA ANA COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Las Cruces Public Schools (LCPS) consists of 26 elementary schools, 9 middle schools, and 7 high schools. The Board of Education meets on the 3rd Tuesday of each month and sets policies that govern the District. School Board meetings are televised live and then rebroadcast on CLC-TV channel 20 on the following Saturday at 7:00 a.m. The Board hires a Superintendent to implement and enforce policies. Board members are elected to nonpartisan, 4-year staggered terms. School Board members serve without pay. Website: <http://www.lcps.net>

Superintendent Karen Trujillo
505 S. Main, Suite 249 - Las Cruces, NM 88001
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District 1 Ray Jaramillo 2021
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Dist. 4 Teresa Tenorio 2023
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Dist. 5 Carol Lynn Cooper 2023
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Gadsden Independent School District: GISD serves Anthony, Berino, Chamberino, Chaparral, LaUnion, Mesquite, San Miguel, Santa Teresa, Sunland Park and Vado. The district has 15 elementary schools, 3 middle schools and 4 high schools. It's Board of

Education, elected to nonpartisan 4-year staggered terms by district, sets policy for a hired Superintendent.

Superintendent Travis L. Dempsey

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District 4 Daniel Castillo 2023
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District 5 Laura Salazar Flores 2021
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Hatch Valley Public Schools: the Board members of the HVPS are elected to nonpartisan 4-year staggered terms by district. They set policy for 3 elementary schools, 1 middle school and 1 high school. A hired Superintendent implements and enforces policy. School Board members serve without pay.

Website: <http://www.hatchschools.net>

Superintendent Michael Chavez

204 Hill Street
P. O. Box 790, Hatch, NM 87937
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Elsa Ramirez, Administrative Assistant

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Hatch Valley School Board Members may be contacted through forms within the website.

Seat 1 Elva Garay 2021

Seat 2 Merlinda Hinojos 2023

Seat 3 Lupe Castillo 2023

Seat 4 Christopher Montez 2021

Seat 5 Greg A. Mitchell 2023

League Membership Information

The League of Women Voters cares about Las Cruces and Doña Ana County. We take action and cooperate with other organizations to benefit our community.

Men and women who are at least 16 years of age are eligible for membership in the League of Women Voters of Greater Las Cruces. Joining a local League includes membership in the League of Women Voters of New Mexico and the League of Women Voters of the United States. The League is organized into two complementary halves: (1) voter services and education about the election process and (2) programs that study issues and lead to positions which are the basis for taking action at the national, state and local levels.

Members receive a monthly publication, THE VOTER, which contains a calendar of meetings, events and non-partisan voter services activities, as well as reports and articles about a wide variety of issues of interest to the members of the organization. Meetings are held monthly and announced in THE VOTER. Voter services activities include registering voters, sponsoring candidates' forums, and publishing a VOTERS GUIDE that includes information about candidates, amendments and ballot issues that will be voted on during an election. After elections and periodically, this publication, WHO'S WHO, is printed and posted on our website to enable voters to reach those whom they elected.

The League is a nonpartisan organization that neither supports nor opposes political candidates or parties. Organized in 1920 to educate voters about the election process, it continues to provide that community service.

(575) 524-VOTE (8683)

<http://www.lwvglc.org>

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