

Revised: October 15, 2024

**TENTATIVE AGENDA
for the
FOURTH MEETING
of the
ECONOMIC AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND POLICY COMMITTEE**

**October 15-16, 2024
Central New Mexico Community College (CNM)
Student Resource Center, Room 204
835 Buena Vista Drive SE
Albuquerque**

**October 17, 2024
Netflix Studios Albuquerque
5650 University Boulevard SE
Albuquerque**

Tuesday, October 15 — CNM, Albuquerque

- 9:00 a.m. **Call to Order**
—Representative Doreen Y. Gallegos, Chair
—Senator Carrie Hamblen, Vice Chair
- 9:15 a.m. (1) **Welcome and State of the Local Economy**
—Tim Keller, Mayor, City of Albuquerque
—Max Gruner, Director, Economic Development Department, City of
Albuquerque
—Gregg Hull, Mayor, City of Rio Rancho
—Victoria Archuleta, Senior Economic Developer, Village of Los Lunas
- 10:15 a.m. (2) **Supporting the Energy Needs of New Mexico's Economy**
—Jason Espinoza, Executive Director, New Mexico IDEA
—Elisha Saavedra, Director, Customer Marketing and Economic
Development, Public Service Company of New Mexico
- 11:15 a.m. (3) **Cannabis Industry Perspectives**
—Clay Bailey, Superintendent, Regulation and Licensing Department
—Justin Dye, Chief Executive Officer (CEO), R. Greenleaf
—Erika Hartwick Brown, Chief Operations Relations Officer and Co-
Owner, Carver Family Farm
- 12:00 noon **Lunch**

1:00 p.m. (4) [Alcoholic Beverage Industry Update](#)
—Alan Markey, Region Vice President - New Mexico, Premier Distributing Company
—Edward Cooper, Vice President, Public Affairs and Community Relations, Total Wine & More

3:00 p.m. **Tour of Admiral Beverage Corporation (Legislators Only)**

5:00 p.m. **Recess**

Wednesday, October 16 — CNM, Albuquerque

9:00 a.m. **Reconvene**

9:15 a.m. (5) [Welcome to CNM and Status of Programs Supporting Business Needs](#)
—Kyle Lee, CEO, CNM Ingenuity

10:15 a.m. (6) [Interstate 40 Tradeport Corridor](#)
—Marcos A. Gonzales, Executive Development Officer, Economic Development, Bernalillo County
—Carolyn Tobias, Economic Development Manager, Bernalillo County

11:15 a.m. (7) [Update from the Economic Development Department](#)
—Rob Black, Secretary, Economic Development Department

12:30 p.m. **Lunch**

1:00 p.m. (8) [Manufacturing Reshoring and Onshoring Opportunities](#)
—Dale R. Dekker, Principal, Dekker/Perich/Sabatini

1:30 p.m. (9) [Growing the New Mexico Hospitality Industry After COVID-19](#)
—Kathy Komoll, CEO, New Mexico Hospitality Association
—Carol Wight, CEO, New Mexico Restaurant Association
—Russell Hernandez, Owner, Salud de Mesilla

2:30 p.m. (10) [Update from the New Mexico Finance Authority](#)
—Marquita D. Russel, CEO, New Mexico Finance Authority

3:30 p.m. **CNM Wine Industry Class Tour (Legislators Only)**

5:00 p.m. **Recess**

Thursday, October 17 — Netflix Studios, Albuquerque

9:00 a.m. **Reconvene**

9:15 a.m. (11) [New Mexico Film Office](#)
—Mark Roper, Interim Director, New Mexico Film Office

10:30 a.m. **Public Comment***

11:00 a.m. **Tour of Netflix Studios (Legislators Only)**

12:00 noon **Adjourn**

*Members of the public may make virtual public comments during the public comment period of the meeting by following the instructions under the "Virtual Public Comment" section of the Economic and Rural Development and Policy Committee [web page](#).