
HOW WE GROW NEW MEXICO

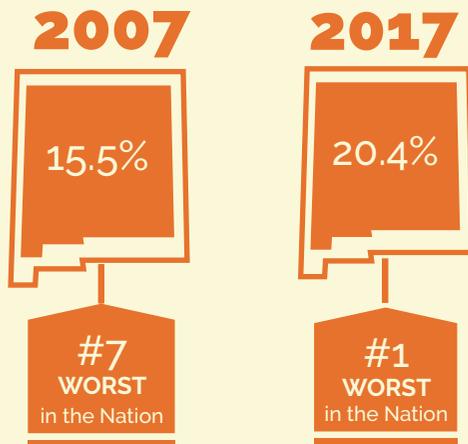


NEW MEXICO'S DECADE OF DECLINE

According to the U.S. Census, 2015 was the first year that New Mexico experienced a net population loss in 40 years.

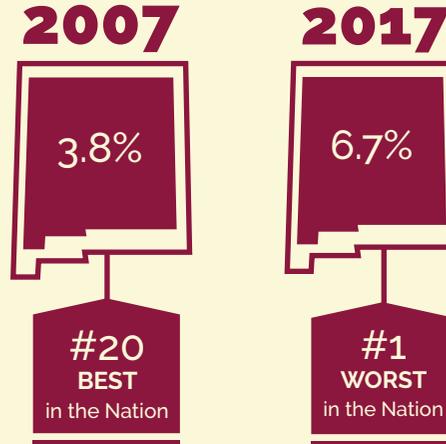
New Mexico ranks 49th in child well-being according to the Annie E. Casey Foundation Kids Count Data Book.

POVERTY



Source: U.S. Census

UNEMPLOYMENT



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION RATE



Source: U.S. Department of Education



OUR MISSION

GROWING NEW MEXICO

New Mexico needs to grow again and advance in areas that are crucial to the positive development of our families, our communities and our quality of life.

BRINGING RESOURCES TO IMPACTFUL PROJECTS

Too often good ideas and good projects go unfunded. We help organizations fill in the gaps by finding funding and successfully implementing proposals that make our state stronger.

TAKING NEW MEXICO PROJECTS TO THE NEXT LEVEL

There is great work being done in New Mexico, but often important national interests and funders don't know about it. We bring exposure to the good work and impactful projects happening in our state.



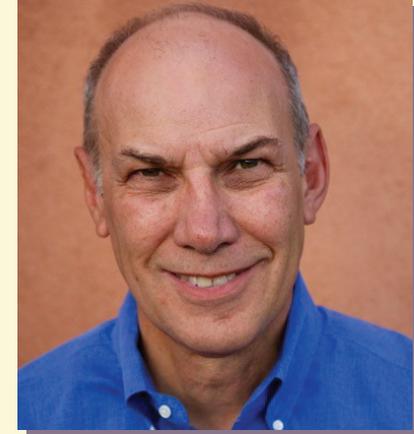
WHO IS GROW NEW MEXICO?



Terry Brunner
Chief Program Officer

After spending more than 20 years in New Mexico public policy and community development, Terry helped found Grow New Mexico to continue his work to advance New Mexico communities.

Prior to founding Grow New Mexico, Terry spent 7 years as President Obama's appointee to the position of USDA New Mexico State Director for Rural Development. During that time, he managed investments of more than \$1 billion in housing, small business, renewable energy, and utilities in rural areas throughout New Mexico. Before his time at USDA he served as former U.S. Senator Jeff Bingaman's State Director for 7 years. Terry holds a B.A. in Latin American Studies from the University of Arizona and M.A. In Latin American Studies with an emphasis in Community and Regional Planning from the University of New Mexico.



Phil Schiliro
Senior Advisor

Phil helped found Grow New Mexico because not all communities in our state are nearing their full potential. Phil spent over 25 years working in the U.S.

House of Representatives and the U.S. Senate on a wide range of policy issues. He was the Chief of Staff for Representative Henry Waxman, the Democratic Staff Director for the House Oversight and Government Reform Committee, and the Policy Director for Senate Minority Leader Tom Daschle. He also served as President Obama's Director of Legislative Affairs from 2009 to 2010, a Special Advisor to the President in 2011, and the President's Health Care Advisor in 2014. In addition to advising Grow New Mexico, he is Managing Director of Schiliro Barnett, a consulting business that focuses on non-profit organizations.