

Meeting Minutes
 Northeast Regional Transportation Planning Organization (NERTPO)
 Hosted by City of Las Vegas
 Student Union Building
 Rm #'s 321-322
 Las Vegas, NM



May 14, 2025, 10AM

Present/Absent	Name	Entity	Voting/Alternate
Present	Danny Gurule	City of Las Vegas	Voting Member
Present	Arnold Lopez	City of Las Vegas	Alternate
Present	Jason Phillips	City of Raton	Alternate
Present	Heather Dostie	City of Santa Rosa	Alternate
Present	Ralph Lopez	City of Tucumcari	Voting Member
Present	Glen Stevens	Colfax County	Alternate
Present	Rebecca Benavidez	Guadalupe County	Voting Member
Present	Victoria Villareal	Harding County	Voting Member
Present	Daniela Hammer	Harding County	Alternate
Present	John N. Romero	Mora County	Voting Member
Present	Monica Mondragon	Mora County	Alternate
Present	Daniel Zamora	Quay County	Alternate
Present	Ferron Lucero - Vice-Chair	Town of Clayton	Voting Member
Present	Ernest Sanchez	Town of Clayton	Alternate
Present	Jennifer Portillos	Town of Springer	Voting Member
Present	Clay Kiesling	Union County	Voting Member
Present	Brandy Thompson	Union County	Alternate
Present	Julie Kulhan	Village of Angel Fire	Alternate
Present	Shawn Jeffrey - Chairwoman	Village of Cimarron	Voting Member
Present	Renee Ledoux	Village of Cimarron	Alternate
Present	Kaycee Sandoval	Village of Eagle Nest	Alternate
Present	Rodney Paris	Village of Logan	Voting Member
Present	Shawn Jeffrey	Village of Maxwell	Alternate
Present	Dallas Baker	Village of Mosquero	Voting Member
Present	Danny Laumbach	Village of Roy	Voting Member
Absent	Scott Berry	City of Raton	Voting Member
Absent	Ken Flores	City of Santa Rosa	Voting Member
Absent	Mishon Peay	City of Tucumcari	Alternate
Absent	Bret E. Wier	Colfax County	Voting Member
Absent	Rudy Tenorio	Guadalupe County	Alternate
Absent	Stephen Salas	Quay County	Voting Member
Absent	Martin Aguilar	San Miguel County	Alternate
Absent	Benito Romero	San Miguel County	Voting Member
Absent	Vacant	Town of Springer	Alternate
Absent	Morris Madrid	Village of Angel Fire	Voting Member
Absent	Jonathan Valdez	Village of Des Moines	Voting Member

Absent	Jordan Wingo	Village of Des Moines	Alternate
Absent	Jamie Archuleta	Village of Eagle Nest	Voting Member
Absent	Alice Adams	Village of Folsom	Voting Member
Absent	Amanda Boggs	Village of Folsom	Alternate
Absent	Mignon Saddoris	Village of Grenville	Voting Member
Absent	Lynn Wiseman	Village of Grenville	Alternate
Absent	Tomi Miller	Village of House	Voting Member
Absent	Steve Foust	Village of House	Alternate
Absent	Jai Courtney	Village of Logan	Alternate
Absent	Carala Taylor	Village of Maxwell	Voting Member
Absent	Barbara June Melton	Village of Mosquero	Alternate
Absent	Telesfor Benavidez	Village of Pecos	Voting Member
Absent	Vacant	Village of Pecos	Alternate
Absent	Clayton Moore	Village of Roy	Alternate
Absent	Cynthia Lee	Village of San Jon	Voting Member
Absent	Wade Lane	Village of San Jon	Alternate
Absent	Andres Martinez	Village of Wagon Mound	Voting Member
Absent	Colleen Engelhardt	Village of Wagon Mound	Alternate

Julie Surina, EPCOG
 Vincent Soule, EPCOG
 Patrick Million, NCNMEDD
 John Herrera, NMDOT
 Monica Duran, NMDOT
 Richard Runyon, DEC
 Ted Barela, BHINC
 Rebecca Maes, BHINC
 Will Crespín-Village of Pecos
 Stephanie Casados- Mora County
 Heidi Briscoe- Colfax County
 Stephen Salas- City of Tucumcari
 Rachel Farnum- Union County Rd Dept.
 Harold Garcia- San Miguel County
 Stephen Farmer- City of Santa Rosa

- I. **Call to Order**
The Meeting was called to order at 10:01 by Chairwoman Shawn Jeffrey
- II. **Pledge of Allegiance/New Mexico State Flag**
The Pledge of Allegiance and the salute to the New Mexico State Flag was led by Vice-Chairman Ferron Lucero
- III. **Welcome**
A welcome from the City of Las Vegas
- IV. **Approval of Agenda**
Clay Kiesling, Union County, motioned to approve agenda.

Jason Phillips, City of Raton, seconded.
There being no opposition, MOTION CARRIES



V. Approval of Minutes April 23rd, Angel Fire

Motion to approve the minutes as presented: Chairwoman Shawn Jeffrey
Julie Kulhan, Village of Angel Fire, motioned to approve minutes
Dallas Baker, Village of Mosquero, seconded
There being no opposition, MOTION CARRIES

- VI. NMDOT Announcements-** Adam Romero welcomed everyone to Las Vegas and thanked them for coming. The D4 Chairman, Walter Adams, was not able to make the meeting but sends his gratitude to each entity. State Senator, Pete Compos, was also not able to attend. A.D Arthur Romero will rate and rank projects along with John Herrera and Monica Duran. They wished all entities “good luck”.

VII. Presentations TPF Projects submitted for rating and ranking to NMDOT D4 Staff

NOTE: all entities requested a match waiver except for Logan

1. Angel Fire- Julie Kulhan & Richard Runyon, DEC, Presenting- Bill Burgess East
State Funding: \$1,073,500.00 Match: \$56,500.00
2. Angel Fire- Bill Burgess West
State Funding: \$708,700.00 Match: \$37,300.00
3. Cimarron- Shawn Jeffrey & Richard Runyon, DEC, Presenting- 9th St Improvements
State Funding: \$2,375,000.00 Match: \$125,000.00
4. Clayton- Ferron Lucero Presenting- Clayton Water St Roadway Imp
State Funding: \$1,813,550.00 Match: \$95,450.00
5. Clayton- Loves Perimeter
State Funding: \$893,144.97 Match: \$47,007.63
6. Colfax- Heidi Briscoe Presenting CR A-9 Tinaja
State Funding: \$1,235,000.00 Match: \$65,000.00
7. Colfax- CR B-4 Valverd
State Funding: \$256,500.00 Match: \$13,500.00
8. Eagle Nest-Kaycee Sandoval and Richard Runyon Presenting- Neal Lake & Green Mnt Trail Imp.
State Funding: \$950,000.00 Match: \$50,000.00
9. Guadalupe County- Rebecca Benavidez Presenting-Paisano Road (3Ba) Phase I
State Funding: \$1,168,280.45 Match: \$61,488.45
10. Guadalupe County- La Loma Road 4Ke Phase I
State Funding: \$1,167,371.46 Match: \$61,440.60

11. Harding County- Daniela Hammer & Richard Runyon presenting- Bridge 8544 & Rd Imp.
State Funding: \$475,000.00 Match: \$25,000.00
12. Las Vegas- Danny Gurule, Arnold Lopez Presenting- Commerce St
State Funding: \$2,073,519.98 Match: \$109,132.63
13. Logan- Rodney Harris Presenting-Micro sealing various streets
State Funding: \$289,175.25 Match: \$15,219.75
14. Maxwell-Shawn Jeffrey & Richard Runyon Presenting - S. 2nd St Imp.
State Funding: \$950,000.00 Match: \$50,000.00
15. Maxwell – Kiowa Ave
State Funding: \$551,000.00 Match: \$29,000.00
16. Mora-John Romero Presenting -Watrous
State Funding: \$1,112,042.00 Match: \$58,529.00
17. Mora-Various Rds
State Funding: \$950,000.00 Match: \$50,000.00
18. Mora-Buena Vista
State Funding: \$888,361.00 Match: \$44,418.00
19. Mora- A-010 El Oro
State Funding: \$846,037.00 Match: \$44,528.00
20. Mosquero- Dallas Baker & Richard Runyon Presenting- Division Rd Improvements
State Funding: \$1,976,000.00 Match: \$104,000.00
21. Pecos- Rebecca Maes, BHINC Presenting-Various Rds
State Funding: \$463,359.00 Match: \$24,387.00
22. Quay- Daniel Zamora Presenting- QR-AR (Phase I)
State Funding: \$3,249,923.91 Match: \$171,048.63
23. Quay- Quay Road 63 Phase 2
State Funding: \$2,660,716.59 Match: \$140,037.73
24. Raton- Jason Phillips Presenting- Citywide Chipseal
State Funding: \$564,520.78 Match: \$29,711.62
25. Raton- Small Bridge.
State Funding: \$499,514.76 Match: \$26,290.25

Break for lunch

26. Roy- Richard Runyon Presenting on behalf-2025 St Improvements
State Funding: \$950,000.00 Match: \$50,000.00



27. Roy-4th and Tyler Improvements
State Funding: \$610,850.00 Match: \$32,150.00
28. San Miguel- Harold Garcia Presenting- A 14 Pork Chop Rd
State Funding: \$779,150.56 Match: \$41,007.92
29. San Miguel- La Liendre Rd & Cinder Rd
State Funding: \$1,662,390.39 Match: \$87,494.23
30. Santa Rosa-Heather Dostie & Stephen Farmer Presenting- 5th Street Reconstruction
State Funding: \$1,184,638.60 Match: \$62,349.40
31. Santa Rosa- Pecos Ave Improvements
State Funding: \$1,409,981.45 Match: \$74,209.55
32. Santa Rosa- Smith St. Improvements
State Funding: \$1,440,783.30 Match: \$75,830.70
33. Springer- Shawn Jeffrey Presenting-Downtown Inf Rec
State Funding: \$2,245,493.29 Match: \$118,183.86
34. Tucumcari-Ralph Lopez Presenting-Tucumcari 3rd St/Water Imp
State Funding: \$1,530,313.88 Match: \$80,542.84
35. Tucumcari- Tucumcari 4th St/Water Imp
State Funding: \$1,530,313.88 Match: \$79,602.05
36. Union County- Clay Kiesling and Brandy Thompson Presenting- Sand Draw
State Funding: \$271,795.00 Match: \$14,305.00
37. Union County- David's Place
State Funding: \$475,000.00 Match: \$25,000.00
38. Union County- Clapham Rd
State Funding: \$256,500.00 Match: \$13,500.00
39. Union County- Alamos Rd
State Funding: \$256,500.00 Match: \$13,500.00



Total applications for District 4 - \$37,440,793.62

- VIII. Update from the NERTPO Planners/Program Managers:** Both Patrick Million, NCNMEDD and Julie Surina, EPCOG reminded entities to turn in their projects in individual PDF form per project, by 5/29/25 and to call with any questions. Julie also mentioned the EPCOG Board Meeting will be at 10:00 AM in Tucumcari. She also mentioned the NMDOT commission meeting will be in Cloudcroft or via YouTube, May 15th at 8:30 AM.

IX. NMDOT District IV Update- John Thanked everyone for their presentations. He mentioned to please send close out documentation and he will send out assignments when signed. Monica Duran asked if requesting closeouts to please get to her in complete documents.



X. Discussion: Project Status Update (local Government Members)-

- Shawn Jeffrey- Springer is 90% done with TPF. Maxwell is finishing up their TPF. Folsom and Cimmaron are also finishing up their TPF.
- Ralph Lopez- Tucumcari is about to start construction on their LGRF project. They also received a NMDOT aviation system fund.
- Ferron Lucero- Clayton is working on an ED project with EPCOG.
- Daniel Zamora- Quay is done with LGRF and closing out their TPF project. Currently working on a TLPA project.
- Julie Kulhan- Angel Fire started TPF project.
- Arnold Lopez- Las Vegas received over 1 million for aviation funding.

XI. New Business

A. **General Comments and Announcements from NERTPO Members and Public-** Clay Keisling- Had a general question about how to stabilize road signs and is open to suggestions.

B. **Suggested agenda Items for upcoming meetings-** ICIP and NMDOT Permitting.

C. **Meeting Locations:**

- ❖ June 25, 2025- Village of Cimarron
- ❖ July 23, 2025- Harding County
- ❖ August 27, 2025- Village of Logan

XII. Adjournment

With there being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned by Chairwoman Shawn Jeffrey at 1:50 P.M.

1st Motion- Clay Keisling, Union County

2nd- Dallas Baker, Village of Mosquero

APPROVED BY:

NERTPO Committee Chair/Vice Chair

Date

ATTESTED BY:

NERTPO EPCOG Program Manager

Date

ATTESTED BY:

NERTPO NCNMEDD Program Manager

Date

