

TENTATIVE AGENDA
for the
FOURTH MEETING
of the
NEW MEXICO FINANCE AUTHORITY OVERSIGHT
COMMITTEE

October 5-6, 2026
Sunland Park Sports Complex
4700 McNutt Road
Santa Teresa

Monday, October 5

- 9:00 a.m. **Welcome and Introductions**
 —Senator Michael Padilla, Chair
 —Representative Joy Garratt, Vice Chair
- 9:15 a.m. (1) **[Overview of Public Banking and Considerations](#)**
 —Angela Merkert, Executive Director, Alliance for Local Economic
 Prosperity (AFLEP)
 —Peter Smith, Board President, AFLEP
 —John Munoz, City Councilor, District 6, City of Las Cruces; Board Member,
 AFLEP
- 10:15 a.m. (2) **[Report from the Border Authority](#)**
 —Gerardo Fierro, Executive Director, Border Authority
 —Laura Romero, Deputy Director, Border Authority
 —Laura Chaparro, Program Coordinator Commissions, Border Authority
- 11:15 a.m. (3) **[Report on the Public Project Revolving Fund](#)**
 —John Brooks, Chief of Programs, New Mexico Finance Authority (NMFA)
- 11:45 a.m. (4) **[Report on the Charter School Facility Revolving Fund](#)**
 —John Brooks, Chief of Programs, NMFA
- 12:15 p.m. **Lunch**
- 1:15 p.m. (5) **[Update on the Colonias Infrastructure Board, Colonias Infrastructure](#)**
 [Project Fund and Colonias Pilot Project](#)
 —Marquita Russel, Chief Executive Officer (CEO), NMFA

- Jose Luis Segura, Vice Chair, Colonias Infrastructure Board; Chair, Chamberino Mutual Domestic Water Consumer and Sewer Association
- Donnie Quintana, Managing Director, Project Oversight, NMFA

2:15 p.m. (6) [Overview of Proposed Legislation for Endorsement](#)

- Marquita Russel, CEO, NMFA
- Mark Chaiken, General Counsel, NMFA

2:45 p.m. (7) [Statewide Economic Development Finance Act \(SWEDFA\) Updates](#)

- A. **Proposed Changes to SWEDFA**
 - Mark Chaiken, General Counsel, NMFA
- B. **Conduit Bond Rule Consideration**
 - Mark Chaiken, General Counsel, NMFA
- C. **Economic Development Revolving Fund Report**
 - Chris Moya, CEO and President, Independent Community Bankers Association
 - Erica Saunders, Senior Vice President, Commercial Banking Manager, WestStar Bank
 - Isaac Romero, Deputy Secretary, Economic Development Department
 - Antoinette Vigil, Managing Director, Community and Economic Development, NMFA
 - John Brooks, Chief of Programs, NMFA

4:30 p.m. **Tour of La Clinica de Familia, 2625 McNutt Road, Sunland Park***

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

Tuesday, October 6

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

9:05 a.m. (8) [Overview and Reports on the Primary Care Capital Fund and Behavioral Health Capital Fund and Legislative Proposals](#)

- Yvette Ramirez Ammerman, Executive Director, New Mexico Primary Care Association
- Antoinette Vigil, Managing Director, Community and Economic Development, NMFA
- Virgil Medina, CEO, La Clinica de Familia
- Jorge Almuina, Chief Financial Officer, La Clinica de Familia

10:05 a.m. (9) [Update on the Local Solar Access Fund](#)

- Fernando Martinez, Jr., Deputy Director, NMFA

10:45 a.m. (10) [Review of Requested Housing Financing Data](#)
—Donnie Quintana, Managing Director, Project Oversight, NMFA
—Antoinette Vigil, Managing Director, Community and Economic
Development, NMFA

11:30 a.m. **Public Comment****

12:00 noon **Adjourn**

*Committee members and committee staff only.

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